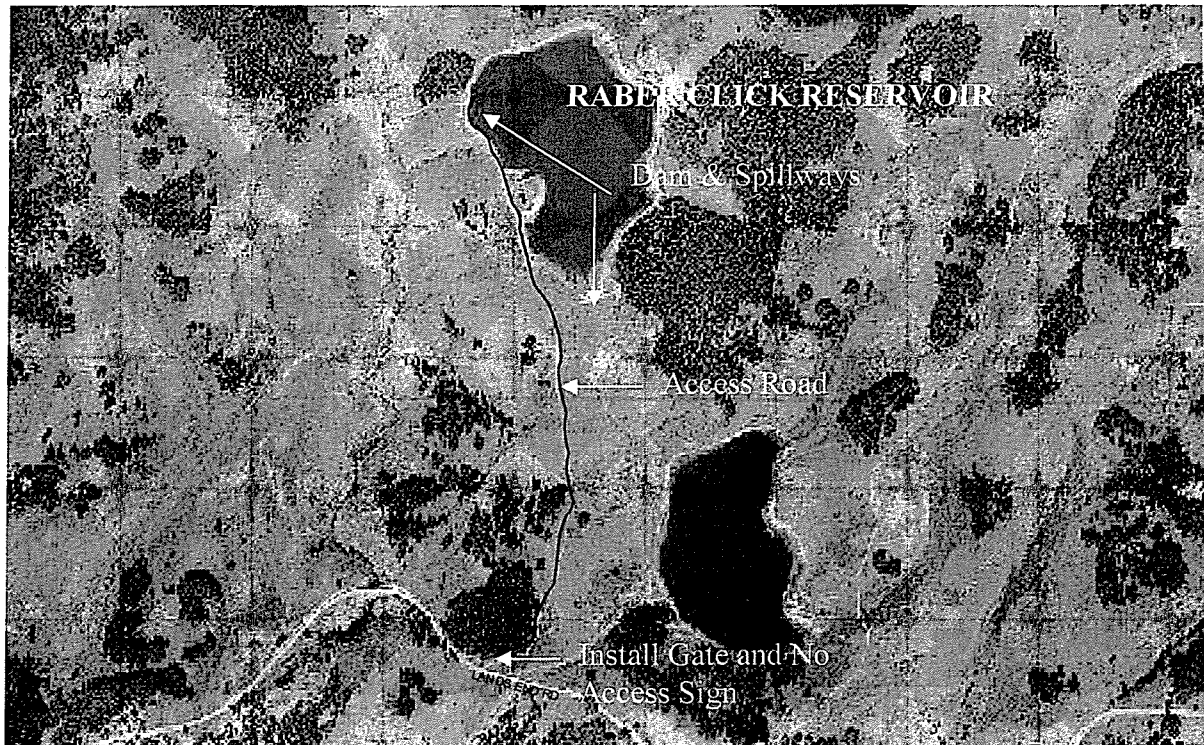


**OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE PLAN
FOR
Raber Click (aka Hallenbeck No.2) Reservoir
City of Grand Junction**

The authorization incorporates this Operation and Maintenance Plan (O&M Plan) and any attachments thereto, and the Holder agrees to operate and maintain the authorized facilities and use the occupied National Forest System (NFS) lands in accordance with the following stipulations:

1. Regulate channel flows so that a freeboard is maintained above the water line.
2. Use only maintenance routes agreed to and shown on the attached map and to repair all damage resulting from said use.



3. The following vehicles will be used to access the reservoir for routine operation and maintenance: all terrain vehicles, full sized vehicles and foot traffic. A rubber tired backhoe may be used periodically to remove brush or blade dam embankment, upon which the Forest Service will be notified before proceeding.
4. The Holder shall inspect the facility prior to use each year and make necessary repairs. Work that is considered other than routine maintenance and/or minor repairs shall be discussed in advance with the Forest Officer. All repairs shall be acceptable to and completed by the date agreed to by the Holder and the Forest Officer.
5. The Holder shall: be responsible for prevention and control of soil erosion and gullyng on land covered by the easement and the land adjacent thereto resulting from operations and maintenance of granted use; maintain channel to prevent downcutting and bank failure; remove all obstructions from the channel; revegetate or otherwise stabilize all ground where the soil has been exposed; and be responsible for control of and spread of noxious weeds, as identified by the USDA Forest Service and the local county weed list.
6. Routine operation and maintenance of this facility generally consists of:

- a. Driving to reservoir on an unmarked access road to regulate water flows from reservoir .
- b. Brush removal from face of dam.
- c. Scrape crest of dam with rubber tire backhoe.

7. The Holder will contact the Forest Service for approval before proceeding with work that is other than routine operations. Some of these situations are:

- a. Bringing in and using heavy equipment other than that already approved in this O&M plan.
- b. Using other than approved maintenance routes for access.
- c. Motorized use in a closed area in an emergency situation.
- d. Removal of significant amounts of vegetation and silt and deposition of the same, if on National Forest System lands.
- e. Burning, application of seed mixtures (weed-free seed required), chemical application or other means of vegetation control measures.
- f. Reconstruction or re-routing of a portion of the ditch (the latter would also entail a new or amended authorization).

8. This O&M Plan will be reviewed annually by the Holder and may be amended by mutual agreement when signed and dated by the Holder and the appropriate line officer.

- a. The City will install a "No Public Motorized Access" sign at location on photo and maintain gate and road.

For the City of Grand Junction:

Greg Frank
(Name)

Title: Water Services Supt.

Date: 5-10-04

For the Grand Valley Ranger District:

Connie Clementson
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Title: District Ranger

Date: 6-22-04

Randall Knutson

Approved REGIONAL DIRECTOR, PHYSICAL RESOURCES

May 5, 2006
Date

**Addendum No. 1 to
Operation and Maintenance Plan
For
Hallenbeck No. 2 (aka Raber-Click) Reservoir
City of Grand Junction**

The Operation and Maintenance (O&M) Plan executed by the City of Grand Junction and the Grand Valley Ranger District on June 22, 2004, is hereby amended as follows:

Add the following to Clause 2 and under the map showing the access route to the reservoir:

- Use of these routes is approved for water facility operation and maintenance needs only.
- Holders must have this O&M Plan with them at all times when riding these routes.
- Holder is still subject to federal and state laws regulating travel on State, County, and Federal lands. These include Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 261.13 prohibiting travel in a manner which damages or unreasonably disturbs the land, wildlife and vegetative resources. Violation of the terms and conditions contained herein is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 or imprisonment for not more than 6 months or both (Title 16 U.S.C. 551).
- Operations that involve traveling the above-mentioned roadways, trails or other access to the project shall cease when travel causes rutting 3" or more in depth.
- Any rocks moved to access water facilities shall be placed back following end of operation and maintenance activities.
- Holder shall cut and pull back any downed trees blocking the access routes and shall not leave the trail in order to go around the trees.
- Holder shall perform access route maintenance, including installation of drainage structures, as directed by the Forest Service.

The following shall be added as Clause 9:

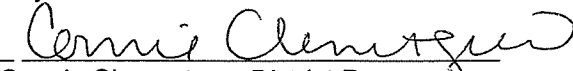
9. If any items of archaeological, paleontological, or historic value, including but not limited to historic or prehistoric artifacts, structures, monuments, human remains and funerary objects (grave goods) are discovered, the Holder shall immediately cease all activities which may disturb such items and notify the Forest Service. The Holder shall not resume activities until written approval is given by the authorized officer. Failure to comply with this stipulation may result in civil or criminal penalties under the Archaeological Resources Protection Act of 1979.



Terry Franklin, Water Services Supervisor
City of Grand Junction

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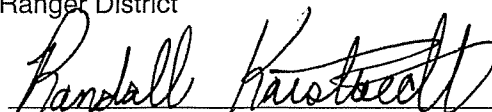
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Connie Clementson, District Ranger
Grand Valley Ranger District

4-17-06

Date

Approved by: 

For Richard C. Stern
Deputy Regional Forester
Rocky Mountain Region, R-2
Forest Service, Department of Agriculture

5/5/2006

Date