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Joe Alexander, Forest Supervisor USDA Forest Service, Shoshone National Forest 808 Meadow Lane Avenue Cody, WY 82414

Re:

Administrative Order Addendum

Docket No. SDWA-08-2011-0019

Rex Hale Camp Ground Public Water System PWS ID #WY5680224

Dear Mr. Alexander:

Pursuant to paragraph 13 of the Administrative Order (Order) issued February 3, 2011, to The USDA Forest Service as owner of the Rex Hale Camp Ground public water system (the System) in the Shoshone National Forest, this Addendum to the Order incorporates the schedule for completing the actions at the System as outlined in your letter of October 14, 2011, to EPA, as amended in the February 14, 2012, e-mail from Julie Lyons of your staff. This letter constitutes the written approval by EPA of the Shoshone National Forest's schedule as indicated in the chart below.

Please note that EPA expects this approved schedule to be met. While not creating any right to an extension, EPA may in its discretion consider granting an extension to any deadline in the schedule under limited circumstances. If unexpected events occur that are beyond the System's control and that may prompt you to request an extension of these deadlines, the System will be responsible for notifying EPA well in advance of the deadline dates. EPA will not consider extending these deadlines without a clear justification for their need. The National Forest must provide the following information in any request for extensions: a description of the work that has been completed and the additional work that may not be completed by the deadline dates, the unexpected events that occurred and how Respondent attempted to foresee or overcome these obstacles, the proposed new deadline dates, and an explanation that justifies the new proposed deadline dates.

Finish Date Action

Pressurize the System to identify any leaks in the System.	June 1, 2012
Investigate and repair any leaks identified.	June 1, 2012
If no leaks are identified, check and repair or replace all back flow preventers, as needed.	June 1, 2012

Address and fill apparent burrowing under well-head cement pad.	June 1, 2012
Redirect storage tank overflow to avoid potential surface water contamination of well.	June 1, 2012

Consistent with paragraph 14 of the Order, the "Finish Date" deadlines above are now enforceable requirements of the Order. Further, EPA requests the National Forest forward photographs showing completion of the above action items, as appropriate.

Please be advised that the National Forest is required to comply with all provisions of the Order. Penalties for failing to comply are set forth in the Order. Please contact Mario Mérida at (303) 312-6297 if you or your staff have any questions concerning this Addendum. The National Forest's attorney may call Eduardo Quintana, Enforcement Attorney, at (303) 312-6924 with questions regarding any related legal matter.

EPA appreciates the Shoshone National Forest's ongoing efforts to protect the health of users of the Rex Hale Camp Ground public water system.

Sincerely

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cc: Tina Artemis, EPA Regional Hearing Clerk

Julie Lyons, Shoshone National Forest (via e-mail)

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