

UNITED STATES
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 8

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Docket No. SDWA-08-2008-0093

In the Matter of:)
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Ethete Public Water System)
Northern Arapaho Utilities)
Ethete, Wyoming) ORDER
PWS# 08569002)
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Respondent.)
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On Tuesday, April 7, 2009, the parties filed a Joint Status Report as requested by this Court on February 3, 2009. The Status Report sets forth the progress made by the parties towards settlement of this matter. The parties have not yet reached settlement but they are interested in continuing to discuss an agreement. To that end, the parties are discussing mechanisms to achieve compliance. The parties state they are close to having an agreement in principle.

The parties have asked for an extension of time to April 30, 2009, to file a Consent Agreement in this matter. This is a reasonable period of time to continue settlement discussions under the circumstances. If the Consent Agreement is not filed by April 30, 2009, this Court will send a scheduling Order setting the matter for hearing.

THEREFORE, pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.7(b), this court is granting an extension of time, until Thursday, April 30, 2009, to file a Consent Agreement.

The joint and unopposed request for Extension of Time is **GRANTED**.

Ordered this 14th day of April, 2009.



Elyana R. Sutin
Regional Judicial Officer

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that the original of the attached **ORDER** in the matter of **ETHETE PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM, NORTHERN ARAPAHO UTILITIES; DOCKET NO.: SDWA-08-2008-0093** was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk on April 14, 2009.

Further, the undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the document was delivered to Amy Swanson, Enforcement Attorney, U. S. EPA – Region 8, 1595 Wynkoop Street, Denver, CO 80202-1129. True and correct copies of the aforementioned document was placed in the United States mail and electronically sent on April 14, 2009, to:

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Honorable Elyana R. Sutin
Regional Judicial Officer
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency

April 14, 2009

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