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AGENDA ITEM #4B

TO: Members of the SROG Committee

FROM: Donald P. Sehorn, Program Manager

SUBJECT: AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE MODIFICATION 9 WITH THE U.S. BUREAU OF RECLAMATION (BOR)

This request is seeking authorization to execute Modification 9 with the BOR. Under this modification, the BOR will make a contribution of \$64,000 to continue research related to the Central Arizona Salinity Study. SROG will match these funds with in-kind staff services.

The Central Arizona Salinity Study is an on-going cooperation between SROG and the BOR to tackle the growing salt problem in Arizona. This effort is based on a 50/50 cost share agreement between SROG and the BOR.

RECOMMENDATION

At their September 18, 2008 meeting, the SROG Advisory Committee recommended that:

the SROG Committee authorize the City of Phoenix to execute Modification 9 with the BOR to accept \$64,000 for additional research related to the Central Arizona Salinity Study. The Project Number is WS90120017 and will be billed according to Billing Schedule 42.

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