

July 11, 1962

Mr. C. S. Rippen  
Acting Regional Director  
U.S. Bureau of Reclamation  
P.O. Box 360  
Salt Lake City 10, Utah

*Re: Ogden River*

Dear Mr. Rippen:

RE: CAUSEY RESERVOIR

We agree that the stream gaging station, South Fork, Ogden River, near Huntsville will not be drowned out by the reservoir resulting from Causey Reservoir. However, the natural streamflow will need to be known to satisfy prior rights.

Because of the number of tributaries entering the reservoir it does not seem practical to attempt to measure the inflow by gaging the surface streams. It is requested that the Bureau present a suggested procedure for determining reservoir inflow and losses for water distribution purposes. We would hope that such information will include net evaporation rates, changes in bank storage and any other pertinent information necessary to arrive at natural flow conditions.

My reason for writing you about this matter on June 13 was merely to be sure that provision is being made to meet these needs prior to changing the natural conditions of the reservoir site.

Sincerely,

Wayne D. Criddle

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IN REPLY  
REFER TO: 4-900

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Mr. Wayne D. Criddle  
State Engineer  
State of Utah  
Salt Lake City, Utah

Dear Mr. Criddle:

Your letter of June 13 stated that one of your cooperative gaging stations on South Fork of Ogden River will be inundated by Causey Reservoir now under construction.

We have no knowledge of a gaging station that will be affected by Causey Reservoir. The gaging station, South Fork, Ogden River, near Huntsville is located about five miles downstream from Causey Dam and one mile upstream from the proposed Ogden Valley Diversion Dam. Backwater from the diversion dam will also not harm this station. We, therefore, believe that it is not necessary to relocate or establish any new gaging stations on South Fork Ogden River.

Sincerely yours,

*E. S. Rippon*  
ACTING Regional Director

