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Date: October 6, 2017  
To: Interested Persons, Organizations, and Agencies  
Subject: North Fork Siphon Replacement Project

The Central Utah Water Conservancy District, Utah Reclamation Mitigation and Conservation Commission, and the United States Department of the Interior – Central Utah Project Completion Act Office, as Joint Lead Agencies (JLAs), have released the Environmental Assessment (EA) for the North Fork Siphon Replacement Project for review and comment. The North Fork Siphon is located in the canyon of the North Fork of the Duchesne River in Duchesne County. The EA has been prepared in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), the Council on Environmental Quality, and Department of the Interior Regulations Implementing NEPA (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508 and 43 CFR Part 46, respectively). The Proposed Project consists of the following:

- Replacement of the 4,712 foot long North Fork Siphon which connects the North Fork Pipeline and the Hades Tunnel
- Replacement of the 1,545 foot long North Fork Pipeline which connects the Stillwater Tunnel and the North Fork Siphon
- Reconstruction of the Hades Feeder Pipeline connection and blow off structure
- Reestablishment of access to the Hades Tunnel Inlet Portal
- Improvement of access across the North Fork of the Duchesne River

The EA can be reviewed and downloaded from the project website at [northfork.cuwcd.com](http://northfork.cuwcd.com). Comments on the EA may be made through the project website (site address listed above), email to [sarah@cuwcd.com](mailto:sarah@cuwcd.com), or by mail addressed to North Fork Siphon Replacement Project, attn: Sarah Sutherland, Central Utah Water Conservancy District, 355 West University Parkway, Orem UT, 84058. **Comments must be received by Friday November 10, 2017.** If you have any questions about the North Fork Siphon Replacement Project, or would like a hard copy (or an electronic copy on a CD), please contact me at (801) 226-7147 or through email at [sarah@cuwcd.com](mailto:sarah@cuwcd.com).

Sincerely,

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