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Recent Submissions

Longenbaugh, Robert

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Oral history interview with Robert Longenbaugh, primarily in relation to his knowledge of and experience with groundwater issues in Colorado and neighboring High Plains states concerning the Ogallala Aquifer. Longenbaugh ...
Wilkinson, Eric

Abstract
Eric Wilkinson, retired general manager of the Northern Colorado Water Conservancy District, reviews his lifetime as a water professional. He was exposed to the profession from childhood by his father who was a Cache la Poudre River commissioner. He held jobs in the Dam Safety Branch of the Colorado State Engineer’s Office and in the Water and Sewer Department of the City of Greeley, as well as several positions at Northern Water. He talks about accomplishments, challenges, receiving the Aspinall Award, prior appropriation, water storage and conservation, and significant weather events. He ...
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VIDEOS

- PHA’s video/audio archive includes over 35 media clips
- Finished two educational videos with Tom Sharp and Eric Wilkinson, working on John Stulp
- 6 others have been interviewed: Russell George, David Robbins, Patti Wells, Alan Hamel, Travis Smith, and Mike Shimmin
REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDING

- CSU and PHA have identified over 50 additional water leaders to be interviewed
  - Regional examples: MaryLou Smith, Robert Ward, Hank Brown, Robert Magnuson, Loren Maxey, Larry Simpson, Marvin Jensen
- Water Legacy received a $30,000 Education/Outreach grant through the CWCB in November 2019
- Still looking for nominations and support from Northern Colorado water community to fund more interviews/educational videos about the Poudre Valley
Cache la Poudre River
National Heritage Area