



THANK YOU!!

JOHN  
RUST  
JR.

JOHN RUST JR.  
AS A DASHING  
YOUNG MAN





ONE BIG  
LOVEABLE GUY  
TO ANOTHER!



# HARD WORKER WHO LOVES TO DRIVE GATORS AND TRACTORS





LOOK WHO I HAVE TO PUT UP  
WITH FOR A WHOLE DAY!!



# MAKING A DIFFERENCE



TO FAMILY, FRIENDS  
& THE COMMUNITY



# YOU'RE KIDDING ME RIGHT?





WE'RE  
NOT  
REALLY  
THAT  
BORING...  
ARE WE?





# COLORADO WATER BUFFALOS







POPCORN - SUNSHINE - GREAT PEOPLE



LIFE  
IS  
GOOD!



# ALWAYS KEEPING US IN THE LOOP!

## Protection of Colorado River called disjointed

Report finds conservation gets low priority

By DAN ELLIOTT  
Associated Press

DENVER — Environmental protection for the Colorado River — the lifeblood of the Southwest — is disjointed and too often gets a low priority in the management of the water, researchers said in a new report.

Four, multimillion-dollar conservation programs do valuable work but would have more impact if they treated the river as a

the Grand Canyon toward the Gulf of California in Mexico. It's so heavily used that it usually dries up before reaching the ocean.

The Upper Colorado River Endangered Fish Recovery program, the Lower Colorado River Multi-Species Conservation Program and the San Juan River Recovery Implementation Program focus on saving endangered species and restoring habitat along the river and its tributaries.

The Glen Canyon Dam Adaptive Management Program concentrates on

## Contractor to pay thousands for Big Thompson River fish kill

Jacy Marmaduke, jmarmaduke@coloradoan.com  
7:27 a.m. MDT August 25, 2016

A Colorado contractor will likely pay more than \$200,000 in restitution for sending thousands of pounds of concrete and grout into the Big Thompson River, killing 5,600 fish.

Littleton-based American Civil Constructors, which declined to comment for this article, will pay for the concrete and grout in early March (story/sports/outdoors/2016/04/27/5600-fish-killed-big-thompson-chemical-kill) while doing work on Larimer County Road 43 near Drake.

## States pre-emptively block EPA power plant regulation

Critics expect plan will be thrown out



ed to override Obama's veto. The plan is seen as a heavy lift.

Nonetheless, Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, R-Ky., has provided

at the Senate Appropriations Committee earlier this month to defend the agency's fiscal 2016 budget request, McConnell reminded

David Doniger, a longtime attorney with the Natural Resources Defense Council who helped develop the group's suggestions for

SATURDAY'S DRAWINGS  
Powerball: 34-36-38-42-50  
Powerball: 33 Powerplay: 4  
Lotto: 6-17-18-28-29-39

Cash 5:  
2-17-20  
Pick 3:  
5-5-6

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## FRONT RANGE

## CSU hopes to help power towns

By CASSIE MAACK  
Reporter-Herald Staff Writer

With the implementation of the new Rural Energy Center at Colorado State University, small Colorado communities will have the opportunity to work with

Center for Agriculture Energy revamps to incorporate Extension's work

Center Cary W. ...

From April through August, the plans to assess Kersey, a ...

## REGION

## Cities object to water plan

By BRUCE FINLEY  
The Denver Post

Objections from Front Range cities are forcing state officials to make a last-minute overhaul of Colorado's water plan and pledge

## Water Wars: Will more storage meet growth's demands? Will less storage limit it?

by Dallas Heltzell on September 18, 2015  
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Agribusiness  
Economy & Economic Development  
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Morning Edition  
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The 1989 baseball movie "Field of Dreams" is a catchphrase, "If you build it, they will come." But along the booming but semi-arid northern mountain snowmelt and water becomes too expensive. "We are in the thick of that debate," said Real Estate Institute at Colorado State University in Fort

Municipalities, developers and agriculture in storage reservoirs are built, the new resident general manager of the Northern Colorado Water Northern Water, "but if we don't build it, the

few housing affected

of that the rising cost of water. President of Timnath-based ...

## Water issues still on agenda

Water was back on the agenda recently when the Wetlands and Lakes Council (CWLC) met with representatives of Lachlan Shire Council to discuss a rather contentious issue.

Council has suggested sourcing town water for Lake Cargelligo from the weir pool in the Lachlan River approximately 12 kilometres out of town, via a pipeline.

CWLC is not convinced the proposal will best serve the future of the lake or community.

It has been a full year since the formation of CWLC and the future of the lake is still working.

In attendance were the Mayor, Des Manwaring, Council's manager, George C.

Ironically, the public meeting took place mere days after storms and flooding which devastated much of the district but also filled the lake.

In the latest development, CWLC met with representatives of Lachlan Shire Council at Lake Cargelligo Memorial Hall on December 19, to discuss the issue.

Des Manwaring, Council's manager, George C.

The CWLC believe that the community should be engaged and consulted by the shire when such important issues are at stake.

Lachlan Shire noted their obligation to provide secure and high quality water to the community dependent to the community.

## Water plan takes broad approach

A new resident needs to live in Colorado for only a season or two before hearing the adage that "water is for drinking; water is for fighting."

In the Great American Desert (the Front Range and points east) described by Stephen Long, namesake of Longs Peak, water is what creates a lush growing season, during residential neighborhoods and growing industries. Without it, the urban corridor of Northern Colorado

Reporter-Herald editorial





# COLORADO WATER CONGRESS



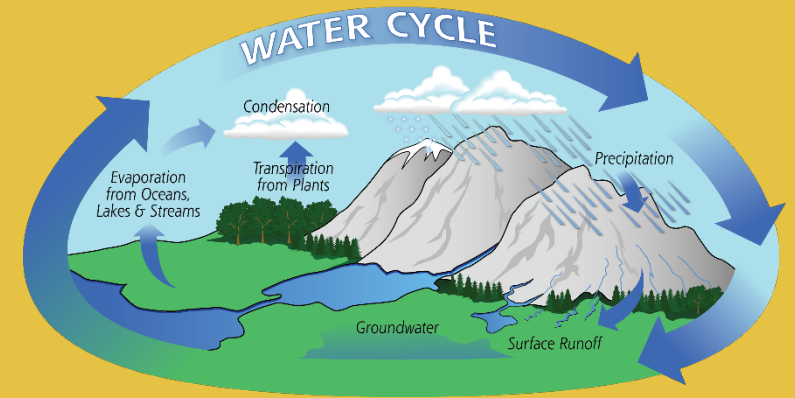


# REMEMBER TALKING ABOUT...



DO THE NEW CLIP  
SIZE RESTRICTIONS  
APPLY TO THE  
MARINE MEMORIAL?

FOREST SERVICE  
COMMENTARY



THE HYDROLOGIC  
CYCLE SONG

# KEPT OUR MEETINGS INTERESTING



YARD DISPLAY  
INVITES



FOSSILIZED  
STONE FISH



BLACK BIRD  
PUPPET DEMOS



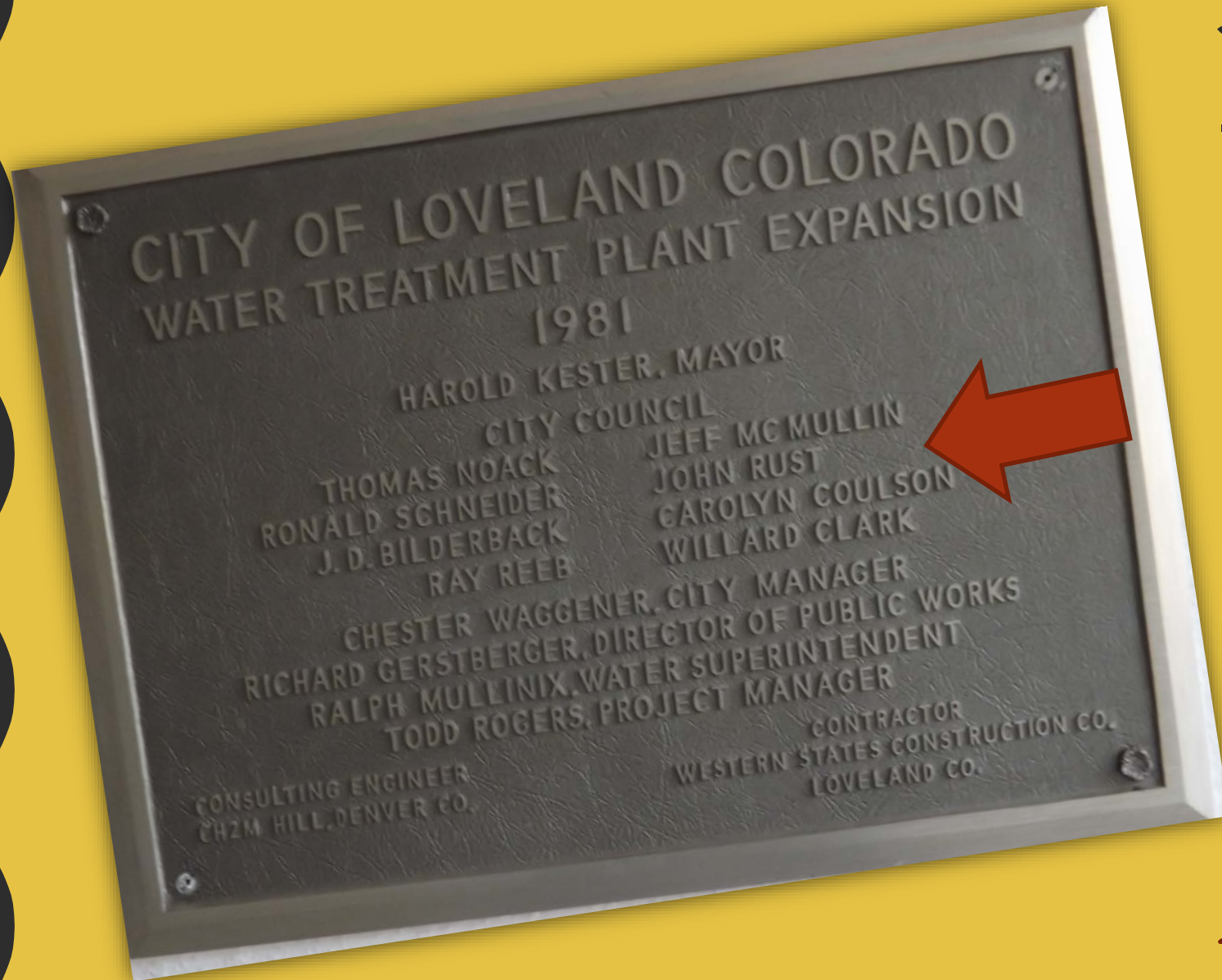
STOP IT JOHN!

—

YOU'RE JUST  
TOO FUNNY!!



JOHN RUST  
– YOU'VE  
DEFINITELY  
GONE DOWN  
IN LOVELAND  
HISTORY!



JOHN RUST



WHAT A  
SUPER MAN!!



A BIG THANK YOU

FROM

LOVELAND

WATER & POWER!!

