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David Ludlam, MCFMLD Board President
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Dear Mr. Ludlam,

As the Chairman of the Clifton Sanitation District Board of Directors, I am pleased to submit this letter on behalf of the Board to acknowledge our support of the important work of the Mesa County Federal Mineral Lease District, (MCFMLD).

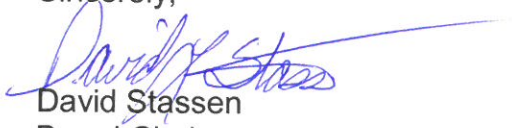
The members of the Clifton Sanitation District Board of Directors were appreciative of your recent presentation at our Board meeting on April 4th. The presentation was well received and succinctly described the MCFMLD efforts to become the first agency to establish a permanent fund of severance royalties in the State of Colorado.

As a local public utility with a major commitment and mandated responsibility for maintaining environmental and public health we are particularly impacted by energy related growth. The financial grant assistance from the MCFMLD has been instrumental in the District's ability to accomplish the required capital related projects associated with energy impacts.

Clifton Sanitation District strongly supports the overall goals of the MCFMLD permanent fund and the focus of the long-term benefits this program will provide to the local community.

We appreciate the opportunity to support the MCFMLD and the permanent fund of severance royalties.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "David Stassen", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David Stassen
Board Chairman
Clifton Sanitation District