

**COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS
CONGRESSIONALLY DIRECTED SPENDING ITEM CERTIFICATION
PURSUANT TO RULE XLIV
OF THE STANDING RULES OF THE SENATE**

Name of the Senator requesting the congressionally directed spending item:

Senator Pete V. Domenici

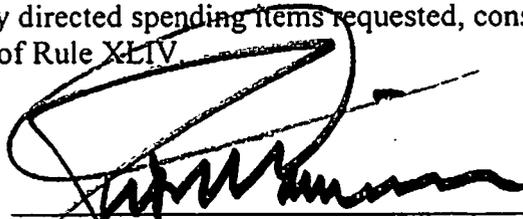
For the congressionally directed spending item, the name and location of the intended recipient or, if there is no specifically intended recipient, the intended location of the activity:

- ✓ Southwest Valley flood damage reduction project; Albuquerque, New Mexico
- ✓ Middle Rio Grande Restoration project; New Mexico
- ✓ The Rio Grande environmental management program; Colorado, New Mexico, and Texas
- ✓ Non-Federal Contributions – nation-wide program
- ✓ Aquatic Ecosystem and Estuary Restoration – nation-wide program
- ✓ Cooperative Agreements, New Mexico – Middle Rio Grande area of New Mexico
- ✓ Tribal Partnership Program – nation-wide program

The purpose of the congressionally directed spending item:

- Flood Control (Southwest Valley Flood Damage Reduction Project)
- Environmental Restoration (The Middle Rio Grande Restoration Project)
- Environmental Restoration (The Rio Grande Environmental Management Program)
- Defining project cost share (Non-Federal Contributions)
- Environmental Restoration (Aquatic Ecosystem and Estuary Restoration)
- Facilitating cooperation with Pueblos (Cooperative Agreements, New Mexico)
- Facilitating cooperation with Tribes (Tribal Partnership Program)

Pursuant to Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I certify that to the best of my knowledge as of the date of this letter, neither my immediate family nor I have a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Pete V. Domenici", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is somewhat stylized and overlaps the line.

Pete V. Domenici

August 28, 2007