



*Providing a Voice for Northeast Colorado*

**IRRIGATION RESEARCH FOUNDATION FUNDING**  
AWN-2001-6

**WHEREAS**, agricultural irrigation research is imperative to provide the applied science to conserve the quality and quantity of the Ogallala Aquifer, and

**WHEREAS**, the Irrigation Research Foundation (IRF) is an entity providing necessary irrigation research over the Ogallala Aquifer in the Progressive 15 region and surrounding areas, and

**WHEREAS**, the IRF provides the essential investigation for advanced technology and improved agricultural practices, and

**WHEREAS**, the IRF at Yuma is a 501 (c) 3, non-profit organization, which relies exclusively upon partnerships, grants, donations and public funding, and

**WHEREAS**, by supporting the IRF, Ogallala Aquifer water users, including agriculture producers in the Progressive 15 region, receive quality research which strengthens their productivity and enhances their commitment to sound environmental stewardship.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, Progressive 15 strongly supports all efforts to provide adequate funding, both public and private, for the Irrigation Research Foundation by aggressively pursuing all possible resources.

*ADOPTED this 5th day of April, 2001*

*Amended this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2007*