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Dear Mr. Holsinger and Ms. Chartrand,

This letter acknowledges receipt of your letter dated June 11, 2009, and which we received on June 11, 2009 via email. On behalf of the Colorado Wool Grower's Association (CWGA) you have submitted a Request for Reconsideration to your original Data Challenge request and the Forest Service response. The CWGA desires to have the Forest Service retract the Forest Service Bighorn Report, General Technical Report, RMRS-GTR-209, and all reliance thereon in existing and subsequent forest plans and forest plan amendments, as well as decisions on grazing permits and grazing permit renewals.

We are in the process of reviewing your Request for Reconsideration. In accordance with the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) guidelines, agencies will respond to all requests for appeals within 60 calendar days of receipt. If the request requires more than 60 calendar days to resolve, the agency will inform the complainant that more time is required and indicate the reason why and an estimated decision date.

If you have any administrative questions, please contact the Quality Information Officer, George Vargas, at 202-205-0444 or send an email to [gvargas@fs.fed.us](mailto:gvargas@fs.fed.us)

Sincerely,

LORRIE S. PARKER  
Acting Director, Office of Regulatory and Management Services

cc: Chris Iverson, Eugene J DeGayner

