## Rogue River Valley Irrigation District

3139 Merriman Road Medford, OR 97501 April 23, 2019

Ways and Means Subcommittee on Capital Construction Senator Fred Girod (Co-Chair) Representative Paul Holvey(Co-Chair) Senator Peter Courtney Senator Betsy Johnson Senator Elizabeth Steiner Hayward Senator Chuck Thomsen Representative Tina Kotek Representative Mike McLane Representative Nancy Nathanson Representative Greg Smith

900 Court St. NE Salem, Oregon 97301

Re: HB 5030 Regional Infrastructure Fund (RIF)

Dear Members of the Ways and Means Subcommittee on Capital Construction:

The crew is continuing to weld the 48' pipe together and placing it in the canal. The latest storm caused a lot of damage to the canal and will cause a delay to the current completion date. The canal banks caved in at the siphon and the pipe filled up with clay and mud. The crew had to spend time excavating and cleaning up the canal and pipe so they can get to the siphon. We will still be able to deliver water for the 2019 water season and will be working on getting the new pipe covered as the season progresses.

The District is requesting the grant completion date be extended from June 2019 to December 31, 2019.

Milestone/Task/Activity	Planned Start	<b>Planned Completion</b>
	Date	Date
Complete Environmental Compliance	In progress	Completed
Advertise Material Contract for	June 2018	Completed
bid and award contract		
Advertise Construction Contract for	September 2018	Completed
bid and award contract		
Contractor orders equipment and supplies,	October 2018	Completed

mobilizes to site		
Siphon construction	June 2018	Completed
Pipeline construction	October 2018	December 2019
Inspection and Testing of the pipeline	March 2019	April 2019

Sincerely,

Brian Hampson Secretary/Manager