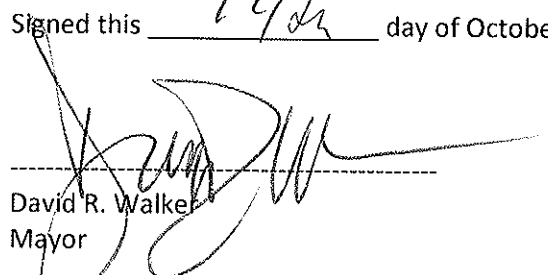


**Certification as to the Appropriateness of Infrastructure Approval and Investment
Under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009**

I, David R. Walker, Mayor of Palisade, Colorado, do hereby accept responsibility and certify that the infrastructure project described below is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars as funded under Section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.


The Project consists of completion of improvements to the Town of Palisade Wastewater System to improve the treatment of wastewater and bring the Town of Palisade into compliance with State and Federal discharge standards. The estimated total cost of the project is \$8,550,000 with \$7,800,000 in funding being provided under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. The Project is an investment in public infrastructure that will protect the environment, preserve and create jobs, promote economic recovery and provide long-term economic benefits.

Signed this 14th day of October, 2010.



David R. Walker
Mayor

Attest:



Carolyn Speakman
Palisade Town Clerk