2024 Fryingpan-Arkansas Project Water Imports Status Report

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ISSUE SUMMARY DESCRIPTION:

Reclamation has forecasted 60,600 acre-feet (AF) of imports based on the snowpack of May 1, 2024; which will net 46,494 AF for allocation.

The current Fryingpan-Arkansas Project water imports as of July 2, 2024 are 60,512 AF which is near 100 percent of forecasted imports. On the graph below, the green line at the top is the forecasted imports in AF, the dark red line shows the cumulative imports as they are totalizing through Boustead Tunnel in AF (this line is progressing towards the green line). The blue line is the flow rate through Boustead Tunnel in cubic feet per second (CFS) with a max CFS through Boustead Tunnel at purple line.

Near one hundred (100) percent of the projected imports produces an allocation of 46,423 AF of Project water. The current imports have exceeded the initial release, the 2024 budgeted amount, and at the May 1, 2024 forecast. District staff will release additional Project Water to our stakeholders.

