

# United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, NUTRITION AND FORESTRY  
CONGRESSIONALLY DIRECTED SPENDING ITEM CERTIFICATION  
PURSUANT TO RULE XLIV  
OF THE STANDING RULES OF THE SENATE  
2007 FARM BILL

Name of the Senator requesting the congressionally directed spending item:

Jeff Bingaman

For the congressionally directed spending item, the name and location of the intended recipient or, if there is no specifically intended recipient, the intended location of the activity:

The area of the High Plains Aquifer in the states of Wyoming, South Dakota, Nebraska, Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, and New Mexico

Recipients:

Farmers and Ranchers located in the area of the High Plains Aquifer

The purpose of the congressionally directed spending item:

Promote water conservation and slow the depletion of the High Plains Aquifer

Pursuant to Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I certify that neither my immediate family nor I has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending item requested.

  
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Jeff Bingaman, United States Senator