NOW, THEREFORE, based on the mutual promises contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

Article I: Federal Reserved Water Rights for Zion National Park

A. To fulfill the purposes for which lands now comprising Zion National Park were reserved from the public domain, the United States has water rights for all federal lands within the present boundaries of Zion National Park that were reserved and withdrawn from settlement, occupancy, or disposal under the laws of the United States. This federal reserved water right originates and is defined in federal law. The aliquot part descriptions of these reserved lands are set forth in the applicable proclamations, executive orders, and legislation identified below and in Appendix A. The United States has a reserved right to all water underlying, originating within or flowing through Zion National Park, including perennial, intermittent, and ephemeral streams, springs, seeps, lakes, ponds, ground water, and other natural sources of water, pertaining or belonging to the reserved lands, that was unappropriated as of the dates of reservation of the lands now within the boundaries of the park, which waters are to remain in a free flowing condition, subject to present and future administrative uses necessary to fulfill reservation purposes. The date of priority for either in-stream or administrative uses of the United States' federal reserved water rights for Zion National Park will be the date on which the place of use was first reserved from the public domain.