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September 16, 2013

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Governor

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Executive Director

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Director

**Re: Williams Fork Mines (Permit No. C-1981-044)
Bond Release Application No. 3 (SL-3)**

Dear Mr. Davis:

We have received your application for bond release at the Williams Fork Mines. Our initial review indicates that all preliminary items required by Rule 3.03.2(1) have not been submitted. Thus, your application is incomplete for the purposes of filing as of September 16, 2013.

As per Rule 3.03.2, the Division must receive proof of publication for four successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the locality of the surface coal mining operations. Also, the Division must receive copies of the written notice of the permittee's intention to seek release from bond to adjoining property owners, surface owners, appropriate local government bodies, municipalities, regional planning commissions, boards of county commissioners, county planning agencies, sewage and water treatment authorities, and water conservancy and water conservation districts in the locality in which the surface coal mining operations took place.

In accordance with Rule 3.03.2(1)(d), you have the opportunity to amend, review, or otherwise make your application complete.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Zach T. Trujillo".

Zach T. Trujillo

Environmental Protection Specialist

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