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Division of Reclamation and Mine Safety
Department of Natural Resources
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

RE: Howard Pit #1 & #2, Permit No. M-1999-033

Dear Mr. Cazier,

The purpose of this letter is to provide land use comments pertaining to the Howard Pit #1 & #2, Permit Application No. M-1999-033. After reviewing the application, Colorado Parks and Wildlife (CPW), feels there will be little if any adverse affects provided measures be taken so as to not allow sediment and/or foreign substances from reaching Howard Creek which would adversely affect aquatic organisms, vegetation and water quality.

Should you have any questions, or need anything further please contact District Wildlife Manager Kim Woodruff at (719)-207-0638.

Sincerely,

James L. Aragon
Area Wildlife Manager

CC to: Area file, District Wildlife Manager Kim Woodruff, Regional Manager-Prenzlow

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