

# STATE OF COLORADO

## DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY

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Director

**Re: Bowie No. 2 Mine (Permit No. C-1996-083)**  
**Revision: TR-83**  
**Expand B Seam Material Storage Area**

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has received a revision for the Bowie No. 2 Mine. The revision was deemed complete on October 8, 2013. The decision due date is December 7, 2013.

Bowie Resources, LLC (BRL) has proposed to expand the material storage area located east of the B Seam portals. The proposed material storage area is currently used to temporarily store the material excavated from the B Seam portal faceup. BRL is proposing to permanently relocate 6,000 cubic yards of available B Portal backfill material and instead utilize it as cover material on Gob Pile #2. The relocation of the B Portal backfill material will result in the reclaimed ground surface being 1.9' lower than the original ground surface over the 4.5 acres of disturbance at the B portal.

This revision application is available for review at the Paonia Public Library, P.O. Box 969, 2 3rd Street, Paonia, CO 81428.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Susan L. Burgmaier".

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