

Public Notice

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, in accordance with Title 34, Article 33, of the Colorado Revised Statutes, hereby issues notice that on October 9, 2013, a minor revision application (MR-400) to the West Elk Mine, Permit No. C-1980-007, operated by Mountain Coal Company, LLC, P.O. Box 591, Somerset, CO 81434 was considered complete for the purposes of filing. The Mountain Coal Company, LLC has submitted a Minor Revision to the West Elk Mine's permit. The revision proposes to place approximately 400 linear feet of HDPE pipe into a cobble zone at the RPEE to help with drainage and stability. There is no proposed change to the mine's permit, affected or disturbed boundary with this revision. There will be no change in the mine's reclamation liability as a result of the changes proposed in this revision. All reviews and comment periods as provided in the Act and Regulations promulgated thereunder initiate from this date of filing.

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