# STATE OF COLORADO

#### DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY Department of Natural Resources

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October 21, 2013

William A. Bear Bowie Resources, LLC P.O. Box 483 Paonia, CO 81428



John W. Hickenlooper Governor

Mike King Executive Director

Loretta E. Pineda Director

### Re: Bowie No. 2 Mine (Permit No. C-1996-083) Proposed Decision - Technical Revision No. 82 (TR-82) Ownership and Control Changes

Dear Mr. Bear:

Enclosed you will find the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety's Proposed Decision for Technical Revision No. 82 at the Bowie No. 2 Mine. Notice of the proposed decision will be published in the *Delta County Independent* as soon as possible. The first publication will initiate the ten (10) day public comment period for the Division's decision.

Documentation must be submitted to the Division demonstrating that a copy of the approved revision application was sent to the Office of Surface Mining and the Bureau of Land Management. The material should be sent within 15 days of final approval.

Please refer to the <u>Performance Bond</u> heading on the enclosed proposed decision form. If the amount of Bond Held equals or exceeds the Revised Liability, you need not submit additional bond. However, if the Revised Liability exceeds the Bond Held, please submit additional bond or rider to your existing bond that equals or exceeds the Revised Liability. This Technical Revision must not be implemented until this proposed decision becomes final and until any required increase in bond is submitted to and approved by the Division.

If there are stipulations attached, please sign and return the proposed decision form to the Division.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

SusanlBrugmani

Susan L. Burgmaier Environmental Protection Specialist Susan.burgmaier@state.co.us

Enclosure

cc: Jeffrey W. Fleischman, Office of Surface Mining, with enclosures Jim Stover, J.E. Stover & Associates

C-TR-06



### **COAL MINING PERMIT - TECHNICAL REVISION DECISION**

Bowie No. 2 Mine, Bowie Resources, LLC Permit No. C-1996-083

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has proposed the decision stated below. Provided there are no objections, the decision will become effective upon the termination of the ten (10) day public comment period, in accordance with Rule 2.08.4(6)(b)(iii).

Technical Revision No. 82	Decision: Approve
Submittal Date: September 12, 2013	Decision Date: October 18, 2013
Description of Revision: Ownership and Control	Changes

## DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND PERMITTEE SAFETY

Sander Z. Burwon

Authorized Representative - Division		Authorized Re	Authorized Representative - Permittee (if applicable)			
Date: October 21, 20	13		Date:			
CHANGE IN ACREA	AGE	REVISED TOTAL	LACREAGE	PERFORMANCE BOND		
Disturbed:	0.00	Disturbed:	379.34	Prior Liability:	\$10,907,412.33	
Affected:	0.00	Affected:	5,787.10	Change in Liability:	\$0.00	
Permit:	0.00	Permit:	9,196.50	Revised Liability:	\$10,907,412.33	
State:	0.00	State:	0.00	Bond Held:	\$10,927,561.06	
Federal:	0.00	Federal:	3,831.60			
Private:	0.00	Private:	5,364.90			
REVISED APPLICATION PAGES		REVISI	ED MAPS			
Volume I: Pages 2.03-2, 2.03-20, and 2.03-23 through 2.03-34			.03-23 None	None		
DELETED APPLICATION PAGES		DELET	DELETED MAPS			
None			None			