# Revision





#### DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

## DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

John W. Hickenlooper Governor

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### Response to Reclamation Permit Conversion Application Consideration

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October 29, 2013

TO:

Tyler V. O'Donnell, Environmental Protection Specialist

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Division 2 Office; District 79 Water Commissioner

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Caleb Foy, E.I.T. CRF

DIVISION C MINING

RE:

WSG-Hribar Pit, File No. M-2009-027

Operator: The Walsenburg Sand and Gravel Company

Contact: Louis Vezzani, (719) 738-1883

Sec. 35, Twp. 26S, Rng. 67W, 6th P.M., Huerfano County

### **CONDITIONS FOR APPROVAL**

	The proposed operation does not anticipate exposing groundwater. Therefore, exposure of ground water must not occur during or after mining operations. If stormwater is contained on-site, it must infiltrate into the ground or be released to the natural stream system within 72 hours, or all work must cease until a substitute water supply plan, or augmentation plan approved by water court, is obtained. Reclamation plans must ensure water will not be retained onsite for more than 72 hours unless an augmentation plan approved by water court is obtained.
$\boxtimes$	The proposed operation will consume water by:   evaporation,   dust control,   reclamation,   water removed in the mined product,   processing,   other:
$\boxtimes$	Other: All water brought on site for mining needs shall be a legal supply of water provided by an appropriate supplier.

COMMENTS: The local Water Commissioner, David Diedrich, may be contacted at (719) 568-0489 or <a href="mailto:david.diedrich@state.co.us">david.diedrich@state.co.us</a> regarding legal supplies of water in the area.