

# STATE OF COLORADO

## DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY

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**Re: New Elk Mine (Permit No. C-1981-012)  
Permit Revision Application No. 4 (PR-4)  
Expand Permit boundary about one mile to the east.**

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety requests that you maintain the enclosed "Proposed Decision and Findings of Compliance" for the New Elk Mine (Permit No. C-1981-012), Permit Revision No. 4 on file for public review for sixty (60) days.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "L. Simmons".

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Enclosure

C-PR-13