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RE: M-1979-191, Follow up to inspection dated July 17, 2013

Dear Mr. Scott:

Please accept this letter as our response to the problems noted in your recent report.

- 1) Implement approved weed control plan and provide proof that this has been done by 1/31/14.

Photo attached. Weeds have been sprayed and will continue on an annual basis.

- 2) Permit amendment will need to be submitted within 6 months to change the post mining land use to accommodate the change to lined water storage, and to revise the permit boundary to incorporate all disturbances associated with mining activity. DRMS acknowledges that these disturbances appear to be shown and approved on the 1979 mining plan; therefore the Division will not pursue enforcement for area affected outside the permit at this time.

Please accept this letter as our request to extend this deadline to March 31, 2014. After numerous meetings, we are very close to having a reclamation plan that is acceptable to the property owners. Final approval for design will occur at the end of January. We will then need time to develop all of the Exhibits that will change for water storage and the consultant is asking for 2 months.

Please give me a call at (970) 227-4041 with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Julie Mikulas
Land Manager

