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Mr. Tom Kaldenbach

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RE: Limited Impact Operation (110(2) Reclamation Permit
Permit # M-2006-031

Dear Mr. Kaldenbach:

Mr. Philip Brueggeman dropped off today in our office today a reclamation permit application form to expand existing mining operations from 3.39 acres to 9 acres.

We have reviewed this application and recommend, that reclamation of the area be completed after the surface mining is complete.

We suggest replanting with native, high altitude grass seed after referring to the NRCS *Field Office Technical Guide* for Critical Area Planting. Using a non native, grass seed may not be effective at all. As you may be aware, altitude and precipitation in Teller and Park Counties is vastly different from that of other areas in Colorado.

Thank you,

Mary Menz

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