



COLORADO

**Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety**

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

November 24, 2014

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

**Re: Bowie No. 2 Mine (Permit No. C-1996-083)
 Minor Revision No. 165 (MR- 165)
 Section 5 Road**

Dear Mr. Bear:

Enclosed you will find the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety's Decision Form for Minor Revision No. 165 at the Bowie No. 2 Mine.

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 Performance Bond heading on the enclosed 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 Minor Revision must not be implemented until any required increase in bond is submitted to and approved by the Division.

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



If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,



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

Enclosure

cc: Alan Boehms, Office of Surface Mining, with enclosures
James Stover, J.E. Stover & Associates
Tammerin Stover-Bishop, J.E. Stover & Associates

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COAL MINING PERMIT - MINOR REVISION DECISION

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

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has issued the decision stated below. Any person who has an interest which is or may be adversely affected may request a formal hearing in accordance with Rule 2.08.4(6)(c)(iii).

Minor Revision No. 165

Decision: Approve with conditions

Submittal Date: November 10, 2014

Decision Date: November 21, 2014

Description of Revision: Section 5 Road

Stipulation(s) attached; Provide authorized signature and return the form to the Division

DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY PERMITTEE

Authorized Representative - Division
Date: November 24, 2014

Authorized Representative - Permittee (if applicable)
Date:

CHANGE IN ACREAGE		REVISED TOTAL ACREAGE		PERFORMANCE BOND	
Disturbed:	1.20	Disturbed:	405.58	Prior Liability:	\$11,451,946.43
Affected:	0.70	Affected:	7,148.84	Change in Liability:	\$7,693.09
Permit:	0.00	Permit:	10,986.70	Revised Liability:	\$11,459,639.52
State:	0.00	State:	0.00	Bond Held:	\$11,339,730.57
Federal:	0.00	Federal:	5,262.90		
Private:	0.00	Private:	5,723.80		
County:	0.00	County:	0.00		

REVISED APPLICATION PAGES

Volume I: page 2.05-49 and Section 3.02 MR-165
Reclamation Cost Estimate
Volume III: Coal Lease COC75916 Corrected
Stipulations

DELETED APPLICATION PAGES

None

REVISED MAPS

Volume II: Map 9

DELETED MAPS

None

Bowie No. 2 Mine (Permit No. C1996083) Minor Revision No. 165

Stipulations

45 - The Division will allow the construction of the portion of the Section 5 Road proposed under Minor Revision No. 165 within the Spruce Stomp lease area as a one time exception to existing Stipulation No. 38, to ensure the health and safety of mine personnel. Bowie Resources, LLC must submit the baseline vegetation information required under Rule 2.04.10 for lands within the Spruce Stomp lease area (COC-75916) no later than March 30, 2015. No further surface disturbance shall be permitted within the Spruce Stomp lease area until the Division has reviewed and approved the vegetation baseline data.