April 22, 2015

Fred Wilson Way Up High Mining Company, LLC 95 Nettle Creek Road Carbondale, CO 81623



1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: Digging the Blues Lode, File No. M-2015-009, Application Decision Date Extended

Dear Mr. Wilson:

The Division has determined that a site inspection is necessary prior to consideration of your application. The Division is concerned that blasting operations may pose a threat to public safety and/or the environment. Due to the significant snow cover at the site, an inspection will not be possible at this time. Therefore the decision date for your application has been extended. The new decision date is June 23, 2015.

The Division will continue review of your application to determine whether it is adequate to meet the requirements of the Mined Land Reclamation Act. We will contact you if additional information is needed.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office.

Sincerely,

Dustin Czapła

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