



## COLORADO

Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215  
Denver, CO 80203

April 26, 2015

Jay Jutten  
Lazy K-Bar Land & Cattle Company, LLLP  
70455 Buckhorn Road  
Montrose, CO 81403

RE: Approval of AR-02 and TR-02, Uncompahgre Pit, Permit No. M-2013-007

Dear Mr. Jutten:

On April 20, 2015, the Division completed its review of AR-02 and approved the acreage reduction request. Under AR-02, the permit area was reduced from 253.23 acres to 244.25 acres, representing a release of 8.98 acres of lands not affected by the operation.

On April 24, 2015, the Division completed its review of TR-02 and approved the technical revision. Under TR-02, the access road was realigned and the mining and reclamation plans were revised to allow the crest of the mesa to remain as a permanent feature and not to be removed during the final mining phase.

Additional details are provided in the Division's inspection report generated from the February 6, 2015, inspection of the Uncompahgre Pit.

Sincerely,

Wallace H. Erickson  
Environmental Protection Specialist

Enclosure: DRMS report and photos generated from the February 6, 2015 inspection

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