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PUEBLO WEST, CO 81007

RE: Eureka Saturday Night Project, File No. P-2015-001, NOI Application Adequacy Review

Date: February 8, 2015

To: CDRMS Dustin Czapl Environment Protection Specialist

TEMC response to your letter dated February 2, 2015 I have attached NOI Application page which addresses the two issues of concern.

Item 1: Section IV item 7A addresses the seed mixtures, plant name and PLS/acre.

Item 2: Section IV Item 7B addresses the removal of pit run and road base materials for seed bed preparation related to reclamation.

I have initialed each page which replaces original pages filed for Form 1 and Form 2.

I will send these pages to USFS and Lake County.

I am faxing these pages to you for now. Please advise if you want me to mail originals by snail mail.

My e-mail is jfine@comcast.net. My telephone number is 719-547-3838.

Thank you for bringing these items to my attention, I over looked addressing in original filing.

Best regards,



Jim Fine

Managing Member

February 2, 2015

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COLORADO
Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

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Dear Mr. Fine:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) is in the process of reviewing the above referenced application in order to ensure that it adequately satisfies the requirements of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Act (Act) and the associated Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Hard Rock, Metal, and Designated Mining Operations (Rules). During review of the material submitted, the Division determined that the following issue(s) of concern shall be adequately addressed before the application can be considered for approval.

1. Please provide the USFS approved seed mix in pounds live seed per acre for each plant species.
2. The reclamation plan states that the proposed access road will be returned to its preexisting condition. Will the pit run and road base material, used for construction of the proposed access road, be removed from the site during reclamation?

Please submit your response(s) to the above listed issue(s) within sixty days of the mailing date of this letter.

The Division will continue to review your application and 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 Czaplak

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Cc: Amy Titterington, USFS



(Form 1 – all information for DRMS use and confidential filing)

If necessary, seasonal reclamation will be monitored and corrected as needed with daily inspections during operations.

No recurring end of season reclamation is planned since the operation will be performed during summer season for a period not exceeding ten weeks. Shall complete reclamation to the standards described in 43 CFR 3809.1-3 (d) and implement reasonable measures to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation of land during operations.

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All work described in this POO should be completed before the end of the approved drilling season.

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A certified, noxious /weed-free seed mix designated and approved by USFS.

A. Provide plant name and seeding rate (PLS/acre)

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(Form 2 - (Public File))

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