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**Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety**

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

July 15, 2015

Western Slope Conservation Center
P.O. Box 1612
Paonia, CO 81428

Re: Bowie No. 2 Mine (Permit No. C-1996-083)
Revision: SL-1
Request for Partial Bond Release.

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has received an application for the above referenced permitting action for the Bowie No. 2 Mine. The application was deemed complete on July 15, 2015.

Bond Release No. 1 requests the partial bond release for 33 acres of Phase I; 49.4 acres of Phase I and II; and 1 acres including 185 drilled holes and two sealed mine shafts for Phase I, II, and III. SL-1 requests the release of \$1,500,000 of liability associated with disturbances approved for the Bowie No. 2 Mine.

Permit Revision (PR), Permit Renewal (RN), or Technical Revision (TR) application materials are available for review at the Paonia Public Library, 2 3rd Street, Paonia, CO 81428 and at the Division's Denver office. Minor Revision (MR) and Surety Release (SL) application materials are available for review at the Division's Denver office.

If you have any questions, please contact me.



Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jason D. Musick", written in a cursive style.

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