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Rifle Quarry

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Hello Amy,

This email is to communicate the BLM concurrence for the release of all but 1.65 acres of the Rifle Quarry M1985-038.

BLM staff were able to do a site visit of the quarry location on Nov. 19, 2015. BLM concurs that the rest of the permitted acreage appears to be undisturbed by mining activity and therefore acceptable for release. The 1.65 acres will need subsequent seeding/soil amendments and noxious weed control.

I have been unable to locate the DRMS approved reclamation plan for this location through the imaged documents nor through the operator. If you have access to a complete reclamation plan on file, please forward this document to me. Otherwise, the BLM intends to work with the operator to achieve BLM approved final reclamation standards.

In addition, BLM requests a joint site inspection for the final reclaim release, whenever that may be in the future.

Thank you and appreciate your commitment to our MOU.

Sincerely,

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