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**Division of Reclamation,  
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**Re: Roadside Portals (Permit No. C-1981-041)  
Technical Revision Application No. 68 (TR-68)**

To Whom It May Concern:

Please publish the attached legal notice in the *The Daily Sentinel*, one time, as soon as possible. For reimbursement, please send the invoice and proof of publication to Alysha H. Hernandez of our office at the above address. For questions or correspondence regarding the publication, please contact me.

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Enclosure

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## NOTICE OF PROPOSED DECISION

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety proposes to approve Technical Revision Application No. 68 (TR-68) for the Roadside Portals (Permit No. C-1981-041), submitted by Snowcap Coal Company, Inc. SCC is proposing to change the post-mining land use for former pond 8 from fish and wildlife habitat to commercial. The area is 0.5 acre in size and is adjacent to the agricultural commercial property Kokopelli Farm and Produce. The pre-mining land use of this area was commercial and it will be used to support the commercial agricultural business.

The Roadside Portals is a/an underground coal mine located in Mesa County, approximately 5 miles N of Palisade, Colorado. Coal interest is federal and private, and the surface affected is federal and private land. The permit area encompasses approximately 2,786.00 acres.

This proposed decision is based on a finding that the proposed operation will comply with all requirements of the Colorado Surface Coal Mining Reclamation Act, Section 34-33-101, *et seq.*, C.R.S., and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

Copies of the proposed decision, including stipulations, are on file for public inspection at the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Room 215, Centennial Building, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, Colorado 80203. Persons with an interest that may be adversely affected by the proposed decision may request a formal hearing before the Mined Land Reclamation Board on the proposed decision. Such request must be made within ten (10) days of the initial publication of this notice, must be in writing, and must state with reasonable specificity the reasons for the request and the objections to the proposed decision.