January 27, 2016

Sheila Moore ACA Products, Inc. 702 Gregg Drive Buena Vista, CO 81211



1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: Avery Construction Pit, Permit No. M-1979-010, 112c Amendment Application (AM-2) Adequacy Review

Dear Mrs. Moore:

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 Land Reclamation Act for the Extraction of Construction Materials (Act) and the associated Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for the Extraction of Construction Materials (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. The Exhibit F (Reclamation Plan Map) submitted shows a highwall graded to 3H:1V on the south side of the expansion area, adjacent to the existing pit. It is the Division's understanding that the expansion area will "daylight" into the existing pit. If this is the case, please show this on the Reclamation Plan Map.

Please submit your response(s) to the above listed issue(s) by Friday, February 12, 2016 in order to allow the Division sufficient time for review.

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 Czapla** 

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