

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

Febuary 26, 2016

John P. Ary Fremont Paving and Redi-Mix, Inc. P.O. Box 841 Cañon City, CO 81215

Re: Florence South Pit, DRMS File No. M-1988-093 Return to Active Status

Dear Mr. Ary:

On February 23, 2016, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received a letter from Environmental Alternatives, Inc (EAI) informing the Division that the Florence South Pit (File No. M-1988-093) resumed operations in August 2015. The Division accepts the request to terminate temporary cessation status for this site. The permit status is now Active.

Prior to resuming mining activities the Operator is advised to verify that the approved affected land boundary is adequately marked in the field to delineate such boundaries, as required by Rule 3.1.12(2). The Operator is also advised to verify that a Permit Sign required by Rule 3.1.12(1), is posted at the entrance of the mine site, the sign shall be clearly visible from the access road. It is also advised that the Operator review the approved Mining Plan and Reclamation Plan prior to conducting mining activities.

If you need additional information please contact me at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman St., Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at 303-866-3567, extension 8169.

Sincerely,

Timothy A. Cazier, P.E. Environmental Protection Specialist

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