



## COLORADO

Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215  
Denver, CO 80203

July 13, 2016

Bill Bear  
Bowie Resources, LLC  
P.O. Box 1488  
Paonia, CO 81428

RE: **Bowie Resources, LLC, Permit C-1996-083**  
**First Quarter 2016 Pond Inspection Report Review**  
**2016 Annual Certification Impoundment Report Review**

Dear Mr. Bear:

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (CDRMS) has reviewed and found the above referenced report to be in compliance with the following CDRMS regulation(s):

4.05.9(17) - Examined at least quarterly by a qualified person designated by the operator, for appearance of structural weakness and other hazardous conditions.

4.05.9(17) - A copy of the report shall be submitted to the Division on a quarterly basis.

The first quarter pond inspection report was received by the Division on April 15, 2016 via email. Pond inspections were conducted by J.E. Stover and Associates on March 21, 2016.

It is noted that no discharge was noted during the inspection and no maintenance items were noted in the report. The Division has no adequacy comments concerning this report.

In addition, the report submittal included the 2016 Annual Impoundment Certification Report. The Annual Impoundment Certification Report is in compliance with the following CDRMS regulation:

4.05.9(14)(a) - Inspections shall be made at least yearly until removal of the structure or release of the performance bond.

4.05.9(14)(b) - Provide to the Division a certified report that the impoundment has been constructed and/or maintained as designed, and in accordance with the approved plan and applicable regulations.

It is noted that no issues were noted and the pond inspections reflect observations noted by the Division.



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If you have any questions feel free to contact me. (303) 866-3567 ext 8134

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jason Musick", with a stylized, cursive script.

Jason Musick

Environmental Protection Specialist