

August 19, 2016

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Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

RE: North Bank resources, File No. M-2006-018, Technical Revision (TR-4) Adequacy Review

Dear Mr. Burkey:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) is in the process of reviewing the above referenced Technical Revision in order to ensure that it adequately satisfies the requirements of the Colorado Land Reclamation Act (Act) and the associated Mineral Rules and Regulations 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 Technical Revision can be considered for approval. Please provide the following:

1. Please clarify if you will still have two seed mixes (Riparian and upland). If so which mix will the Pawnee Buttes Native Alkali Mix replace? Or will only one mix be used site wide?

Please submit your response(s) to the above listed issue(s) by Monday, September 05, 2016 in order to allow the Division sufficient time for review. A decision due date of September 19, 2016 has been set.

The Division will continue to review your Technical Revision and will contact you if additional information is needed.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. Amy Yeldell at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman St., Room 215, Denver, CO 80203. Direct contact can be made by phone at 970-254-8511 or via email at amy.yeldell@state.co.us

Sincerely,

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