

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

August 25, 2016

Justin Spaeth OWL SWD Operating, LLC 4775 Larimer Pkwy, Suite 200 Johnstown, CO 80534

## Re: White River Pit, Acreage Reduction Approval, Permit No. M-2008-070, Revision No. AR-2

Dear Mr. Spaeth:

On August 25, 2016, the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety approved your request for release of a portion of the permit area from further reclamation responsibility.

The permit area was reduced to 20.77 acres, through the release of 171.06 acres in this permit action. Because the permit is not totally released, you are still liable for filing annual reports and fees.

If you need additional information, please contact me at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Grand Junction Field Office, 101 S. 3rd St., Suite 301, Grand Junction, Colorado 81501, telephone no. 970.241.2042.

Sincerely,

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Travis Marshall Environmental Protection Specialist

cc: Russ Means, DRMS

