

October 24, 2016

Cliff Henderson
Flying Triangle Ranch, LLC
785 22 Road
Grand Junction, CO 81505



COLORADO
Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

RE: Flying Triangle Ranch Pit, Permit No. M-2008-018, Temporary Cessation Request (TC-1), Approval

Dear Mr. Henderson:

The Mined Land Reclamation Board approved your Notice of Temporary Cessation in their September meeting. Therefore on October 24, 2016 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) accepted your notice for the initial period of Temporary Cessation (TC-1) for the Flying Triangle Ranch Pit. The period of Temporary Cessation (TC-1) will commence the first five year period which begin on March 4, 2014 and will last up to five years from that date, **ending March 4, 2019.**

Please be aware that you must continue to meet performance standards of Rule 3.1 in order to maintain the mine in a non-producing or non-development state. Additionally while in Temporary Cessation, the operator must continue to comply with the Rules and Act, including filing of annual reports and annual fees.

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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