



December 13, 2016

Jason D. Musick  
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Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety  
1313 Sherman St., Room 215  
Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: Bowie No. 1 Mine (Permit No. C-1981-038), Technical Revision No. 62 (TR-62) Sediment Pond  
Reclamation (HC #67175)

Dear Mr. Musick:

We received your correspondence dated November 7, 2016 on November 14, 2016 regarding the above referenced technical revision.

After review of the documentation provided including information received by our office on December 13, 2016 it is our opinion that the proposed activities will result in no historic properties affected pursuant to 36 CFR 800.4(d)(1).

Should unidentified archaeological resources be discovered in the course of the undertaking, work must be interrupted until the resources have been evaluated in terms of the National Register eligibility criteria (36 CFR 60.4) in consultation with our office pursuant to 36 CFR 800.13. Also, should the consulted-upon scope of the work change please contact our office for continued consultation under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

We request being involved in the consultation process with the local government, which as stipulated in 36 CFR 800.3 is required to be notified of the undertaking, and with other consulting parties. Additional information provided by the local government or consulting parties might cause our office to re-evaluate our eligibility and potential effect findings. Please note that our compliance letter does not end the 30-day review period provided to other consulting parties.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. If we may be of further assistance, please contact Mark Tobias, Intergovernmental Services Manager, at (303) 866-4674 or [mark.tobias@state.co.us](mailto:mark.tobias@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

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