

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

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, Colorado 80203

December 12, 2016

Paula Weeks Kit Carson County P.O. Box 160 Burlington, CO 80807

## Re: Acreage Reduction Approval; Heintges Pit; Permit No. M-1991-069; Revision No. AR-01

Dear Ms. Weeks:

On November 10, 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 6.7 acres, through the release of 3.2 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 or have any questions, please contact me at Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8132**, or by email at <u>elliott.russell@state.co.us</u>.

Sincerely,

Elliott R. Russell Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Wally Erickson; Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety