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## Comment Re: Proposed Decision to Withdraw Technical Revision No. 110 (TR-110) Bowie No. 2 Coal Mine (Permit No. C-1996-083)

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Director Brannon and Mr. Musick:

Attached please find comments from Citizens for a Healthy Community et al. on the proposed decision to withdraw Technical Revision No. 110 (TR-110) Bowie No. 2 Coal Mine (Permit No. C-1996-083), an application to install an unprecedented coal gasification plant within Bowie's permit area.

Thank you for your assistance on this issue.

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**Re: Comment Re: Proposed Decision to Withdraw Technical Revision No. 110 (TR-110)  
Bowie No. 2 Coal Mine (Permit No. C-1996-083) for Installation of Unprecedented  
Coal Gasification Plant within the Permit Area**

Dear Director Brannon:

The undersigned are writing to support the Division's Proposed Decision to withdraw Technical Revision No. 110 (TR110) for the Bowie No. 2 Mine (C1996083).

We believe there was no basis for the Division to approve the revision as proposed by Bowie Resources, LLC to construct a coal gasification facility on its Bowie No. 2 coal mine site. Bowie's proposal represented a potentially new and intrusive industrial development in Colorado's North Fork Valley. Further, the proposal was ill-defined and raised numerous troubling questions which, it appears, Bowie was unprepared to answer.

We appreciate the professionalism of your staff in keeping the public involved, in responding to questions, in carefully reviewing Bowie's proposal, and in preparing to hold a public meeting with concerned community members. We look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

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