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**Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety**

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

February 28, 2017

Mr. Steve Lindner
South Forty Recreation, LLC
759 Apache Dr.
Canon City, CO 81212

**Re: Canon City East Pit, Permit No. M-1977-559;
Acreage Reduction Comment, Revision No. AR-1**

Dear Mr. Lindner:

On February 24, 2017 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety received the enclosed comment from the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Cañon City Service Center requesting a commitment to continue working with the Fremont County Weed Board to control noxious weeds, including little whitetop and Russian olive. On behalf of the NRCS, the Division would appreciate a written commitment from you to continue the working relationship Valco currently has with the Fremont County Weed Board to control noxious weeds after the current Succession of Operator (SO) transfer is approved by the Division and you become the permittee for the Canon City East Pit.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 303-866-3567, ext. 8169.

Sincerely,

Timothy A. Cazier, P.E.
Environmental Protection Specialist

Enclosure

M-RV-01

