

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

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

May 8, 2017

Marcy Brossman Cheyenne County 51 S. 1st Street Cheyenne Wells, CO 80810

Re: Munsch Pit, Permit No. M-2000-018; Conversion (CN-01) Conditions Requiring New Notice to the Public

Dear Ms. Brossman:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received (via email) your proof of newspaper publication as required by Rule 1.6.2(1)(d) on May 8, 2017 for the conversion application. The Division identified an error in the comment period – only 10 days from the last publication. Pursuant to Rule 1.7.1(2)(a) the comment period ends 20 days after the last newspaper publication date. Pursuant to Rule 1.6.6, the Division considers this error a condition that requires new notice to the public.

The new notices will need to be published once a week for four consecutive weeks pursuant to Rule 1.6.2(1)(d). Also, pursuant to Rule 1.6.2(1)(e), you must serve a copy of this notice immediately after the first publication to:

- i. all Owners of Record of the surface and mineral rights of the affected land; and
- ii. the Owners of Record of all land surface within 200 feet of the boundary of the affected lands.

The Division recommends the new notice contain a brief explanation that the purpose of the new notice is to correct the comment period to 20 days. We further recommend Cheyenne County send us a copy of the notice as soon as practical after the first publication date so we may verify it is complete and correct.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at (303)866-3567 x8169.

Sincerely,

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

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