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Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

December 18, 2017

Bill Tezak
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**Re: Adequacy Review, Amendment (AM-01) Application
Red Jasper Granite, Permit No. M-1982-200**

Dear Mr. Tezak:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (Division) has reviewed the content of your 110c Construction Materials Reclamation Permit Amendment Application (AM-01) package for the Red Jasper Granite, Permit File No. M-1982-200, and submits the following comments **The Division is required to make an approval or denial decision no later than December 22, 2017; therefore, a response to the following adequacy review concerns should be submitted to the Division as soon as possible.** Please respond to this Adequacy Review with a letter summarizing each response, to the numbered items below, in a cover letter titled "Adequacy Review Response AM-01; M-1982-200".

The review consisted of comparing the application content with specific requirements of Rules 1, 3, 6.1, 6.2, and 6.3 of the Minerals Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for the Extraction of Construction Materials. Any inadequacies are identified under the respective exhibit.

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1. As required by Rule 1.6.2(1)(d) and 1.6.5(2), submit proof of publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the locality of the proposed mining operation.
2. As required by Rule 1.6.2(1)(e), submit proof of the notice to all owners of record of surface and mineral rights of the affected land and the owners of record of all land surface within 200 feet of the boundary of the affected land. Proof of notice may be return receipts of a Certified Mailing or by proof of personal service.
3. The Division received comment from History Colorado. The letter is attached for review. Please acknowledge the letter, address any comments within the letter, and make changes to the application, if necessary.

This concludes the Division's adequacy review of AM-01. This letter shall not be interpreted to mean that there are no other technical deficiencies in AM-01, as other issues may arise when additional information is supplied. Be advised that the 110c Construction Materials Reclamation Permit Amendment Application for the Red Jasper Granite operation may be deemed inadequate, and the application may be



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denied on December 22, 2017, unless the above mentioned adequacy review items are addressed to the satisfaction of the Division. **If more time is needed to complete the reply, the Division can grant an extension to the decision date. This will be done upon receipt of a written waiver of the Applicant's right to a decision by December 22, 2017 and the request for a specific amount of additional time. This must be received no later than the deadline date.**

If you 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 elliott.russell@state.co.us.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure: History Colorado Comment Letter AM01 M1982200

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