



## COLORADO

Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety

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

December 21, 2017

Justin Bilyeu  
Shale Tech International Services LLC  
1354 County Road 246  
Rifle, CO 81650

**RE: Notice of Incorrect Annual Fee Invoicing, W-9 Request for Refund  
Duck Creek Mine, Permit No. M-2013-022**

Dear Justin Bilyeu,

As previously discussed, it has come to the attention of the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) that the assigned annual fee for the Duck Creek Mine, Permit No. M-2013-022, is incorrect. Pursuant to C.R.S 34-32-127(2)(a)(IV)(B), the annual fee for a 110(2) operation is \$259.00, however, the Division has been incorrectly invoicing you an annual fee of \$518.00 for three years. The Division sincerely apologizes for this inconvenience and in order to correct the situation, is refunding you the excess which has been paid to date.

For the Division to process your refund of \$777.00, please complete and return the enclosed W-9 for Shale Tech International Services LLC no later than **January 31, 2018**. Your refund will be mailed to the address provided on your completed W-9.

You may return the W-9 by fax to (303) 832-8106 or email to [barbara.coria@state.co.us](mailto:barbara.coria@state.co.us) or by US Mail to State of Colorado, Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street Room 215, Attn: Barbara Coria, Denver, CO 80203. Please include a copy of this letter with the W-9.

The error has been fixed and the annual fee assigned to your 110(2) permit is now set at \$259.00 in accordance with C.R.S 34-32-127(2)(a)(IV)(B).

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact the Division at 303-866-3567.

Sincerely,

Tony Waldron  
Minerals Program Supervisor

Enclosure: W-9

Cc: Russ Means, Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety  
Travis Marshall, Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety

