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January 29, 2018

Mr. Elliott Russell Environmental Protection Specialist Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: Technical Revision (TR-05) Adequacy Review Response, Pueblo East Pit, Permit File No. M-2000-041

Mr. Russell,

In response to your letter dated January 24th, 2018, Fremont Paving and Redi Mix intends to remove all exposed rebar from aged concrete used for backfill material. This will reduce potential oxidation. I have also attached a signed affidavit ensuring that all materials imported to the site for backfilling will be clean and inert.

If you need further information or clarification, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jodi Schreiber Chief of Operations 719-275-3264 719-429-9001 jodi@arycorp.com

AFFIDAVIT

Fremont Paving and Redi Mix hereby certifies that the material to be imported to the Pueblo East Pit (M-2000-041) is clean and inert and adheres to all requirements of Rule 1.1(20).

____ Signature: Name: Jodi Schreiber Title: Chief of Operations