

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 8

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Ref: 8WP-SUI

Kirk Daehling Natural Soda LLC 3200 RBC 31 Rifle, Colorado 81650

Re: Authorization to Inject, Well 8H-RI, CO30358-11409, Rio Blanco County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Daehling:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 8 has received your request for authorization to commence injection. All required information has been submitted, and has been reviewed and approved by the EPA. Therefore, effective upon your receipt of this letter, administrative approval hereby is granted for injection under the conditions of your Underground Injection Control (UIC) Permit.

As of this approval, responsibility for permit compliance and enforcement is transferred to the Region 8 UIC Technical Enforcement Program office. Please direct all future notification, reporting, monitoring and compliance correspondence to the following address, referencing your UIC Permit number and well name:

UIC Technical Enforcement Program
US EPA Region 8 (Mail Code: 8ENF-W-SDW)
1595 Wynkoop Street
Denver, Colorado 80202-1129

If you have questions or concerns, please contact Wendy Cheung of my staff at (303) 312-6242. For questions regarding notification, testing, monitoring, reporting or other Permit requirements, please contact Gary Wang of the UIC Technical Enforcement Program at (303) 312-6469.

Sincerely,

Darcy O'Connor

Assistant Regional Administrator

Office of Water Protection

cc: Paul Daggett, BLM
Travis Marshall, DMRS
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