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Stagecoach Stop Pit, File No. M-1983-067-SL01

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Good Afternoon Jared,

Attached is the SEO comment letter on the full reclamation responsibility release request for the permitted area of the Stagecoach Stop Pit, Permit No. M-1983-067.

Best Regards,

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Response to Reclamation Permit Release Request Consideration

DATE: March 12, 2018
TO: Jared L. Ebert, Environmental Protection Specialist
CC: Division 1 Office, District 2 Water Commissioner
FROM: Ioana Comaniciu, P.E.
RE: Stagecoach Stop Pit, File No. M-1983-067-SL01
Operator: Albert Frei and Sons Inc., (303) 289-2865
Sections 26 and 35, Twp. 1 South, Rng. 67 West, 6th P.M., Adams County

COMMENTS:

Albert Frei and Sons Inc. ("AFS") has submitted a request for full reclamation responsibility release for the permitted area of the Stagecoach Stop Pit, Permit No. M-1983-067. The Stagecoach Stop Pit is primarily located in the SW1/2 of the SW1/4 of Section 26 and the W1/2 of the NW1/4 of Section 35, all in Township 1 South, Range 67 West of the 6th P.M., and contains one lined pond, designated as Stagecoach Stop Reservoir (WDID 0203014). The northern portion of the reservoir's slurry wall encroaches onto the Worthing Pit (DRMS M-1977-526) which is also owned and operated by AFS. The slurry wall was provisional approved on August 7, 2012 while active mining continued to occur within the liner boundary. The final liner for the reservoir was approved by the State Engineer's Office on August 4, 2015.

The State Engineer's Office has no objection to the request for the full reclamation responsibility release for the Stagecoach Pit. Water shall not be impounded in the reservoirs except pursuant to lawful diversions allowed by statute or decree. At all other times, all inflow of water into the reservoirs from any source, including precipitation and ground water inflows, shall be removed by the applicant. The applicant may contact the State Engineer's Office with any questions.

