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DIVISION OF RECLAMATION
MINING AND SAFETY

April 4, 2018

Michael A. Cunningham
Colorado Division of Reclamation Mining and Safety
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

RE: Empire Pit
Reclamation Permit No. M-1977-534

Dear Mr. Cunningham,

Golden has reviewed the Division's Adequacy Review No. 2 for Technical Revision 03 (TR03) for the Empire Pit and makes the following responses:

1. Golden will provide a signed affidavit certifying the imported soil is clean and inert per Rule 3.1.5(9)(c).
2. Golden will provide the Division with a minimum of two weeks written notice prior to conducting excavation activities. Excavation will not occur until a soil source has been identified, approved by the Division and imported to the site.
3. The excavation areas will mulched with a weed-free hay mulch at a rate of 2 tons per acre.

Please contact me at abeierle@cityofgolden.net or 303-384-8153 if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Anne Beierle, Deputy Director
Public Works Department