



COLORADO
Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

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Jodi Schreiber
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RE: Stonewall #1; DRMS File No. M-2013-053; Adequacy Review No. 1 (TR01)

Dear Ms. Schreiber,

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received Technical Revision No. 1 for the Stonewall #1 operation on April 23, 2018. The decision date for this Technical Revision is May 23, 2018. The Division has reviewed the Technical Revision Application and has the following comments:

1. The proposed Weed Control Plan specifies Milestone herbicide will be applied to common mullein which is present at the mine site. Milestone must be applied to the common mullein while it is still in the rosette stage and the application should occur in either the spring or fall before the plant bolts. Plants which are allowed to bolt and produce flowers are capable of generating 100,000 to 250,000 seeds per plant. Please revise the Weed Control Plan to include the timing of herbicide application and specify that herbicide will be applied to the common mullein plants while still in the rosette stage. In addition, the Weed Control Plan should contain a provision for removing plants which have flowered. The Division recommends bagging any plants with flowers to prevent the spread of seeds throughout the site.

This concludes the Division's preliminary adequacy review of this Technical Revision. Please remember the decision date for this Technical Revision is May 23, 2018. If you are unable to provide satisfactory responses to any inadequacies prior to this date, it will be your responsibility to request an extension of time to allow for continued review of this Technical Revision. If there are still unresolved issues when the decision date arrives and no extension has been requested, the Technical Revision will be denied.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (303)866-3567 x8116.

Sincerely,

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Environmental Protection Specialist

CC: Wally Erickson, DRMS

