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P.O. Box 3609

Mr. Jason Burkey



COLORADO Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

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Oldcastle SW Group, Inc. dba United Companies of Mesa County

RE: 19 Road Pit, Permit No. M-2002-110, Surety Release Request (SL-01), Denial

Dear Mr. Burkey:

On April 13, 2018 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received a request for release of reclamation responsibility for the above referenced site. Division staff inspected the site on May 15, 2018 and has considered your request. The Division found that reclamation had not been accomplished at this site and denied this request. Please review the attached inspection report for the specific reasons for the surety release denial.

Sincerely,

Amy Geldell

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