

August 31, 2018

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

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

RE: Blue Mesa Project, NOI File # P-2018-009, Approval of Hard Rock Prospecting Operation

Mr. Hubbard:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) has approved the above noted *Notice of Intent to Conduct Prospecting Operations* application.

The financial warranty, Lexon Insurance Company bond # 1159153 in the amount of \$18,658.58, has been accepted by the Division. You are hereby authorized to proceed with the prospecting operation.

Please note that a final abandonment report is due within sixty (60) days after the completion of the abandonment of any drill hole which has artesian flow at the surface, or no later than twelve (12) months after the completion of the abandonment of any other drill holes.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office.

Sincerely,

A blue ink handwritten signature, appearing to read 'Dustin Czapla', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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