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Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

October 29, 2018

Mark Mayer
Precision Drilling & Blasting, Inc.
PO Box 189
Alma, CO 80420

Re: Notice of Deficiencies #2, Pensaukee Lode, File No. P-2018-015

Dear Mr. Mayer:

On October 11, 2018, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your responses to the Division's August 30, 2018 Notice of Filing Deficiencies regarding the Notice of Intent to Conduct Prospecting Operations (NOI) application for the Pensaukee Lode, File No. M-2018-015. The Division's review indicates the NOI application still contains deficiencies which need to be addressed before the Division can approve the NOI application. Please title your response with "Response to Notice of Deficiencies #2, P-2018-015". You can respond to each item by the respective number below.

1. In response to Deficiency Item #8, the Prospector submitted a copy of a notice with a receipt sticker from the Park County Clerk as proof that notice was provided to the Board of County Commissioners. It appears this document was recorded, which does not demonstrate notice was given to the Board of County Commissioners. Please provide proof of notice in the form of either (1) a copy of the notice sent via certified mail and the certified mail return receipt also known as the "green card", (2) a date-stamped copy of the notice demonstrating receipt by the Board of County Commissioners, or (3) appropriate written correspondence from the Board of County Commissioners acknowledging the NOI.
2. In accordance with Rule 4.2.6(1), the Division has calculated the reclamation cost estimate to determine the required financial warranty for the NOI. The Division has determined the amount of required financial warranty for the proposed prospecting activities is \$9,650.00 (rounded up from \$9,643.90). A copy of the reclamation cost estimate is enclosed for the Prospector's review. Please select a type of financial warranty and submit the required financial warranty to the Division; there are various financial warranty forms available on the Division's website.

This concludes the Division's review of this NOI application. This letter shall not be interpreted to mean that there are no other technical deficiencies in the NOI application as other issues may arise when additional information is supplied. **Be advised that if these items have not been addressed within 60 days of the date of this letter, due on or before December 28, 2018, the Division may terminate the NOI application.**



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If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me at Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8132**, or by email at elliott.russell@state.co.us.

Sincerely,



Elliott R. Russell
Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Michael Cunningham with Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety