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Zephyr Mineral Modification of Claim, Section 13

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Colorado Division of Natural Resources
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Dear Mr. Cazier,

I am writing in regards to Zephyr Minerals' Application for Modification of Claim on Section 13 in Canon City (Fremont County), Colorado. As a resident of Canon City, and a frequent user of the trails in Section 13, I strongly encourage you to reject Zephyr Mineral's request to modify their current claim to encompass Section 13 land that contains parts of a valuable trail system. The trails in the Section 13 area are one of Canon City's greatest outdoor recreation assets. The effects of Zephyr's exploration and mining activities, which could include the disturbance of land and wildlife; light, noise, and water pollution; increased traffic; and roads bisecting trail systems, would greatly degrade the value of these precious trails. I ask you to protect Section 13 and the value it provides our community by denying the Zephyr Mineral application. Should the application be approved, at the very least I would urge you to consider including regulations prohibiting any new roads that are built as a result of Zephyr Mineral exploration and extraction from coming closer than 200 feet to any existing recreational trail.

Sincerely,
Sarah Hamilton
Canon City, CO