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That the annexed legal notice or advertisement was published in the regular and entire issues of every number of said weekly newspapers for the period of 1 consecutive insertions; and that the first publication of said notice was in the issue of the newspaper dated January 3 A.D., 2019, and that the last publication of said notice was in the issue of said newspaper dated January 3 A.D., 2019

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

this 14 day of Jan, A.D., 2019

Mary Culver

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of Montrose, State of Colorado

this 14 day of Jan, A.D., 2019

Roger Culver

(Notary Public)

My Commission Expires 03.04.2021

PUBLIC NOTICE

Elk Ridge Mining and Reclamation, LLC, P.O. Box 628, Nucla, CO 81424 has filed with the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety an application for Technical Revision 19 (TR-19) to the New Horizon North Mine, Permit No. C-2010-089. TR-19 updates the as-built for Pond NHN-001 and NHN-002 to reflect downsizing and reconstruction of both structures.

The New Horizon North Mine office is located at 27646 West 5th Street, P.O. Box 628, Nucla, Colorado. The permit area contains tracts of land located in Section 25 and Section 36, Township 47 North, Range 16 West of the New Mexico Principal Meridian, Montrose County, Colorado being more particularly described as follows:

A portion of the West ½ of Section 25, Township 47 North, Range 16 West of the New Mexico Principal Meridian, containing 230.09 acres, more or less. Additionally, within Section 36, Township 47 North, Range 16 West of the New Mexico Principal Meridian, a road corridor of 1.08 acres, an area of 1.30 acres encompassing the discharge flume of Pond 001, and an area of 2.31 acres encompassing a portion of the New Horizon Mine 1 Pond 001. In total, the New Horizon North permit boundary contains 234.78 acres, more or less. The above mentioned tracts of land are located on USGS 7.5 minute Nucla Quadrangle map.

A copy of the complete technical revision application is available for public inspection at the Montrose County Courthouse Annex, Nucla, Colorado. Written comments or objections to the application may be submitted to the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Room 215, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, Colorado 80203, Telephone (303) 866-3567. Written comments and objections must be received by the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety within 10 days after the last publication of this notice.

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