

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

February 19, 2019

Keith McFarland McFarland Enterprises, Inc. P.O. Box 617 1810 Mineral Street Silverton, CO 81433

RE: Hobo 2, File No.M-2017-044, Decision Date Extension Request Approval

Dear Mr. McFarland,

On February 15, 2019 the Division received your response to the Adequacy Review dated December 10, 2018. Included with that response was an extension request to the decision date for the above listed application. Pursuant to Rule 1.4.1(9) the request was to extend the decision date by 365 days from the date of filing to address the legal right entry as outlined in item 7 A, B and C.

This letter is to inform you that the Division has **approved** your extension request. The new decision date for your Hard Rock/ Metal Mining Limited Impact Operation Application is **Monday November 18, 2019**. Please note that the items submitted as response Adequacy Review will be reviewed and any further adequacy questions will be sent under a separate cover. If you have any questions, comments or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office, by phone at (970) 243-6368 or by email at lucas.west@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Lucas West

Environmental Protection Specialist Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Ec: Ken Shaef, ITC Resources

