

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

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

February 25, 2019

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

RE: Hobo 2, File No. M-2017-044, Hard Rock/ Metal Mining Limited Impact 110(1) 2nd Application Adequacy Review

Dear Mr. McFarland:

On February 15, 2019 the Division received your response to the previous Adequacy Review dated December 10, 2018 and request for a 365 day extension to the decision date. The decision date extension request was approved and recorded in the permit file.

The Division understands that the request for the 365 day decision date extension was to allow the issue of the surface right access agreement to be resolved and that the pending approval of the agreement could affect the outcome of several adequacy items. Once a resolution of the surface access agreement is reached the following items will need to be addressed as outlined in the December 10, 2018 Adequacy Review.

- 1. Item 2, Exhibit B Site Description
- 2. Item 3, Exhibit C Mine Plan
- 3. Item 6, Exhibit F List of other Permits and Licenses Required
- 4. Item 7, Exhibit G Source of Legal Right to Enter
- 5. Item 8, Exhibit L Permanent Man-made Structures

During review of the material submitted however, the Division determined that the following issue(s) of concern shall be adequately addressed before the application can be considered for approval.

1. Exhibit E – Maps- For all maps submitted, the required information was included to the appropriate extent however none of the maps were signed or dated. Please submit an all new set of maps that have all been signed and dated pursuant to Rule 6.2.1(2)(b).



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2. Exhibit I – Proof of Filing with the County Clerk and Recorder – Pursuant to Rule 6.3.9 each time you submit responses to an adequacy review those documents must be filed with the County Clerk and Recorder so that a complete copy of the permit application is available for public review. Please provide proof that the Adequacy Response documents submitted to the Division on February 15, 2019 were also placed with the San Juan County Clerk and Recorder.

Please note that Pursuant to Rule 1.6.2 (1)(g) proof of mailing the notices to all owners of record, both surface and mineral, within 200 feet of the affected lands, and the proof of publication must be received prior to the office rendering a decision.

Please submit your responses to the above listed issues as soon as they are available or by Monday, November 04, 2019 in order to allow the Division sufficient time for review. The Division will continue to review your application and will contact you if additional information is needed. If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office.

Sincerely,

Lucas West Environmental Protection Specialist Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Ec: Ken Schaaf, ITC Resources Dave Lazorchak, BLM

