



Teller County Community Development Services

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SUBJECT: Planning Review: Re. No Impact Technical Revision (Appendix A - 8.B) of Cripple Creek and Victor Gold Mining (CCV) Permit No. M-1980-244; Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company; Cresson Project; - TR #114 – Silo Relocation

Dear Mr. Raglin and Ms. Dehlin:

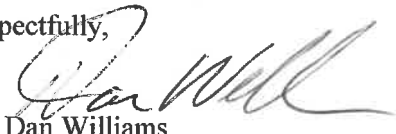
The Teller County Planning Department has completed its review of the Newmont Mining Corporation's (CC&V) Technical Revision TR # 114 – Silo Relocation.

1. Teller County understands that the Newmont Mining Corporation – CC&V is proposing to relocating its existing silo from the High Grade Mill site (HGM) to the Squaw Gulch Overburden Storage Area (SGOSA).
2. The project and the movement of the silo are designed to increase overall operational efficiency by allowing either lime or cement to be added to the ore *prior* to its placement on the Valley Leach Facilities.
3. It has been presented that all aspects of TR #103 will remain in compliance with TR#114. TR #103 outlines the procedures and placement of all ore in the Squaw Gulch Field Facility (VLF2). DRMS directed the submittal of TR #103 as corrective action for a possible violation discovered during a site inspection in February 2018. Teller County concurred with TR #103 on the condition that we be informed if any DRMS required clarifications are required or if the procedures and guidelines contained the attachment A to that TR are approved.
4. Further, during a quarterly update presented by you and your staff to us on 4/24/2019 in CDSD offices, we discussed lighting on the silo and on the two new power poles. You indicated the lights would be downcast and fully shielded and would face towards the mine property and not outward to adjacent property owner. Additionally, you provided an update with regards to TR #103 via email on April 29, 2019 regarding CC&V's continued commitment to compliance with that Technical Revision.

5. Pursuant to Section 3, Mining Development Plan (MDP), Section B.3, Appendix A, CCMOD, Teller County considers the above described process to be an '**additional zoning permitted use**'. Further pursuant to Section 2.G, Dimensional Limitations, power poles and silos directly related to mining activities are specifically exempted from the 50' height restriction even if visible from outside the CCMOD which you have indicated they are not.
6. Finally, all criteria contained in Section 8 of Appendix A, CCMOD, are met and from the information presented there are no impacts to Teller County.
7. Teller County concurs with TR # 114 as written.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (719) 686-5414 or email williamsd@co.teller.co.us.

Respectfully,



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The Teller County Planning Official

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