



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 #113 – Leach Study Cell – TR # 113

Dear Mr. Raglin and Ms. Dehlin:

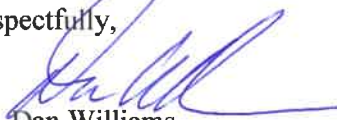
The Teller County Planning Department has completed its review of the Newmont Mining Corporation's (CC&V) Technical Revision TR # 113 – Leach Study Cell

1. Teller County understands that the Newmont Mining Corporation – CC&V is proposing the construction and use of a leach cell located on the Arequa Gulch Valley Leach Facility (AGVLF). The intent of the proposal is to use a portion of the Phase 3 AGVLF for a leach cell to pilot gold recovery studies to increased recovery.
2. It is further understood that as of February 2019, approximately 45 million tons of total permitted capacity remains on the AGVLF. It is expected that approximately 36, 000 tons of ore will be placed on the cell (less than .008% of capacity)
3. The cell will be stacked to a maximum height of 35 feet which will keep it under the maximum height authorized under Amendment 11 of 10,400 feet.
4. It is our understanding that stacking will begin as soon as Teller County and DRMS approve the request.
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'. All criteria contained in Section 8 of Appendix A, CCMOD, are met and from the information presented there are no impacts to Teller County.

6. Teller County concurs with TR # 113 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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