

Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

July 25, 2019

Moffat County Commissioners 221 W. Victory Way Craig, CO 81625

Re: **Trapper Mine (Permit No. C-1981-010) Bond Release Application No. 18 (SL-18)**

Dear Moffat County Commissioners:

This letter, as required by Rule 3.03.2(5)(a) of the Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Coal Mining, is to inform you that the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has issued a proposed decision to approve Bond Release Application No. 18 for the Trapper Mine. This decision will be published in the Craig Daily Press as soon as possible. Publication of the notice initiates a thirty (30) day public comment period. If, within thirty days, there are no requests for an adjudicatory hearing, the decision will become final.

Phase I bond release of 175.3 acres of disturbance As an interested party, you have the right to an adjudicatory hearing as outlined under Rule 3.03.2(6) of the Rules and Regulations. The request for an adjudicatory hearing must be written and state with specificity the reasons why the hearing is requested. The request must be received within thirty days of the first publication of the proposed decision in the Craig Daily Press.

Copies of the proposed decision and findings are available for review at the Division office at the above address and on the Division's website at http://mining.state.co.us/Reports/MiningData/Pages/ImagedDocumentData.aspx. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact me.



Sincerely,

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