

August 14, 2019

Hubard Trucking
William Hubbard
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COLORADO
Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
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RE: Blue Mesa Project, NOI # P-2018-009, Surety Release Request (SL-01), Approval

Dear Mr. Hubbard:

On July 29, 2019 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your request for release of reclamation responsibility for the above referenced site. Division staff inspected the site on August 13, 2019 and determined that the Operator has successfully complied with the requirements of the Act, Rules and Regulations, and the approved Reclamation Plan, and that the site is ready to be released from any further reclamation responsibility. The Division approved the full surety release, SL-01, for NOI # P-2018-009.

According to Rule 1.4.11(1)(b), the Division must wait 30 days from the date of this letter, before releasing the financial warranty, in order to address any comments or objections to this decision. If you have not received the financial and performance warranties by September 24, 2019, please contact Gabriel Benvenuti at (303) 866-3567, ext. 8148.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office.

Sincerely,

Dustin Czapla

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Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
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Cc: Barney Buria, BLM

