



## **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; Mine Development Plan (MDP); Technical Revision TR #117– Squaw Gulch Valley Leach Facility Phase 2A Part 1 Record of Construction Report**

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 # 117 – Squaw Gulch Valley Leach Facility Phase 2A Part 1 Record of Construction Report.

1. Teller County understands that the Newmont Mining Corporation – CC&V is providing the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (DRMS) Technical Revision #117 which requests approval of the Squaw Gulch Valley Leach Facility Phase 2A Part 1 Record of Construction Report.
2. Phase 2A consists of VLF2 sub-phases 2A-1 and 2A-3.
3. Once DRMS concurs with the report, Newmont Mining Corporation-CC&V intends to begin leaching operations in the certified areas of VLF2 Phase 2A.
4. It is further understood that TR# 117 and the outlined Record of Construction report were authorized as a part of Amendment 10 to Permit No. M-1989-244. Additionally, the report includes both Quality Control and Construction Quality Assurance services for the construction which occurred between April 2019 through July 2019.
5. Finally, the financial warranty for the construction of VLF 2 has been accounted for through previous permit amendment approvals.

**6. All of the standards required for a Technical Revision have been met:**

- a. There is no increase in the affected acreage of a Mined Land Reclamation Permit issued by the State of Colorado and, as applicable is consistent with the previous level of disturbance.
- b. The change remains within the affected Mined Land Reclamation Permit boundary.
- c. There is no material change in the approved Mined Land Reclamation Permit, nor any change in the approved post-precious metal mining use.
- d. There are no material additional demands on Teller County services or infrastructure.
- e. The change has no impact on adjoining land uses.
- f. The activity does not impact the Standards of Section 7 Mining Development Plan Standards.
- g. The terms and conditions attached to any approved MDP, if any, are not affected.
- h. The activity itself, if not its particulars, is part of the approved MDP.

**7. Teller County concurs with TR # 117 as written.**

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

Respectfully,



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