



September 3, 2019

Keith McFarland
McFarland Enterprises, Inc.
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1810 Mineral Street
Silverton, CO 81433

RE: Hobo 2, File No.M-2017-044, Request to Rebuild Approval

Dear Mr. McFarland,

On August 29, 2019 the Division received your request to rebuild the portal enclosure at the Hobo 2 site in order to mitigate the public safety hazard. The request specifies that the new enclosure will be the same as the previously constructed enclosure. This letter is to inform you that the Division has **approved** your request. When construction is completed please provide photo documentation as well as a brief narrative of the construction activity to the Division.

Please also note that the extended decision date for your application is **Monday November 18, 2019**. All required items and information must be submitted prior to that date to allow sufficient time for review and decision. If you have any questions, comments or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office, by phone at (970) 243-6368 or by email at lucas.west@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Lucas West
Environmental Protection Specialist
Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Ec: Ken Shaef, ITC Resources

