

September 26, 2019

Tom Brubaker VALCO, Inc. 9121 Sunshine Meadow Pl Parker, CO 80134

Re: Rocky Ford East Pit, Permit No. M-1977-560, Approval of Technical Revision No. 3 (TR-3)

Mr. Brubaker:

On September 26, 2019, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) approved your Technical Revision application (TR-3) submitted to the Division on May 29, 2019, addressing the following:

Update the reclamation plan and reclamation plan map to reflect backfilling of existing lakes.

The terms of the Technical Revision No. 3 approved by the Division are hereby incorporated into Permit No. M-1977-560. All other conditions and requirements of Permit No. M-1977-560 remain in full force and effect.

The revised bond amount for this site is \$795,478.00, which is \$601,800.00 more than the currently held bond of \$193,678.00. You will receive a separate notice of surety increase for this amount, at which time, you will have 60 days to post the additional required bond.

If you have any questions, you may contact me by telephone at 303-866-3567, ext. 8129, or by email at <u>amy.eschberger@state.co.us</u>.

Sincerely,

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Amy Eschberger Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Michael Cunningham, DRMS

