

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

January 3, 2020

Doug Cook H-2 Enterprises, LLC 4626 Weld County Road 65 Keenesburg, CO 80643

Re: H-2 Enterprises, LLC; Lord Reservoir; File No. M-2019-056; Second Incomplete Submittal of a Construction Materials Special Operation 111(1)(b) Reclamation Permit Application

Mr. Cook:

On December 23, 2019, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division/DRMS) received the Construction Materials Special Operation 111(1)(b) Reclamation Permit Application incompleteness response package for the Lord Reservoir site, File No. M-2019-056. Review of the information received determined the following items must be received before the Division can consider the application as being submitted and technical review can begin:

6.3.5 Exhibit E - Map

- 1. Rule 6.2.1(2)(d) requires maps identify and outline the area which corresponds with the application. The Applicant indicated the permitted acreage as 20 acres on the application form. The revised Exhibit E map indicates a 4 acre permit boundary. Based on discussions with the Applicant, the acreage amount listed on the application page is inaccurate. Please submit a revised permit application indicating 4 permitted acres.
- 2. Please revise the updated Mining Plan map to indicate the direction that construction material extraction will proceed pursuant to Rule 6.3.5.
- 3. Please provide a revised Reclamation Plan map based on the updated Mining Plan map showing the gradient of all reclaimed slopes (horizontal: vertical) sufficient to describe the post mine topography pursuant to Rule 6.3.5.
- 4. Please provide a revised Reclamation Plan map based on the updated Mining Plan map indicating the average thickness of replaced topsoil by reclamation area or phase pursuant to Rule 6.3.5.



6.3.9 Exhibit R - Proof of Filing with County Clerk and Recorder

5. Please provide an affidavit or receipt indicating the date on which the revised application information required to address this incompleteness letter was placed with the Weld County Clerk and Recorder for public review, pursuant to Rule 1.6.2(1)(c).

The application will not be considered submitted until the information listed above is received and found sufficient to begin our review. A decision date will be established fifteen (15) days from the date of receipt of all of the requested information.

You have sixty (60) days from the date of this letter to submit all necessary documents the Office needs for the application to be considered filed. If, at the end of the sixty day period, the application has not been determined to be filed with the Office, the Office shall deny the application and terminate the application file.

The response due date is March 3, 2020.

This letter shall not be construed to mean that there are no other technical deficiencies in your application. The Division will review your application to determine whether it is adequate to meet the requirements of the Act after submittal of all required items.

If you have any questions, please contact me at peter.hays@state.co.us or (303) 866-3567 Ext. 8124.

Sincerely.

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Environmental Protection Specialist

Ec: Jared Ebert; Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety