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Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

March 16, 2020

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RE: East Rigden Pit, Permit No. M-1979-097, Acreage Reduction Request No. 1 (AR-01), Adequacy Review No. 1

Mr. Fredrickson:

On March 16, 2020, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) filed for review your Acreage Reduction request (AR-01) submitted for the East Rigden Pit. Upon review of your request, the Division has identified the following items that require further clarification and/or information:

- 1) Your submittal requests a partial release of 16 acres from the southeastern portion of the permit area located east of the Cache La Poudre River. However, based on approved permit maps (see enclosed Property Map and Reclamation Plan Map), the Division estimates the southeastern portion of the permit area located east of the river to be comprised of approximately 17.5 acres (see enclosed Google Earth images of site with Division's estimated acreage). If the intent is to remove the entire portion of the permit area located east of the river, please submit a revised proposal with the correct acreage amount.
- 2) Please submit an updated mining plan map (if mining activities are expected to continue) and reclamation plan map for the site, which accurately depict the new permit boundary if the acreage reduction is approved.

This completes the Division's preliminary adequacy review of the materials submitted for AR-01. The decision date for AR-01 is set for **May 15, 2020**. Please submit the requested information no later than two weeks prior to the decision date, by May 01, 2020.

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

Sincerely,

Amy Eschberger
Environmental Protection Specialist

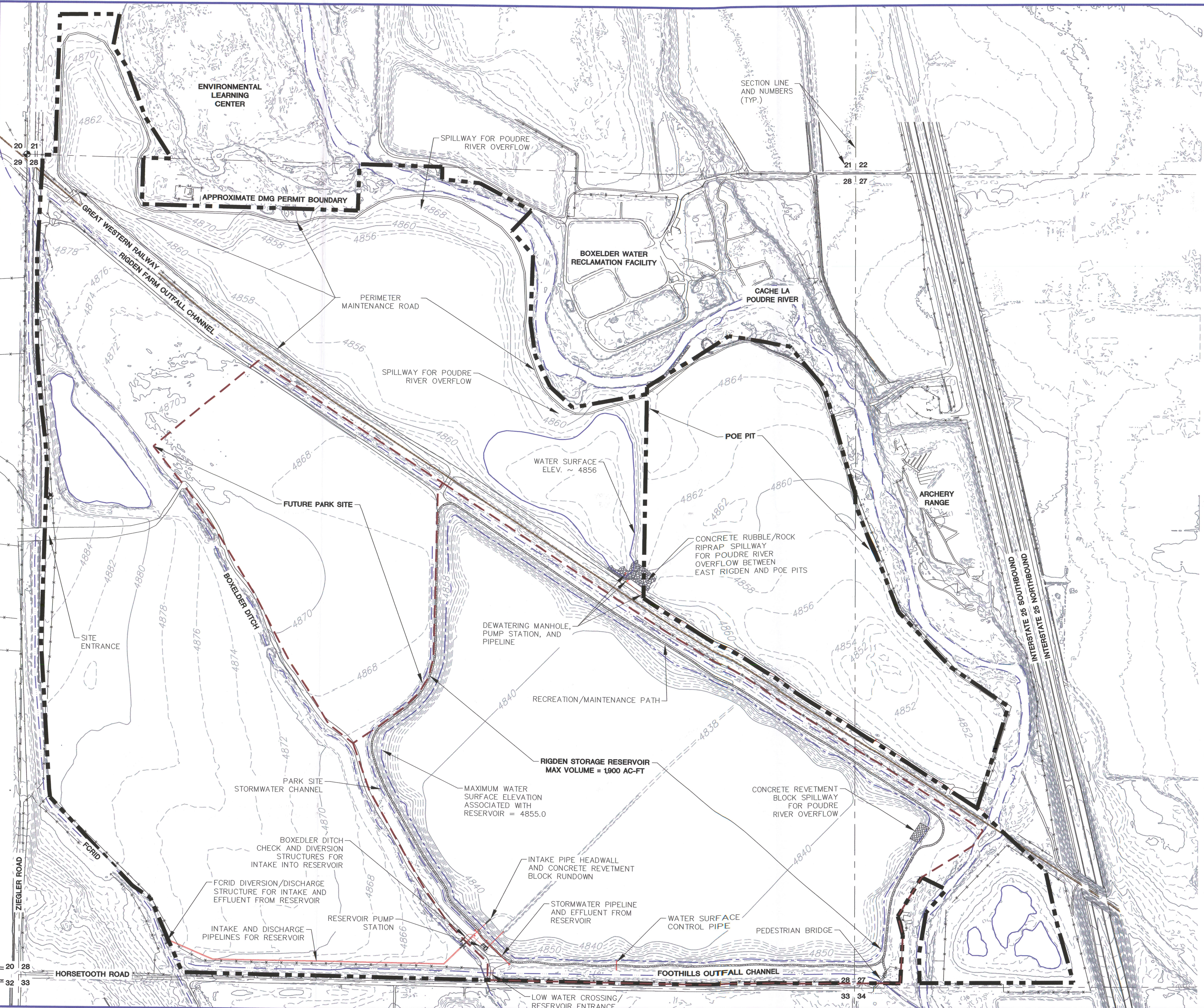


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Encls: Approved Property Map
 Approved Reclamation Plan Map
 Google Earth image of site showing Division's estimated acreage
 Google Earth image of site showing Division's estimated acreage, closer view

Cc: Michael Cunningham, DRMS

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LEGEND:

- MINING PERMIT BOUNDARY
- CITY OWNED PARCELS WITHIN EAST RIGDEN PIT MINING BOUNDARY
- FINISHED 2-FOOT CONTOURS
- FINISHED 10-FOOT CONTOURS
- RAILROAD
- ROADS
- FENCE
- SECTION LINES
- RIVER/STORMWATER/IRRIGATION CHANNEL
- OPEN WATER
- UNDERGROUND PIPELINES

CITY OF FORT COLLINS
EAST RIGDEN PIT
MINING AMENDMENT
MINING PERMIT #:
M-1979-097



GRAPHICAL SCALE IN FT:
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Red Outline = 518 acres = Approved permit area

Yellow Outline = 17.5 acres = Southeastern portion of permit area located east of Cache La Poudre River

(Image data from 7/17/2019)



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Closer view of southeastern portion of permit area.

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