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Mrs. Janet Binns **Environmental Protection Specialist** Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: **New Horizon North Mine** Permit No. C-2010-089 **3rd Quarter 2020 Impoundment Inspections**

Dear Mrs. Binns:

Elk Ridge Mining and Reclamation, LLC (Elk Ridge) operates the New Horizon North Mine. Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc. (Tri-State) is the parent company of Elk Ridge. The New Horizon North Mine operates under Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (CDRMS) Permit No. C-2010-089.

In accordance with Rule 4.05.9(17), Tri-State is submitting the enclosed quarterly impoundment inspection on behalf of Elk Ridge.

If you have any questions about the enclosed quarterly impoundment reports, please contact Tony Tennyson at (970) 825-1232 at your convenience.

Sincerely,

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