

December 2, 2020

Fremont County Commissioners  
County Commissioner  
615 Macon Ave. Room B-5  
Canon City, CO 81212

**RE: Coal Exploration No. X-2005-226-00  
Request for Bond Release, SL-3  
Proposed Decision**

Dear Fremont County Commissioners:

The Colorado Division of Reclamation Mining and Safety is proposing to approve the full release of coal exploration reclamation liability of Northfield Partners, LLC for Notice of Intent to Conduct Coal Exploration, NOI No. X-2005-226-00. This proposed decision would release the exploration drill holes in Fremont County that have been permitted with the Division of Water Resources as the following well permit numbers; 319448, 319541, and 319542.

The legal description for the project is as follows: Sec.13,14, & 23 T19S R70W

The Division currently holds a cash bond in the amount of \$14,117.00 for X-2005-226-00. The Division previously released \$25,065.00 under SL-2. The Division proposes to release the remaining \$14,117.00 previously held for the reclamation of wells NF-01A, NF-02, and NF-03A.

Any person with an interest which may be adversely affected by this proposed decision may submit written, or a written request for an adjudicatory hearing before the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board, to the Division at the address below within 30 days of the second publication of the proposed decision in the *Canon City Daily Record*.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me at Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at **720-618-0860**, or by email at [tabetha.lynn@state.co.us](mailto:tabetha.lynn@state.co.us).

Sincerely,



Tabetha Lynch  
Environmental Protection Specialist

