



**COLORADO**  
**Division of Reclamation,**  
**Mining and Safety**  
Department of Natural Resources

February 16, 2021

Wilbur F. Benham  
200 9th Street  
Ft. Lupton , CO 80621

**Re: Toltec No 2, Permit No. M-1984-039, Financial and Performance Warranty Release Approval,  
Revision No. SL-1**

Mr Benham:

On December 16, 2020 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your request for Full and Final Release of the entire permitted area and Release of the Financial Warranty for the above listed site. The request met the requirements of Rule 4.17.1 and the site is considered to be adequately reclaimed. I am pleased to inform you that on February 16, 2021 the Division has **approved** your request and released you from further reclamation responsibility for the Toltec No. 2 site.

Per Rule 4.17.2(5), the Financial Warranty shall not be held for more than thirty (30) calendar days after the Division finds that the operator has successfully completed reclamation. Please allow forty-five (45) days for the return for the return of the Financial Warranty. For Financial Warranty specific questions please contact Sara Stevenson-Benn the Divisions' Financial Warranty Specialist at 303-866-3567 Ext. 8148, or by email at [sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us](mailto:sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us). If you need any additional information, please feel free to contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office, by phone at 303-866-3567 Ext. 8187 or by email at [lucas.west@state.co.us](mailto:lucas.west@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

Lucas J. West  
Environmental Protection Specialist

Enclosures: Blank W9 Form

cc: Sara M. Stevenson-Benn, Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety  
Travis Marshall, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist

