

March 12, 2021

Ben Frei Albert Frei & Sons Inc. P.O. Box 700 Henderson, CO 80640-0700

Re: Worthing Pit, Acreage Reduction Approval, Permit No. M-1977-526, Revision No. AR-3

Dear Mr. Frei:

On March 12, 2021, the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety approved your request for release of a portion of the permit area from further reclamation responsibility.

The permit area was reduced to 70.95 acres, through the release of 81.45 acres in this permit action. Because the permit is not totally released, you are still liable for filing annual reports and fees.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Patrick Lennberg

Environmental Protection Specialist

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