



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

May 27, 2021

Mr. Raymond Whitmire
Silver Mountain Preserve, Inc.
107991 S. 4690 Road
Sallisaw, OK 74955

Re: Willis Pit, Permit No. M-1992-003, Revision No. SL-2, Notice of Approval Pending Appeal

Dear Mr. Whitmire:

On May 27, 2021, the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) approved your request for full permit release from further reclamation responsibility. In accordance with Rule 4.17.2(5), the Division is required to wait thirty (30) days from this notice to allow for appeal of the Division's decision. Once this period closes and no appeal has been submitted the decision will be final.

Please contact Patrick Lennberg (303)866-3567 ext. 8114 or email at patrick.lennberg@state.co.us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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