June 28, 2021

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1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: Birdseye Pit, Permit No. M-2019-034, Surety Release Request (SL-01), Approval

Mr. Schofield:

On June 3, 2021 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your request for release of reclamation responsibility for the Birdseye Pit. Division staff inspected the site on May 20, 2021 and verified mining activities had not occurred. Therefore, there is no reclamation to be completed by the operator and the site can be released from reclamation responsibility. The Division has approved the full surety release, SL-01, for permit # M-2019-034.

Pursuant to Rule 1.4.11(1)(b), the Division must wait 30 days from the date of this letter, before releasing the financial warranty, in order to address any comments or objections to this decision. If you have not received the financial and performance warranties by August 6, 2021, please contact Jeff Thompson at (303) 866-3567, ext. 8138 or jeffreyc.thompson@state.co.us.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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