



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

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July 19, 2021

Scott Petsel  
Metallic Minerals US Inc.  
904-409 Granville St.  
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Vancouver, BC 00000

**Re: Financial Warranty Release, La Plata Project, File No. P-2019-014**

Scott Petsel:

On June 22, 2021 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received a request for release of reclamation responsibility for the above referenced site. Our records indicate that the Operator has successfully complied with the requirements of the Act, Rules and Regulations, and the approved Reclamation Plan, and that the site is ready to be released from any further reclamation responsibility. The Division **approved** the full surety release, SL-01, for Notice of Intent no. P-2019-014.

According 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 19, 2021, please contact Jeffrey Thompson at (303) 866-3567, ext. 8138. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

**Lucas J. West**  
Environmental Protection Specialist

cc: Jeffrey Thompson, DRMS Bonding Specialist  
Travis Marshall, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist

