December 22, 2021

Mr. Patrick Lennberg Division of Reclamation, Mines, and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, Colorado 80203

RE: Adequacy Review No. 3 Response; M-2004-044

Dear Mr. Lennberg:

This letter serves as the Adequacy Review No. 3 Response for the 112c Construction Materials Amendment Application (AM-2), Permit No. M-2004-044. The Adequacy Review No. 3 was summarized in your letter of December 21, 2021. The italicized items are the current comment and the bold text are the responses:

EXHIBIT L – Reclamation Costs (Rule 6.4.12):

1. The Division has conducted a reclamation cost estimate based on the information in Exhibit L. This summary estimate is enclosed for your review. The estimated reclamation liability at the site based on the worst case scenario presented is \$834,000. Please indicate if you concur with the Division's estimate.

Aggregate Industries-WCR concurs with the Division's Estimate.

Mined Land Reclamation Board Conditions of Approval:

- **2.** The Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board ("Board") conditionally approved the original permit application for the permit number M-2004-044 for the Tucson South Resource site with five conditions. During AM-1 three of the five conditions were complied with. The following are the two conditions were outstanding:
 - Condition No. 1 If final specifications for construction of the slurry walls differ from the draft specifications, Aggregate Industries will provide DMG (DRMS) a copy of the final version for review, as a technical revision.

The Division acknowledges the slurry wall specifications were submitted during AM-2. The Division considers this condition complied with at this time.

Acknowledged.

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> Condition No. 2 – Aggregate Industries' mining operation will not intersect ground water in Phases 2, 3, and 3A (currently known as the East and West Cells) until the DMG (DRMS) has reviewed and accepted the final slurry wall construction report, including quality assurance test results. Please reaffirm a commitment to abiding by this outstanding condition.

Aggregate Industries-WCR mining operations will not intersect the ground water in the east and west cells. Aggregate Industries-WCR reaffirms the commitment to provide the final slurry wall construction report with the Quality Assurance Tests.

Other:

1. Pursuant to Rule 1.6.2(2), please demonstrate that the applicant's response to these adequacy issues and the Preliminary Adequacy issues have been placed with the application materials previously placed with the County Clerk or Recorders Office, and made available for public review

The documents have been placed at the Weld and Adams County Clerk and Recorders office. Please see the attached proofs of receipt.

Included in this response is:

- Proofs of receipt from the Weld and Adams County Clerk and Recorders.

If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to call or email me.

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Adams County Clerk & Recorder 4430 S. Adams County Pkwy 1st Fl. E2400 Brighton, CO 80601

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As always, thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Civil Resources, LLC

Gary Linden, P.G. Senior Engineering Geologist





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