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## Affidavits

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Mon, Jan 24, 2022 at 8:39 AM

To: "Simmons - DNR, Leigh" <leigh.simmons@state.co.us>

Cc: "Wilczek, Jessica" <jwilczek@archrsc.com>

Hi Leigh,

Attached are the affidavits for RN-08 and TR-150.

We, hopefully, have the payment process figured out with the newspaper and will be able to get these faster.

Thanks,

**Nicki Poulos**

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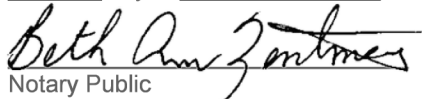
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STATE OF COLORADO  
COUNTY OF DELTA

Signed or attested before me on this

29th day of December, A.D. 2021.



Notary Public

**My Commission Expires:** 08/20/2023  
**DAN #19874227037 - 805162**

## Public Notice

Mountain Coal Company, LLC (MCC), 5174 Highway 133, Somerset, CO 81434, (970) 929-5015, has filed a complete application for Permit Renewal No. RN-08 to MCC's Mining and Reclamation Permit No. C-1980-007 with the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board (Board), under the provisions of the Colorado Surface Coal Mining Reclamation Act of 1979. The permit was originally issued by the Board in July 1981, and subsequently renewed in August 1986, January 1993 (effective August 1991), July 1996, July 2001, April 2007 (effective July 2006), November 2011 (effective July 2011), and September 2020 (effective July 2016). The West Elk Mine five-year permit area contains lands in Sections 9-11, 13-36, T13S, R90W, 6 th PM; Sections 23-26, T13S, R91W, 6 th PM; and Sections 1-5, 8-12, 14-16, and 21-23, T14S, R90W, 6 th PM in Delta and Gunnison Counties. The location of the lands can be found on the USGS 7.5 minute Somerset and Minnesota Pass Quadrangle Topographic Maps. The current permit area encompasses approximately 19,854.9 acres.

The purpose of the proposed Permit Renewal application No. RN-08 is to continue mining and reclamation operations per MCC's Permit No. C-1980-007. No surface facilities or related surface disturbance is proposed in conjunction with this permit renewal application, and it would not result in any increase in production above currently permitted levels.

Copies of the permit renewal application are available for review at the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (CDRMS) office, Centennial Building, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, Colorado, 80203, phone (303) 866-3567, and the Gunnison County Planning Office, 221 N. Wisconsin, Suite D, Gunnison, CO 81230. Comments, objections, requests for informal conference concerning the application for permit renewal, or requests for a public hearing to determine whether the interests of the public and affected landowners will be protected, should be directed to the CDRMS at the above address not later than 30 days after the last date of publication of this notice in order to be considered. If a public hearing is requested, it would be held at a location in the area of the proposed operations.

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