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TR-147 Update Submittal

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Leigh,

Here is TR-147's updated information. Please let me know if there is anything more you need.

Thank you,

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December 14, 2021

Mr. Leigh D. Simmons
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
Office of Mined Land Reclamation
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

**Re: Mountain Coal Company, LLC, West Elk Mine; Permit No. C-1980-007;
Update of Technical Revision No. TR-147 for Future B Seam Short-term MVBs
Pads and Roads**

Dear Mr. Simmons:

Mountain Coal Company, LLC (MCC) submits the attached updated TR-147 map for prospective short-term mine ventilation boreholes (MVBs) pads and roads to be constructed above future B seam longwall panels LWB26 through LWB29. After field inspection with Forest Service personnel, some of the locations in the original application were adjusted. The revised layout of the proposed temporary MVBs pads and associated roads is shown on the map and this map replaces the map previously submitted.

As is shown on the map, about nine (9) miles of new temporary roads will need to be constructed to access these pads. MCC plans to continue the successful practice of jointly field-reviewing all MVBs and roads with Forest Service personnel before each construction season. A revision application will be submitted at that time if site and/or road adjustments are needed to minimize resource impacts.

MCC was approved through MR-456 for the use of portable bridges. The bridges will have a maximum length of 60' by 12"-14" wide. The process of transporting the portable bridges will remain the same.

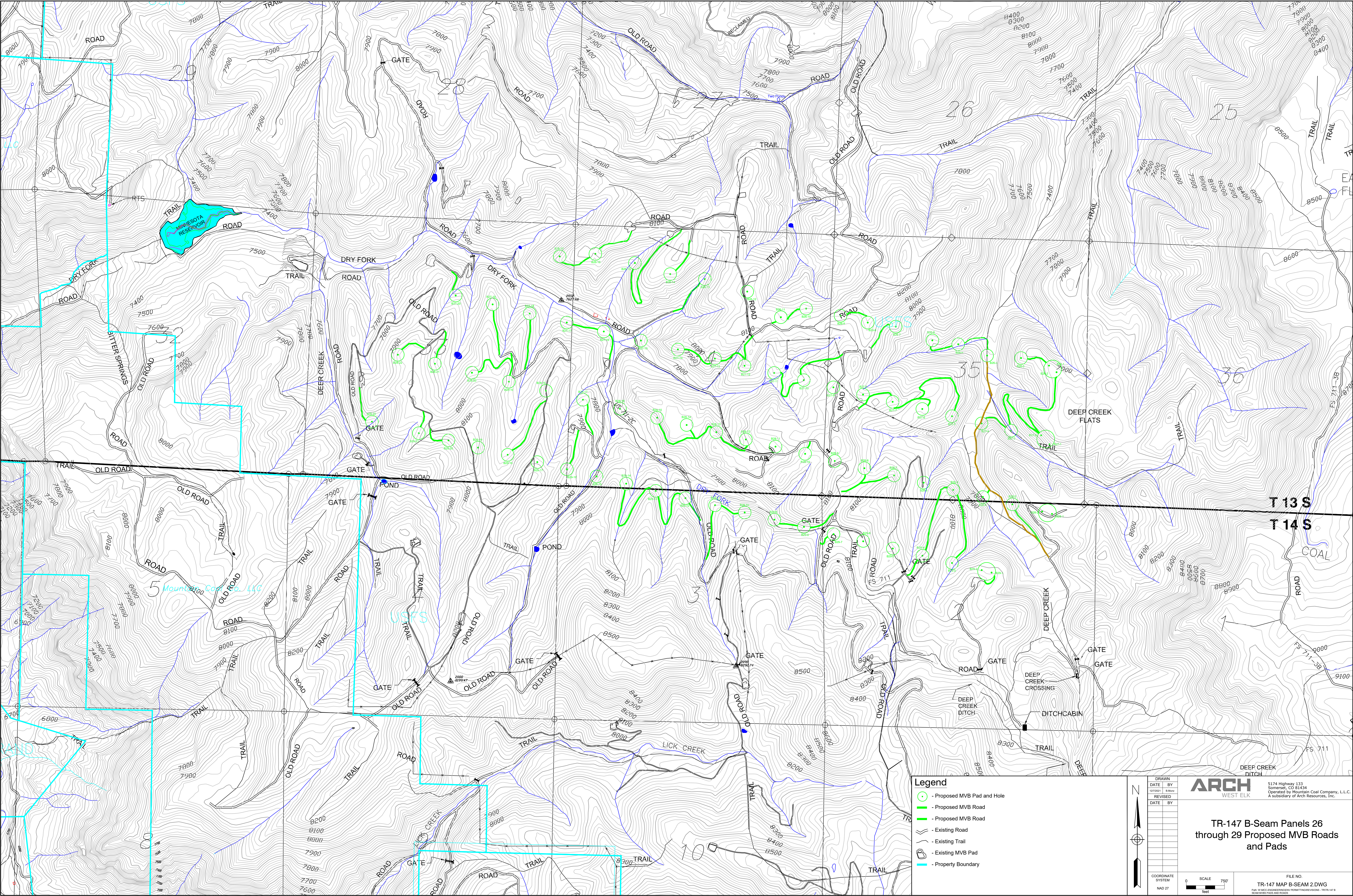
Please don't hesitate to contact me at (970) 929-2219 or by e-mail should you have questions regarding this submittal.

Sincerely,



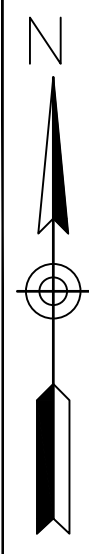
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Jessica Wilczek- MCC



Legend

- Proposed MVB Pad and Hole
- Proposed MVB Road
- Proposed MVB Road
- Existing Road
- Existing Trail
- Existing MVB Pad
- Property Boundary



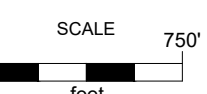
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TR-147 B-Seam Panels 26 through 29 Proposed MVB Roads and Pads



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