



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

February 23, 2022

Bill Tezak
Colorado Quarries Inc
270 S. 15th St.
Canon City, CO 81212

**Re: Mica White, Permit No. M-1992-058, Technical Revision (TR-1);
Preliminary Adequacy Review**

Mr. Tezak:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (DRMS) received a request for a Technical Revision (TR-1) addressing the following:

Modifying the mining plan to improve slope stability.

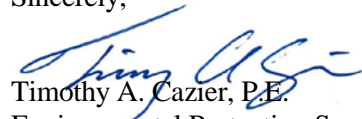
The submittal was called complete for the purpose of filing on February 8, 2022. The **decision date for TR-1 is March 10, 2022**. Please be advised that if you are unable to satisfactorily address any concerns identified in this review before the decision date, **it will be your responsibility to request an extension of the review period**. If there are outstanding issues that have not been adequately addressed prior to the end of the review period, and no extension has been requested, the Division may deny this Technical Revision.

The following comment is based on the DRMS review of the request for TR-1:

- 1) **Monitoring:** Items 3 and 5 in your letter dated January 28, 2022 commit to monitoring the crack in the access road, as well as the lower mine faces and upper limits for movement or raveling. The DRMS needs to be kept apprised of the monitoring activities. Please provide a written commitment to A) include a summary of monitoring activities with the annual report to the DRMS; and B) Inform the DRMS within 24 hours of any observed significant slope movement or change in the access road crack that may indicate a degradation in slope stability.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at (303)866-3567 x8169.

Sincerely,



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Environmental Protection Specialist

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DRMS file

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