



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

April 6, 2022

Geoff Niggeler  
Climax Molybdenum Company  
P.O. Box 68  
Empire, CO 80438

**Re: Climax Molybdenum Company; Henderson Mine; File No. M-1977-342;  
Annual Monitoring Requirements Acceptance Letter**

Mr. Niggeler,

On May 6, 2022, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division/DRMS) reviewed and accepted the annual report monitoring requirements submitted on March 8, 2022 for the Henderson Mine, Permit No. M-1977-342 indicated below.

- The 3-Dam seepage pipelines will be tested for integrity at least once per year and a description of the testing and results will be provided to the Division.
- Henderson will conduct a tailing pond and beach analyses to calculate the minimum amount of tailing beach width required to provide the required flood storage capacity.
- The engineer of record, AECOM, will provide a letter containing observations, updates on projects and any recommendations to assure the Tailings Storage Facility (TSF) is operated and maintained properly.

If you have any questions, please contact me at [peter.hays@state.co.us](mailto:peter.hays@state.co.us) or (303) 866-3567 Ext. 8124.

Sincerely,

Peter S. Hays  
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