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Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

June 21, 2022

James Roberts
Bureau of Land Management
White River Field Office
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RE: Chevron Oil Shale Research, Development and Demo Pilot, Permit No. P-2007-001, Surety Release (SL-1), Request for Concurrence

Dear Mr. Roberts:

On May 24, 2022 the Division inspected the above mentioned sites. Staff felt that the site complied with the requirements of the Act, Rules and Regulations, and the approved Reclamation Plan. The operator was encouraged to submit a Surety Release Request in order to terminate the NOI. On June 16, 2022 the Division received the request from the operator.

The release request was to terminate the permit which would release all of the 5.34 acre permit and the \$700,000 bond. The Division has approved this request. Per our memo of understanding prior to sending out approval notifications the Division needs a letter of concurrence from the Bureau of Land Management. Please submit a letter by Wednesday, July 6, 2022. If no comments are received then the Division will consider the request approved and notify the operator.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. Amy Yeldell at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Room 215, 1001 E 62nd Ave, Denver, CO 80216. Direct contact can be made by phone at 303-866-3567 Ext 8183 or via email at amy.yeldell@state.co.us

Sincerely,

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