July 5, 2022

Jean St-Onge Colorado Stone Quarries, Inc. 1734 Hwy 50 E Delta, CO 81416



1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: The Pride of America Mine, Permit No. M-1999-058, Technical Revision (TR-10) Approval

Mr. St.-Onge:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) has approved the Technical Revision request (TR-10), which was received by the Division on June 29, 2022, and addresses the following:

- 1. Restoration of Yule Creek by incorporating Special Condition 3 of the Colorado Stone Quarries, Inc. (CSQ) February 3, 2022 approved United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Individual Permit (IP) into the DRMS permit as an update to the Reclamation Plan.
- 2. Establish preservation acreage along Yule Creek within the permit boundary by incorporating Special Condition 9 of CSQ's USACE IP into the DRMS permit.
- 3. Increase the Financial Warranty in accordance with the requirements included in the IP.

The terms of TR-10 approved by the Division are hereby incorporated into Permit No. M-1999-058. All other conditions and requirements of the permit remain in full force and effect.

The estimated reclamation cost of *\$629,887.00* exceeds the *\$404,857.00* Financial Warranty currently held for this site. If you have not already done so, please submit additional financial warranty in the amount of *\$225,030.00*. The revision will not be final until the financial warranty is accepted by the Division.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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