

August 12, 2022

Amy R. Veek GCC Rio Grande, Inc. 3372 Lime Road Pueblo, CO 81004

## Re: Salt Canyon Project - File No. M-1997-064 GCC Rio Grande, Inc. Surety Increase (SI-1) Surety Increase

Dear Amy R. Veek:

On August 12, 2022 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety increased the current Financial Warranty for this permit to \$182,207.00, in accordance with Rule 4.2.1 of the Rules and Regulations. This is an increase of \$112,375.00.

The surety increase to \$182,207 is a result from the approval of TR-3.

The Division ordered amendment of the current Financial Warranty, or submittal of a new Financial Warranty reflecting the increase, within 60 days from the date of this letter (August 12, 2022).

Please make arrangements with Sara M. Stevenson-Benn at the Division's Denver office for submittal of the financial warranty. Any other questions regarding completion, execution and/or submittal of financial warranty forms should also be directed to Sara M. Stevenson-Benn by telephone at (303) 866-3567 (8148), or by email at <u>Sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us</u>.

The Permittee for this site may be scheduled for a Formal Board Hearing for possible revocation of the permit after October 11, 2022, if the amount of any increased Financial Warranty has not been provided.

Bond Held:	\$69,832.00
Prior Liability:	\$69,832.00
Change in Liability:	\$112,375.00
Revised Liability:	\$182,207.00
Prior Permit Acreage:	559.22
Change in Permit Acreage:	0.00



Revised Permit Acreage:	559.22
Prior Affected Acreage:	104.33
Change in Affected Acreage:	0.00
Revised Affected Acreage:	104.33

If you have any questions, please contact me by telephone at (303) 866-3567 x 8169, or by email at <u>Tim.cazier@state.co.us</u>.

Sincerely,

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Timothy A. Cazier, P.E. Environmental Protection Specialist

cc: Amy R. Veek

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