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Department of Natural Resources Attn: Patrick Lennberg Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety 1313 Sherman Street Room 215 Denver, CO 80203-2243

Re: Sandy Acres Pit, DRMS Permit No. M-1980-110 Hydrologic Balance response

Dear Mr. Lennberg:

This is a follow up to our June 25, 2020 letter regarding water observed at the former Sandy Acres Pit.

Since our last letter we have continued our investigations and it appears that ground water contributes to the water ponding at Sandy Acres Pit. The attached memorandum from BBA Water Consultants summarizes the explorative work and analysis completed to date and mitigation options.

We propose a phased approach to mitigate the ponded water with the next phase being the installation of a sump at the north end of the pond. We will be working with our consultants to develop plans and details for this phase. Once we have those plans completed we will submit them to you for review. We anticipate being able to submit the plans to you on or before December 31, 2021.

If you have any other questions, need more information, or if you would like to meet, please email me at dslack@e-470.com or call me at (303) 537-3710.

Sincerely

Derek Slack, P.E. Roadway Maintenance Manager