

October 20, 2022

Joe Brinton Ridge Runner Consulting, LLC 652 Peony Dr. Grand Junction, CO 81507

RE: McClane Canyon Mine, C-1980-004

3rd Quarter 2022 Discharge Monitoring Reports Review (CO-0038342)

Dear Mr. Brinton,

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (the Division) has finished reviewing the 2022 3rd Quarter Discharge Monitoring Reports for the McClane Canyon Mine. The reports were received electronically on August 5, 2022 (July report), September 1, 2022 (August report) and October 9, 2022 (September and quarterly reports). The reports cover the time period of July 1, 2022 through September 30, 2022. The Division finds the reports to be in compliance with Rule 4.05.13(2).

There are three outfalls associated with the CO-0038342 DMR permit, Outfall 001, Outfall 002 and Outfall 004. During the months of July, August and September, there was no discharge recorded from outfalls 001, 002 and 004. Therefore, no exceedances occurred.

This concludes the Division's review of the 3rd Quarter 2022 Discharge Monitoring Reports for the McClane Canyon Mine. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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