

January 30, 2023

Lori Smith Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company P. O. Box 191 Victor, CO 80860

# RE: Cresson Project - File No. M-1980-244 Acreage Release Request (AR6) Request to Release 4.3 Acres at the Carlton Tunnel

Dear Lori Smith:

Your Acreage Release Request application (AR6) for the Cresson Project 112d-3 Hard Rock Reclamation Permit, which is located in Teller County has been filed. All comment and review periods began on January 25, 2023, and a decision date has been set for March 27, 2023. The Division will conduct an inspection of the site within sixty days of the filing date of the application (January 25, 2023).

Pursuant to Hard Rock and Metals Mining Rule 4.17.4 (1)(b) (enclosed) the Operator must publish a public notice once, in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of the mining operation. Please provide proof of publication from the newspaper within thirty (30) days of the date of this letter. The public comment period will continue for thirty (30) days after the date of publication.

If you have any questions, please contact me by telephone at 303-866-3567 x8132 or by email at <u>elliott.russell@state.co.us</u>.

Sincerely,

Elliott R. Russell Environmental Protection Specialist

Ec: Katie Blake, CC&V Michael Cunningham, DRMS



- DATE: January 30, 2023
- TO: Marisa Neuzil President - Soil Conservation Dist Teller-Park Conservation District P.O. Box 2027 Woodland Park, CO 80866

FROM: Elliott R. Russell

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Request to Release 4.3 Acres northwest of the Carlton Tunnel (Section 9, Township 16, Range 70W, 06th Principle Meridian).

The application decision is scheduled for March 27, 2023. Written comments or objections to the application may be submitted to and additional information obtained from Elliott R. Russell at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman St. Room 215 Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at (303) 866-3567 x 8132.

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- DATE: January 30, 2023
- TO: Teller County Commissioners County Commissioner P.O. Box 959 Cripple Creek, CO 80813

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