



February 2, 2023

Tony Tennyson
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**RE: New Horizon North Mine, Permit No. C-2010-089
3rd Quarter 2022 Discharge Monitoring Reports Review**

Dear Tony,

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (the Division) has finished reviewing the 2022 3rd Quarter Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs). The reports were received on October 31, 2022. The Division finds the reports to be in compliance with the following Rules:

- **Rule 4.05.13(2)(i)** – Samples are measured accurately and record the quality and quantity of the water discharged from the permit area.
- **Rule 4.05.13(2)(ii)** – There are three outfalls associated with the COG850062 permit; Outfall 001, Outfall 002 and Outfall 003. During the months of July, August and September Outfalls 001 and 002 did not discharge. Therefore, no exceedances occurred. Outfall 003 has not yet been constructed.
- **Rule 4.05.13(2)(iii)** – Discharge Monitoring Reports are received on a quarterly basis and filed with the Division within 90 days of the sample collection.

This concludes the Division's review of the 2022 3rd Quarter Discharge Monitoring Reports. If you have any questions, please contact me at (303)-866-3567 x8185.

Sincerely,

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cc: Travis Marshal, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist