

March 1, 2023

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RE: Response to Request Extend the Due Date for Submitting the Designated Mining Operation Conversion Application, Cross Gold Mine, Permit No. M-1977-410

Mr. Takami:

On February 16, 2023 the Operator, Grand Island Resources, LLC (GIR), submitted a request to the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division/DRMS) to extend the due date one (1) year, for submitting the conversion application for the currently approved 110(2) to a 110(d) designated mining operation (DMO) for the Cross Gold Mine, M1977-410. The request is being made pursuant to Rule 7.2.3(2)(c). The Division has completed its review of your submittal and will approve the extension request with the following comments and stipulations:

1. The current decision date is 180 days from the January 18, 2022 Board Meeting which is July 17, 2023. An approved extension of one year would set the due date for submitting the DMO conversion application to be July 17, 2024.
2. All groundwater monitoring and reporting will continue as approved in Technical Revision 10 (TR10). Including written request for approval by GIR and approval by DRMS process whereby GIR will issue requests for approval letters to DRMS describing planned underground activities, objectives, methods, expected disturbance and impacts preventions mechanisms prior to commencement of the activities. Upon receiving written approval by DRMS, GIR will implement the actions.
3. The Operator will submit, in writing, an update on the progress of the application at 180 days of the date of this letter or August 28, 2023.
4. The Operator will submit, in writing, an update on the progress of the application at 270 days of the date of this letter or November 28, 2023.



5. The Operator will submit, in writing, an update on the progress of the application at 350 days of the date of this letter or February 26, 2024.
6. The Operator will submit, in writing, an update on the progress of the application at 430 days of the date of this letter or May 4, 2024.
7. Failure to submit the conversion application by the July 17, 2024 due date the Division may pursue enforcement action for failure to comply. Please note another extension to the due date is not allowed pursuant to Rule 7.2.3(2)(c).
8. The Operator will continue to provide quarterly reports by the end of every calendar quarter, a written report outlining the activities undertaken at the site during the current quarter and any activities planned for the next quarter to ensure compliance with section 34-32 - 116(7)(g), C.R.S. and Rule 3.1.6(1).

The Division hereby approves the extension request to submit the DMO conversion application to July 17, 2024.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8114**, or by email at patrick.lennberg@state.co.us.

Sincerely,



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