

Department of Natural Resources

March 31, 2023

Jeff Reeves Logan County 12603 CR 33 Sterling, CO 80751

Re: Kokes Gravel Pit - File No. M-1978-249

Logan County

Surety Release Request (SL-1)

Full/Final Release

Dear Jeff Reeves:

On March 31, 2023 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety concluded its review of the Surety Release Request application submitted to the Division on December 2, 2022, addressing the following:

Full/Final Release of 32.25 acres.

The decision reached by the Division is: Approve.

I am pleased to inform you that the Division of Reclamation Mining and Safety elected to release Logan County from further responsibility for the Kokes Gravel Pit. This site is released in its entirety. In accordance with Rule 4.17.2(5), the Division is required to wait thirty (30) days from this notice to allow for appeal of the Division's decision. Once this period closes, if no appeal is submitted the Division will issue the final decision on the release request in writing and the Performance Warranty on file will be returned in separate correspondence from the Division.

The Mined Land Reclamation Board and the Division staff wish to commend Logan County for your reclamation efforts and the resulting success.

If you have any questions, please contact me by telephone at (303) 866-3567 x 8126, or by email at Nikie.gagnon@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Nikie C. Gagnon

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Environmental Protection Specialist

