

Amy C. Yeldell Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: Collett Property, File No. M-2022-051 (HC#82812)

Dear MS. Yeldell:

We received your revised letter dated April 10, 2023 initiating consultation with our office on the subject action pursuant to the Colorado State Register Act – Colorado Revised Statute (CRS) 24-80.1 et. seq.

A search of our database indicates that site 5RB.4486.3, a segment of State Highway 13, is located within or adjacent to the permit area. The site contributes to the overall eligibility of the entire linear resource for listing to the State or National Register of Historic Places. Please note, as most of Colorado has not been inventoried for cultural resources, our files contain incomplete information. Consequently, there is the possibility that as yet unidentified cultural resources exist within the proposed permit area. The requirements under CRS 24-80 part 13 apply and must be followed if human remains are discovered during ground disturbing activities.

As a reminder, the State Register Act gives the SHPO 30 calendar days to provide a response to the state agency. If the response is to ask for additional information to be able to render a comprehensive and accurate response, the 30-day 'clock' will pause and restart at zero when the SHPO receives the information it requested.

We thank you for the opportunity to comment. If we may be of further assistance, please contact Holly McKee-Huth, Cultural Resource Information/Section 106 Compliance at (303) 866-4670 or <u>holly.mckee@state.co.us.</u>

Sincerely,

Dawn DiPrince State Historic Preservation Officer