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Representative

VERIFICATION

STATE OF COLORADO
COUNTY OF MONTROSE

Signed or attested before me on this

5 day of September, A.D. 2023



Notary Public

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LEGAL PUBLICATION NOTICE OF PROPOSED DECISION

THE COLORADO DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY - TR-107

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety proposes to approve Technical Revision Application No. 107 (TR-107) for the New Horizon Mine (Permit No. C-1981-008), submitted by Elk Ridge Mining and Reclamation, LLC. TR-107 proposes the Johnson Access Road which will provide long-term access from the north side of BB Road down to the Pond 013 area.

The New Horizon Mine is a/an surface coal mine located in Montrose County, approximately 1.7 miles NW of Nucla, Colorado. Coal interest is private, and the surface affected is private land. The permit area encompasses approximately 342.25 acres.

This proposed decision is based on a finding of whether the proposed operation will comply with all requirements of the Colorado Surface Coal Mining Reclamation Act, Section 3433101, et seq., C.R.S., and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

The revision application, as well as all other permit documents, can be viewed at <https://dnrweb-link.state.co.us/drms/search.aspx> by searching C1981008 in the "Permit No" field. A user guide is available to help first time users of the imaged document system and can be viewed at https://drive.google.com/file/d/118OUdf_Mpjo3kxIHkP5hMH-w7MeBtxX7/view.

Persons with an interest that may be adversely affected by the proposed decision may request a formal hearing before the Mined Land Reclamation Board on the proposed decision. Such request must be made within ten (10) days of the date following initial publication of this notice, must be in writing, and must state with reasonable specificity the reasons for the request and the objections to the proposed decision.

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