



**COLORADO**  
Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety  
Department of Natural Resources

September 7, 2020

Mr. Ronald E. Walker  
AZCO Construction, Inc.  
112 Top Rail Trail  
Penrose, CO 81240

**Re: AZCO Pit, Permit No. M-2004-029, Annual Report Discrepancy**

Dear Mr. Walker:

On September 7, 2023 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (DRMS) received your 2023 Annual Report. You indicated in your response to Item #3 that the site is no longer in final reclamation, yet the response to Item #4 indicates there has been no activity since August 11, 2010. DRMS records include a letter from you dated January 6, 2020 (enclosed) stating the mine was entering final reclamation and reclamation would be completed within five years (or by January 5, 2025).

If you have re-initiated mining, please inform the DRMS via letter and ensure any new mining activity is reflected in future annual reports by including the most recent mining activity date in response to Item #4. If you are still in final reclamation, please answer "yes" to Item #3 in future annual reports.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 303-328-5229 or via email at [tim.cazier@state.co.us](mailto:tim.cazier@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

Timothy A. Cazier, P.E.  
Environmental Protection Specialist III

Enclosure: January 6, 2020 Letter

ec: DRMS file



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**DIVISION OF RECLAMATION  
MINING & SAFETY**

January 6, 2020

Mine Name: AZCO Pit

ID# M-2004-029

Operator: AZCO Construction, Inc.

Operator Rep: Ron Walker

Please consider this as our formal notice of the intent to begin final reclamation  
To be completed within 5 years.

Thank You,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ron Walker', is written over a horizontal line.

Ron Walker

AZCO Construction, Inc