



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

October 19, 2023

Basil Bear
Bowie Resources, LLC
P.O. Box 1488
Paonia, CO 81428

**Re: Bowie No. 1 Mine, Permit C-1981-038,
Review of 2023 Pond Inspection Report, Third Quarter**

Dear Mr. Bear:

The Division received your Third Quarter 2023 Pond Inspection Report (certified by James Stover, P.E.) based on an inspection on September 28, 2023. I reviewed the report in the context of the Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Coal Mining, in particular Rule 4.05.9(17). The report is in compliance with these regulations. No problems were identified with any of the four ponds that were inspected (Loadout Pond, Highway Pond, and the two ponds at the West Mine).

Thank you,

Robert D. Zuber, P.E.
Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc via email: Tamme Bishop, P.E., J.E. Stover & Associates, Inc.

