



**RIO GRANDE
SILVER, INC.**

October 26, 2023

Colorado Department of Natural Resources
Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety
Attention: Minerals Program
1313 Sherman Street, Suite 215
Denver, Colorado 80203-2273

**RE: Bulldog Mine Operation, Permit No. M-1977-215, Revision No. AM-02
Water Quality Monitoring Plan; groundwater quality data**

Minerals Program,

Groundwater sampling occurred on September 19, 2023. Drive point sampling locations DP-3 and DP-4 did not have enough water to sample. HW-2 and DP-5 were sampled. HW-D in the analytical results is a field duplication sample for HW-2. Analytical results for these locations are included to be added to the Bulldog Mine Operation Environmental Protection Plan (EPP), Exhibit U for 2023.

Included are:

- 1) Figure 3 of Appendix 1, Windy Gulch groundwater analytical results
- 2) Sample location Map G-3

Please call me at 970-317-5355 if you have questions.

Best Regards,

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