



November 2, 2023

Byron Weathers
11955 CR 37
Yuma, CO 80759

**Re: Weathers Mine #1 - File No. M-1999-089
Surety Increase (SI-2)**

Dear Byron Weathers:

On November 2, 2023 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety increased the current Financial Warranty for this permit to \$36,260.00, in accordance with Rule 4.2.1 of the Rules and Regulations. This is an increase of \$14,260.00.

The Division ordered amendment of the current Financial Warranty, or submittal of a new Financial Warranty reflecting the increase, within 60 days from the date of this letter (November 2, 2023).

Please make arrangements with Sara M. Stevenson-Benn at the Division's Denver office for submittal of the financial warranty. Any other questions regarding completion, execution and/or submittal of financial warranty forms should also be directed to Sara M. Stevenson-Benn by telephone at (303) 866-3567 (8148), or by email at Sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us.

The Permittee for this site may be scheduled for a Formal Board Hearing for possible revocation of the permit after January 1, 2024, if the amount of any increased Financial Warranty has not been provided.

Bond Held:	\$22,000.00
Change in Liability:	\$14,260.00
Revised Liability:	\$36,260.00
Permit Acreage:	9.99
Change in Permit Acreage:	0.00



If you have any questions, please contact me by telephone at (303) 866-3567 x 8126, or by email at nikie.gagnon@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Nikie Gagnon". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Nikie" and last name "Gagnon" clearly distinguishable.

Nikie C. Gagnon
Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Amy Eschberger, DRMS