

December 4, 2023

Melanie Asquith  
The City of Lafayette  
1290 South Public Road  
Lafayette, CO 80026

**Re: Comment Letter, Annual Groundwater Level Data for 2023,  
Goose Haven Reservoir #2 – Complex Expansion, Permit No. M-2010-071**

Dear Ms. Asquith:

On December 1, 2023, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division/DRMS) received your responses to the Division's letter dated November 14, 2023 requiring additional information for the Annual Groundwater Data for 2023. After review of the submission the Division has the comments.

1. The Division requests that it be notified if an approved monitoring well is damaged or removed from service because the wells are part of an approved monitoring plan that demonstrates the Operator is minimizing disturbances to the prevailing hydrologic balance pursuant to Rule 3.1.6. If a well is removed from service it is possible the Operator cannot demonstrate compliance with Rule 3.1.6 and enforcement actions may be taken.
2. The Division agrees with the Operator's request to waive the requirement to submit a Technical Revision to replace P-6 with a new well. The Division does require the Operator to submit a summary of the rehabilitation effort (if successful) or a summary, along with appropriate documentation, of the replacement well drilling and installation activities. The Division will only consider the site in compliance with the approved groundwater monitoring program for 2023 once a summary report is received and accepted by the Division.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me by telephone at 303-866-3567 x8114, or by email at [patrick.lennberg@state.co.us](mailto:patrick.lennberg@state.co.us).

Sincerely,



Patrick Lennberg



Environmental Protection Specialist

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