

May 28, 2024

Patrick Maher Venture Resources, Inc. P.O. Box 3338 Idaho Springs, CO 80452

Re: Venture Resources, Inc., Hukill Gulch Millsite, Permit No. M-2009-076, Quarterly Groundwater Monitoring Acceptance Letter

Dear Mr. Maher:

On May 28, 2024, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety reviewed and accepted the quarterly groundwater monitoring data submitted on May 23, 2024. The Operator is required to provide quarterly groundwater monitoring pursuant to the requirements of TR3 and TR4 for the upgradient and downgradient wells approved under TR2.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns. I can be reached at the mailing address below or direct contact by phone at 303-866-3567 Ext 8126 and email at nikie.gagnon@state.co.us

Sincerely,

Nikie Gagnon

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Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Jared Ebert, Senior EPS, DRMS



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May 23, 2024 Hukill Gulch Millsite Permit # M-2009-076 Ground Water Monitoring Plan Sample Report for test January 28, 2024

Nikie Gagnon Colorado DRMS 1313 Sherman St., Room 215 Denver, Colorado 80203

Dear Mr. Hays,

Patrick Maher of Venture Resources Inc. tested both the up-gradient and down-gradient wells at the Hukill Gulch millsite on May 22nd, 2024. The results are as follows:

Up-gradient well:

- 1) Unlocked and opened the security cap.
- 2) Inserted a geotech .84x12 inch bailer-style sampler into the casing and lowered it via a clean nylon cord.
- 3) Let sampler reside on bottom for 4 minutes.
- 4) No water was collected and therefore the well was dry.

Down- gradient well:

- 1) Unlocked and opened the security cap.
- 2) Inserted a geotech .84x12 inch bailer-style sampler into the casing and lowered it via a clean nylon cord.
- 3) Let sampler reside on bottom for 4 minutes.
- 4) No water was collected and therefore the well was dry.

Submitted by:

Patrick D. Maher,

President.