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C-2010-089, New Horizon North Mine TR-25 Adequacy Review Letter

1 message

Wein - DNR, Clayton <clayton.wein@state.co.us> To: "Tennyson, Tony (Colowyo)" <tony.tennyson@tristategt.org> Thu, Jun 6, 2024 at 1:54 PM

Good afternoon Tony,

Attached is the Division's adequacy review letter for TR-25. There were no adequacy concerns. The Division will be issuing a proposed decision shortly after this letter. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely, Clayton Wein Environmental Protection Specialist



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June 6, 2024

Tony Tennyson Elk Ridge Mining and Reclamation, LLC P.O. Box 628 27646 West 5th Avenue Nucla, CO 81424

RE: New Horizon North Mine, Permit No. C-2010-089 Technical Revision No. 25 Preliminary Adequacy Review

Dear Mr. Tennyson,

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (the Division) received the New Horizon North Mine's submittal of required items for a Technical Revision on April 3, 2024. The information provided allowed the revision to be called complete on April 11, 2024. The Division has completed reviewing the application submittal for TR-25 and has no adequacy comments regarding the revision.

Two comment letters were received by the Division during the public comment period for TR-25. The public comment period for the revision's public notice ended on May 17, 2024. One letter from History Colorado State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) and one letter from Colorado Parks and Wildlife (CPW) are attached with this letter for your reference. Both SHPO and CPW had no concerns regarding TR-25.

This concludes the Division's preliminary adequacy review for the New Horizon North Mine's Technical Revision No. 25 application. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Clayton Wein Environmental Protection Specialist <u>clayton.wein@state.co.us</u>

cc: Travis Marshall, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist DRMS GJFO





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RE: New Horizon North Mine (Permit No. C-2010-089) Technical Revision No. 25 (TR-25), TR-25 (HC# 67460)

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Marques - HC, Matthew <matthew.marques@state.co.us> To: Clayton Wein - DNR <clayton.wein@state.co.us> Wed, Apr 24, 2024 at 8:31 AM

Hi Clayton,

After reviewing the documentation provided for the subject undertaking, we understand that the proposed technical revision involves the addition of as-built drawings to a permit. Since the revision only includes the addition of drawings to a permit for a pond that has already been constructed, it appears that this revision does not involve activities requiring review under Section 106 of the NHPA. If additional activities are proposed, we request further consultation with our office.

Regards,

Matthew Marques

Section 106 Compliance Manager

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RE: New Horizon North Mine, Technical Revision No. 25 (TR-25)

Dear Mr. Wein,

Colorado Parks and Wildlife has reviewed the Technical Revision No. 25 (TR-25) for the New Horizon North Mine. Colorado Parks and Wildlife (CPW) has a statutory responsibility to manage all wildlife species in Colorado; this responsibility is embraced and fulfilled through CPW's mission to protect, preserve, enhance, and manage the wildlife of Colorado for the use, benefit, and enjoyment of the people of the State and its visitors.

CPW has no wildlife comments to add regarding the technical revision.

CPW would like to thank DRMS for the opportunity to comment on such land use actions that have direct impact on our natural resources. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact District Wildlife Manager Tony Bonacquista at 970-209-2374.

Sincerely,

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CC:Area 18 file; SW Region File



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