



June 28, 2024

Jim Begano  
New Elk Coal Company, LLC.  
12250 Highway 12  
Weston, CO 81091

**RE: New Elk Mine, C-1981-012 Violation No. MV-2024-002 Abatement Deadline  
Extension Request Approval**

Dear Mr. Begano,

On June 28, 2024, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety received your request for an extension for the violation abatement deadline for violation number MV-2024-002. The decision date has been extended from July 1, 2024 to **July 31, 2024**.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (720) 836-0967 or [amber.gibson@state.co.us](mailto:amber.gibson@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

Amber M. Gibson  
Environmental Protection Specialist

Ec: Jared Ebert, DRMS

