

June 30, 2024

Mr. Brock Bowles Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: Parsons Mine, M-2009-082, Follow-up to inspection dated November 1, 2023

Dear Mr. Bowles:

Please accept this letter as our response for the items in the inspection report dated November 21, 2023:

2) CORRECTIVE ACTIONS: Implement approved weed control plan and provide proof to the Division that this has been done in accordance with the Noxious Weed Control Plan approved with the original permit application in 2009.

RESPONSE: This inspection was completed in November and the Russian Olive trees in several areas, particularly near Phase 1C and Phase 3, were already going dormant. Russian Olive trees have been removed. Please see photographs on the following page.

Please let me know if anything additional is needed.

Sincerely,

Julie Mikulas

Julie Mikulas Regional Land Manager

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