



July 29, 2024

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

**RE: Lorencito Mine, C-1996-084 Violation No. CV-2024-001 Abatement Deadline
Extension Request Approval**

Dear Mr. Begano,

On July 29, 2024, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety received your request for an extension for the violation abatement deadline for violation number CV-2024-001. The decision date has been extended from July 31, 2024 to **August 30, 2024**.

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

Sincerely,

Amber M. Gibson
Environmental Protection Specialist

Ec: Jared Ebert, DRMS

