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Letter regarding the Keenesburg Strip Mine

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Hello, Jerry -

The attached letter was returned to DRMS, because of an inaccurate address I assume.

Please review it when you have time or forward to a cohort if you are not the best contact at the HMWMD. I am available for questions, but today is not good - I am mostly tied up in meetings.

Thank you, Rob

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Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety Department of Natural Resources

I am working remotely and can be reached by cell at 720.601.2276. **Physical Address:** 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203 Mailing Address: Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Room 215 1001 East 62nd Avenue Denver, CO 80216 rob.zuber@state.co.us | http://drms.colorado.gov

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July 11, 2024

Colorado Department of Health - HMWMD-B2 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South Denver, CO 80222

Re: Keenesburg Strip Mine (Permit No. C-1981-028) Permit Revision Application No. 3 (PR-3) Add Industrial/Commercial Post-Mining Land Use

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety hereby issues notice, in accordance with Title 34, Article 33, Section 118, Paragraph 3, of the Colorado Revised Statutes, that on July 11, 2024, an application to revise coal mining operations at the Keenesburg Strip Mine was considered complete for the purposes of filing. All review and comment periods as provided in the Act and the Regulations initiate from this date of filing.

Permit revision to establish the approved post-mining land use as Industrial/Commercial for the entire permit area. This will allow for renewable energy development at the site. The applicant is not proposing additional surface disturbance outside of the area currently approved for disturbance.

The surface coal mining operation is on land located approximately 7 miles North of Keenesburg, Colorado. The permit area is further described as follows:

All or portions of Sections 2 and 11, T2N, R64W; and Sections 25 and 36, T3N, R64W; 6th Prime Meridian.

The above-mentioned tracts of land are shown on the following USGS 7.5 minute Quadrangle map(s): Klug Ranch.

The revision application, as well as all other permit documents, can be viewed at <u>https://dnrweblink.state.co.us/drms/search.aspx</u> by searching C1981028 in the "*Permit No*" field. A user guide is available to help first time users of the imaged document system and can be viewed at <u>https://drive.google.com/file/d/1180Udf_Mpjo3kxIHkP5hMH-w7MeBtxX7/view.</u>

A copy of the revision application is available for public inspection at the Keenesburg Town Hall, 140 S Main, Keenesburg, CO 80643. For additional information, to provide written comments, or



to request an informal conference, contact the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Room 215, 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, Colorado 80203, (303) 866-3567, within thirty (30) days after the last public notice in the *Fort Lupton Press*.

Sincerely,

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