

December 26, 2024

Amber Gibson Environmental Protection Specialist Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: New Elk Mine

Permit C-1981-012 RN 8 Extension Request

Dear Ms. Gibson,

New Elk Coal Company requests to please extend the RN 8 date to January 31st, 2025.

Sincerely,

John Terry