

February 19, 2025

Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety Room 215 1001 East 62<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Denver, CO 80216

Attention: Amy Yeldell

RE: Collett Property, Permit No. M-2024-012 and M-2022-051

Ms. Yeldell,

On November 26, 2024, W.W. Clyde & Co. (WW Clyde) received a letter from the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (DRMS) granting an extension to install control measures at the Collett Property, Permit No. M-2024-012 and M-2022-051. The inspection documenting the "problems" and required corrective actions was conducted on August 7, 2024.

Per the extension approval letter, WW Clyde was required to armor the culverts at the Collett property by February 15, 2025. As described in our email correspondence on February 10 and 12, 2025, our erosion control contractor Shawn Bolton (Bolton Construction) has been monitoring the weather and site conditions and said he hasn't seen an opportunity to perform the work due to snowy conditions. He believes that if they perform any work, it will create additional areas of concern and frozen ground will prevent them from properly completing the work. Mr. Bolton lives in Meeker and drives by the Collett property on a regular basis and he said he will monitor the conditions and will let us know when they can access the site and do the work.

Thus, WW Clyde requests an extension to complete the culvert armoring before March 31, 2025. As stated above if site conditions improve we will complete the work sooner if possible.

If you need any more information regarding this project please contact me at 303-906-6611 or by email at cabeyta@wwclyde.net.

Sincerely,

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Chris Abeyta Environmental Manager

