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To: Dustin Czapla Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

Subject: Request for Reclamation Plan Revision - Donley Quarry (Permit No. 10M01892F [M-2011-005])

Dear Division Staff,

Montrose County respectfully requests a revision to the approved reclamation plan for the Donley Quarry. The current reclamation language states:

"Backfill will be imported from other Montrose County projects as needed to provide adequate quantity."

We propose to revise this language to the following:

"Reclamation to be completed with materials available within the permit area. This would typically be cut and fill of the highwall slopes to reach the 3H:1V grade."

This revision reflects Montrose County's intent to utilize onsite materials to achieve final reclamation contours, aligning with practical and resource-efficient methods while still meeting the intended reclamation goals.

Please let us know if additional documentation or technical information is required to proceed with this request.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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