

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Seneca Property, LLC, 29515 Routt County Road 27, Oak Creek, Colorado 80467, has filed with the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety a Permit Renewal (No. 08) for the Seneca II-W Mine, Permit C-82-057. This application is to renew the approved permit for the next 5 year permit term. Coal extraction has been completed at the mine and continuing activity under the permit will be limited to reclamation, maintenance and monitoring.

The general legal description of the Seneca II-W Permit Area is described as:

<u>T5N, R88W</u>	<u>(Mine Area)</u>
Section 9:	Portions of SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , and W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 10:	S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , Portions of S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 11:	Portions of S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 14:	Portions of SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , and S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 15:	All
Section 16:	Portions of W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , and SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 21:	Portions of E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 22:	NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , N <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , Portions of N <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , and SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 23:	NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , and W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Section 26:	W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , and Portions of W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> and W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 27:	E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Section 34:	NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , N <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , and Portions of N <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Section 35:	NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , N <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> and Portions of N <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> SE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> , and W <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> E <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> NE <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>

All west of the 6th Principal Meridian; totaling 3,878.5 acres.

Legal owners of record of the surface of the permit area are:

Babson Farms, Inc.  
Boulware, Joe Wood and Jody Boulware Perret  
Colorado, State of  
Dave Smith & Sons LLC  
Friederich Family Trust  
Hayden Public Library  
Salt River Project (ETAL)  
Sage Creek Holdings LLC  
Steamboat Partners LP  
USA (Bureau of Land Management)

The Seneca II-W Mine is located approximately seven miles south of the Town of Hayden, Colorado. The USGS 7.5 Minute Quadrangle Maps of Hayden Gulch, Dunckley, and Mt. Harris, contain the described permit area. No changes to approved mining and reclamation plans are proposed in the renewal application.

Copies of the PAP (less confidential materials) are available for inspection at the mine office and the office of the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety. A copy of the Renewal Application is also available for public inspection at the:

Foidel Creek Mine Office  
29515 Routt County Road 27  
Oak Creek, CO 80467

Written comments or objections to the Permit renewal application; a request for informal conference summarizing the requestor's issue(s) and indicating whether or not the requestor desires the conference to be held in the mine locale; or a request for a public hearing (held in the mine locale) to determine whether the interests of the public and affected landowners will be protected (re: proximity of mining operations to public roads) should be submitted to the State of Colorado, Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, Colorado 80203-2273 within thirty days of the last date of publication of this notice.