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Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

July 31, 2025

Jason Burkey
Oldcastle SW Group, Inc. dba United Companies of Mesa County
2273 River Road
Grand Junction, CO 81502

RE: Blair Mesa Pit, File No. M-1996-082 , Technical Revision (TR-4) Adequacy Review

Dear Mr. Burkey:

On July 31, 2025, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your Technical Revision request TR-4 for the Blair Mesa Pit, Permit No. **M-1996-082**. The revision requested addresses the following items:

Leave existing stockpile(s) of material post-reclamation pre the landowners request

During review of the material submitted, the Division determined that the following issue(s) of concern need to be adequately addressed before the Technical Revision can be considered for approval. Please provide the following:

As noted in the Divisions July 11, 2025, inspection report the TR needed to include the estimated volume(s), material type(s) and location(s) of any stockpiles to remain. As well as providing an update Reclamation Plan Map depicting the stockpile(s) location, final as-built map.

Please submit your response(s) to the above listed issue(s) by Friday, August 22, 2025 in order to allow the Division sufficient time for review. If you cannot address the above issues by August 22, 2025 please request an extension to the decision due date to ensure adequate time for the Division to review materials. A decision due date of August 29, 2025 has been set. If any adequacy issues remain by the decision due date the Division may deny your request.

Please note that the Division cannot approve SL-2 without first approving TR-4. The Decision Due Date for SL-2 is August 26, 2025.



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If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. Amy Yeldell at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman St., Room 215, Denver, CO 80203. Direct contact can be made by phone at 970-254-8511 or via email at amy.yeldell@ state.co.us

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Amy Yeldell". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Amy Yeldell

Environmental Protection Specialist

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Jesse Farmer

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