



COLORADO
Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

September 4, 2025

Jodi Schreiber
Southway Construction Company
117 Pine DR
Alamosa, CO 81101

RE: Burton Pit, Permit #M-1987-013 Succession of Operators, Application Complete, Approval Pending Financial Warranty, Revision SO-01

Dear Jodi Schreiber:

On September 4, 2025 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety approved the succession of operators from Southway Construction Company, Inc. to the Rio Grande Canal Water Users Assoc. for this operation. to the Rio Grande Canal Water Users Assoc. is required to provide the required financial warranty to complete this transfer. Once the financial warranty is provided by to the Rio Grande Canal Water Users Assoc. and approved by the Division, this transfer will be complete and you will receive final approval notification. Upon approval of the to the Rio Grande Canal Water Users Assoc. financial warranty, the Southway Construction Company, Inc. financial warranty will be released and returned to you.

Should Rio Grande Canal Water Users Assoc. fail to provide the required financial warranty of \$42,184.00 within 60 days of notification, this succession of operator approval will be denied and Southway Construction Company, Inc. will remain responsible for all provisions in M-1987-013, as well as those specified in the Rules and Regulations.

Please make arrangements with Sara M Stevenson-Benn at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety Denver Office (phone no. 303.866.3567, ext. 8148 or by email at sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us) for submittal of the financial warranty. Any questions regarding completion, execution and/or submittal of financial warranty forms should also be directed to Sara Stevenson-Benn.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me by phone (720) 688-0626 or by email at todd.jesse@state.co.us

Sincerely,

Todd Jesse
Environmental Protection Specialist



Cc: Sara Stevenson-Benn, Financial Assurance Specialist, DRMS
Travis Marshall, DRMS
Jay Yeager, Rio Grande Canal Water Users Assoc.