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DELIVERED VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL Stephen Cohen <s.cohen@disausa.com>

Aura-Grit Upper Level Notice for Exploration – Acceptance of 3809 Notice

Dear Mr. Cohen:

On September 11, 2025 the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Tres Rios Field Office (TRFO) received Aura-Grit's complete notice (COCO106747118) to conduct exploratory drilling on unpatented lode mining claims on TRFO administered public lands in NMPM T46N, R18W, Sec 34. Aura-Grit proposes to drill 11 boreholes, averaging 30 feet deep, and collect up to five 5-gallon buckets of hand samples, totaling 149 square feet of disturbance on an existing waste rock pile in Bull Canyon.

This office has completed the review of this Notice as per 43 CFR 3809.11 and determined it is complete, containing all the information required by the surface management regulations at 43 CFR 3809.301. We have also determined that the Notice as submitted is adequate to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation as defined by 43 CFR 3809.5. Activities under this Notice may commence as submitted. You must adhere to the performance standards outlined in 43 CFR 3809.420, where applicable all federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and permit requirements.

This decision does not constitute certification of ownership to any entity named in the Notice, recognition of the validity of any associated mining claims, or recognition of the economic feasibility of the proposed operations.

Term of Notice – This Notice (COCO106747118) will remain in effect for two years from the date of this letter unless you notify this office beforehand that operations have ceased, and reclamation is complete. If you wish to conduct operations for another two years after the expiration date of this Notice, you must notify this office in writing on or before the expiration date as required by 43 CFR 3809.333.

Exploration activities under this Notice may not begin until all necessary federal and state approvals have been obtained.

If you have any questions, please contact Bridge bcwade@blm.gov .	t Wade, TRFO Geologist, at 970-385-1342 or
	Sincerely,
	Derek Padilla Field Manager

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