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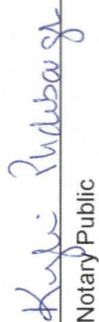
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PROPOSED DECISION TECHNICAL REVISION APPLICATION No. 109 (TR-109)

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety proposes to approve Technical Revision Application No. 109 (TR-109) for the New Horizon Mine (Permit No. C-1981-008), submitted by Elk Ridge Mining and Reclamation, LLC. TR-109 proposes to reduce the permit boundary for Phase III bond release areas pending under the SL-29 Phase III Bond Release Application.

The New Horizon Mine is a/an surface coal mine located in Montrose County, approximately 1.7 miles NW of Nucula, Colorado. Coal interest is private, and the surface affected is private land. The permit area encompasses approximately 335.45 acres.

This proposed decision is based on a finding of whether the proposed operation will comply with all requirements of the Colorado Surface Coal Mining Reclamation Act, Section 3433101, et seq., C.R.S., and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

The revision application, as well as all other permit documents, can be viewed at <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/180UdF-Mp03kxHkF5hMH-w7MeBtX7/view>.

Persons with an interest that may be adversely affected by the proposed decision may request a formal hearing before the Mined Land Reclamation Board on the proposed decision. Such request must be made within ten (10) days of the date following initial publication of this notice, must be in writing, and must state with reasonable specificity the reasons for the request and the objections to the proposed decision.

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