

From: Kaldenbach, Tom
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2012 5:09 PM
To: 'Hughes, Brenda'
Cc: 'John Hamrick'
Subject: RE: Public Notice Approval SR-04 and SR-05

Brenda,

The notice will be adequate with the handwritten changes shown in red on the attached copy. You should know that yesterday (May 29, 2012) DRMS denied the two bond release requests (SR-04 and SR-05) for reasons unrelated to the notice.

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From: Hughes, Brenda [<mailto:Brenda.Hughes@RioGrandeResources.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2012 3:06 PM
To: Kaldenbach, Tom
Subject: Public Notice Approval

Hi Tom,

Thanks for the phone call last week – enjoyed visiting. Attached is a combined public notice for the release of the bonds covering TR 12, TR-13 and TR-15, which all together total \$413,218. Please review and approve prior to sending the public notice to the Golden Transcript for publication.

Don't hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Thanks, Brenda
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Cotter Corporation, 7800 East Dorado Place #210, Englewood, CO 80111, 720-554-6200, has filed an application for a Partial Release of Financial Warranty with the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board under provisions of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Act. The mine is known as the Schwartzwalder Mine, and is located at or near Section 25, T2S, R71W, 6th PM, Jefferson County, Colorado, approximately five miles northwest of Golden.

amount of the release application is \$413,218 for

The work ~~was~~ completed between July 15, 2010 and October 18, 2011, consisting of performing interim groundwater treatment at Sump 1; the construction of Sumps 5, 8, 9 and 10 at the mine; the purchase and mobilization of water treatment equipment to the site system installation; and the operation and maintenance of the water treatment system for the initial 8 weeks of operation at the mine. The proposed future use of the land is continued reclamation of the mine site. Additional information and tentative decision date may be obtained from the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, 303-866-3567, or the above named applicant.

Comments must be in writing and must be received by the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety within 30 days of this public notice.

concerning the appropriateness of the requested release