## STATE OF COLORADO

#### DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY

Department of Natural Resources

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#### C-LP-21 Mine, Permit M-1977-305, Annual Fee Invoice and Report Request

# PLEASE READ CAREFULLY – ACTION REQUIRED Please attach your COMPLETED written Annual Report and Annual Report Map to this form

Under the terms of your NOI or Reclamation Permit and Colorado Statutes, you must submit Annual Fees and Annual Reports (including a map). You must pay the Annual Fee and submit an Annual Report each year until reclamation responsibility release is granted. The Annual Fee is not a renewal fee. The Fee and Report are for LAST YEAR'S mining and reclamation season, and MUST be paid even if your operation was inactive.

The Annual Report and Fee requirement will be considered submitted when we have received the following components:

- 1. <u>APPROPRIATE ANNUAL FEE</u>
- 2. COMPLETED ANNUAL REPORT
- 3. ASSOCIATED MAP as required by rule

If you have requested reclamation responsibility release from the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (the "Division") but your permit is not released by the anniversary date listed below, the Annual Fee MUST be paid. If the permit is released before the anniversary date, then by Statute, it is not necessary to pay an Annual Fee or submit an Annual Report for that year.

Division records indicate the \$1,150.00 fee is due for the following:

Permit: M-1977-305 Operation Name: C-LP-21 Mine Anniversary Date: March 31, 2013

Total Fee Due: \$1,150.00 (Due on or before your Anniversary Date)

Return the enclosed <u>Annual Report FORM</u>, a <u>MAP</u>, and a <u>CHECK</u> or <u>MONEY ORDER</u> made payable to: Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman St., Room 215, Denver, CO 80203. If your records indicate these documents and fees have already been submitted, please notify the Division.

If you have additional comments and/or information that should be provided to the Division, please provide it below or attach it to this form along with your written report and map. Annual Report instructions are enclosed. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jim Dupler (303)866-3567 x8119 or Christine Brookshire (303)866-3567 x8132. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

IF THE ANNUAL FEE SUBMITTALS ARE NOT RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE YOUR ANNIVERSARY DATE, THE ENFORCEMENT PROCESS WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE INIATIED. ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS MAY RESULT IN CIVIL PENALTIES AND/OR REVOCATION OF YOUR PERMIT.

### 112d-1 Annual Report

| Permittee Name: | Cotter Corporation | Permit Number:    | M-1977-305     |
|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Operation Name: | C-LP-21 Mine       | County:           | Montrose       |
| Annual Fee Due: | \$1,150.00         | Anniversary Date: | March 31, 2013 |
| Permit Acreage: | 13.20              | Current Bond Amt: | \$48,100.00    |

According to C.R.S. 34-32.5-116 or 34-32-116, each year, on the anniversary date of the permit, an operator shall submit the Annual Fee, an Annual Report and Map showing the extent of current disturbances to affected land, required monitoring information, reclamation accomplished to date and during the preceding year, any new disturbance that is anticipated to occur during the upcoming year, any reclamation that will be performed during the upcoming year, the dates for the beginning of active operations, and the date active operations ceased for the year.

Information contained in this report will be reviewed by the Division upon receipt and prior to the next compliance inspection of the site. If, while completing this report, you learn that your site is not in compliance with the rules and the act, it is advisable that the issues be rectified promptly to avoid possible enforcement action.

| 1.   | Is the site identi  | site identification sign posted in accordance with Rule 3.1.12(1). |           |              |          |                     |         |            | YES      | NO        |   |  |
|--|---|--|-----------|--------------|----------|---------------------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|---|--|
| 2.   | Is the affected area boundary clearly marked in accordance with Rule 3.1.12(2).   |  |           |              |          |                     |         |            | YES      | NO        |   |  |
| 3.   | Is the mine site in final reclamation (all material extraction and stockpile removal is complete) If "YES," please note time limits related to completion of reclamation, Rule 3.1.3. |  |           |              |          |                     |         | ete)?      | YES      | NO        |   |  |
| 4. What was the date of last excavation, processing or hauling activity at the mine? |   |  |           |              |          |                     |         |            |          |           |   |  |
| 5.   | 5. Does the mine operate more than 180 days per year If "NO", please review Rule 1.13 to assure that your mine is in compliance.  |  |           |              |          |                     |         |            | YES      | NO        |   |  |
| 6.   | Has this mine been granted:  a) approval of TEMPORARY CESSATION Status? b) approval for INTERMITTENT OPERATION?   |  |           |              |          |                     |         | YES<br>YES | NO<br>NO |           |   |  |
| 7.   | Number of acre  | s currently  | affected  | (mining +    | incom    | plete and or unrele | easec   | d reclama  | tion).   |           |   |  |
| 8.   | Number of acre  | s that were  | newly af  | fected dur   | ing the  | current report year | ar.     |            |          |           |   |  |
| 9.   | Number of acre  | s that were  | reclaime  | d during tl  | ne curr  | ent report year.    |         |            |          |           |   |  |
| 10.  | . Estimated new   | acreage to b   | e affecte | ed in the ne | ext repo | ort year.           |         |            |          |           |   |  |
| 11.  | . Estimated acres   | to be recla  | imed in t | he next rej  | port ye  | ar.                 |         |            |          |           |   |  |
| 12   | Total agree in s  | various stag   | os of roc | lomotion (   | since n  | ermitted mining a   | otivi   | tion bogo  | n.       |           |   |  |
| ΙΖ.  | Total acres   |  | Total acr |              | since p  | Total acres         |         |            | Fotal ac | rrec      |   |  |
|  | backfilled:   |  | seeded w  |              |          | w/topsoil           |         |            | nulche   |           |   |  |
|  | ouckillieu.   |  | approved  |              |          | replaced:           |         |            |          | ed mulch: |   |  |
| -  | Total acres   | tal acres Total acres Top  |           | Topsoil      |          | Mulch appl          |         |            | n        |           |   |  |
|  | graded:   |  |           | replacement  |          |                     | ate (to |            |          |           |   |  |
|  | 6   | apvd fertilizer: depth (in.):                                      |           |              |          |                     |         |            |          |           |   |  |
| f  | Seed  | l  | •         | Fertilizer   |          | /                   | 1       | Mulch      |          |           | ı |  |
|  | application   |  |           | application  | on       |                     |         | applicat   | ion      |           |   |  |
|  | mathad:   |  |           | mathadi      |          |                     |         | mathadi    |          |           |   |  |

| 13. Is weed control being conducted in accordance with an approved Weed Control Plan? YES NO No If "YES", indicate the weed species, control area, control type, application rate and treatment date on the report in the control of th |  |   |                 |          |              |  |
|--|--|---|-----------------|----------|--------------|--|
| 14. Is adequate topsoil<br>If "NO", please ex  | YES  | NO  | N/A             |          |              |  |
| 15. Is the reserved tops If "NO" please exp  | YES  | NO  | N/A             |          |              |  |
| 16. If mining has expo<br>Engineer (Well Per   | an and Off<br>YES  | ice of th<br>NO   | ne State<br>N/A |          |              |  |
| 17. Are all hazardous r  | YES  | NO  | N/A             |          |              |  |
| 18. Is your financial w  | he cost to complete reclamation?   | YES   | NO              | N/A      |              |  |
| 19. Is your basis for le   | gal right to enter still valid?  |   | YES             | NO       |              |  |
| 20. Does your permit r<br>If "Yes", please att   | information annually?<br>Its to this Annual Report.  | YES   | NO              | N/A      |              |  |
| Division records indica print <u>current</u> contact in  | te the following permittee contact of the following | ems 7- 12 and 14. UPDATED MAP At information. If this information is no     |                 |          | type or      |  |
| Permittee Contact:   | Glen Williams  |   |                 |          |              |  |
| Permittee Company:   | Cotter Corporation   |   |                 |          |              |  |
| Address:   | P.O. Box 700   |   |                 |          |              |  |
|  | Nucla, CO 81424  |   |                 |          |              |  |
| Phone Number:  | (970) 864-7347   |   |                 |          |              |  |
| Fax Number:  | (970) 864-7287   |   |                 |          |              |  |
| Email Address:   | CF.PR.email  |   |                 |          |              |  |
|  |  | vided in this report is true and accurate red mining and reclamation plans. | , and that      | site ope | erations are |  |
| Signature of <u>Permitte</u>   | e, Corporate Officer, Owner, or  | r <u>Documented Designee</u>  | Date            |          | _            |  |