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**Re: New Horizon Mine - Permit No. C-1981-008
Permit Renewal No. 6 (RN-06)
Extension of Due Date**

Dear Mr. Gubka:

The Division has received, via Email, your request for an extension of the Decision Due Date for RN-06 for the New Horizon Mine.

In accordance with this request, which will grant Western Fuels sufficient time in which to respond to the Division's April 12, 2013 preliminary adequacy review, and allow the Division time to complete its adequacy review of the permit, the Decision Date is hereby extended from August 30, 2013 to October 18, 2013.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any additional questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Marcia L. Talvitie, P.E.
Environmental Protection Specialist

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