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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUEST

May 06, 2019

Mr. Michael Neumann, Sr. Project Consultant
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RE: 2nd Set of Agency Comments, Roca Honda Mine - Baseline Data Report Revision 1 – Addendum 1 Permit Application No. MK025RN

Dear Mr. Neumann:

The Mining and Minerals Division (“MMD”) has reviewed the Roca Honda Resources (“RHR”) Baseline Data Report Revision 1 Addendum 1 response to Agency comments that was dated February 8, 2019. MMD and the Environment Department (“NMED”) have additional comments on the February 8, 2019 response to comments. Please address the questions and concerns below.

MMD Comments

1. RHR’s response to Question 2 of MMD’s Comments in the 2018 Nov. 29 Letter titled, *Agency Comments, Roca Honda Mine - Baseline Date Report Revision 1 – Addendum 1 Permit Application No. MK025RN* is still lacking the required Surface Water Map pursuant to 19.10.6.602 D (13) (g) NMAC that relates to the new addition in the permit boundary of Sect 17 and 8.
2. Please provide updated information for the new addition in the permit boundary of Sect 17 and 8 to address BDR information required by 19.10.6.602 D (13) (h) and (j). MMD recognizes RHR’s comment of including these items in the MORP, but per the New Mexico Mining Act Rules, these items much be incorporated as part of the BDR prior to its approval.

NMED Comments

1. Please review and respond to comments from NMED’s 01 May 2019 letter including comments from the Mining Environmental Compliance Section Ground Water Quality Bureau and the Surface Water Quality Bureau.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 476-3413 or at
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Sincerely,



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Enclosures:

The New Mexico Environment Department Ground Water Quality Bureau and
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