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April 9, 2025

Mr. Skyler Wildenstein  
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**Technically Complete: *March 2025 Final Reclamation Plan*, Southwest Resources Inc., Section 12 Mine, McKinley Co., NM, Permit Tracking No. MK046RE**

Greetings:

The New Mexico Mining and Minerals Division (MMD) has received the *March 2025 Final Reclamation Plan* and hereby deems the plan Technically Complete.

Prior to reclamation beginning on the site MMD will require the final Settlement Agreement to be signed by all parties.

Should you have any questions, comments, or require additional information concerning this letter, please contact me at (505) 467-9589, or via email at: [clinton.chisler@emnrd.nm.gov](mailto:clinton.chisler@emnrd.nm.gov).

Sincerely,

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Mining Act Reclamation Program (MARF)  
New Mexico Mining and Minerals Division

cc: Chelsea Fox, Mining and Minerals Division Counsel  
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Mine File (MK046RE)

**Agency Response to August 22, 2024 Submittals, Southwest Resources Inc., Section 12 Mine,  
McKinley Co., NM, Permit Tracking No. MK046RE**

**November 27, 2024**

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