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June 10, 1981

Mr. W. H. Haynes, Jr., President
Western Division
Valley Camp of Utah, Inc.
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RE: Approval to Mine
Carbon County Lease
Belina No. 2 Mine
ACT/007/001
Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Haynes:

Pursuant to your request of March 6, 1981, for approval to commence initial underground development of the Belina No.2 Mine, the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, hereby issues approval. This approval for the Belina No. 2 Mine is for development and production of coal only from the Lower O'Connor Seam under lease to Valley Camp of Utah, Inc. from Carbon County. The development includes surface facilities already constructed as well as the installation of a fan and a conveyor belt. The Division will approve development and production from the Federal leases upon concurrence of approval from the Office of Surface Mining. The Division understands that the USGS Conservation Division in Salt Lake City has reviewed your permanent program submittal and has specified requirements pursuant to 30 CFR 211 in a letter to the Regional Director, OSM, Region V. Valley Camp of Utah, Inc. must also comply with these requirements as part of the overall approval to mine the Federal leases.

Again, as a "minor modification" to the existing Belina No.1 interim mine plan, this approval is subject to review and final approval of the permanent program submission received by the Division on February 10, 1981. As agreed in conversations with you, the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining has conditioned this approval upon Valley Camp of Utah, Inc., herein the applicant, complying with the following stipulations:

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STIPULATIONS FOR APPROVAL TO MINE
CARBON COUNTY LEASE
BELINA NO. 2 MINE

Stipulation 6-81-1:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to obtain an Air Quality Permit from the Utah State Division of Environmental Health, Bureau of Air Quality for the Belina No. 2 Mine and comply with the conditions of said permit prior to and during mining operations.

Stipulation 6-81-2:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to prepare a Spill Prevention Control and Counter Measure Plan (SPCC) as required by the Federal Water Pollution Control Act for the storage of diesel and gasoline. Further, the applicant will submit this plan as part of the permanent program submittal under UMC 782.19 to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining and the Utah Division of Environmental Health, Bureau of Water Pollution Control by July 30, 1981.

Stipulation 6-81-3:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to submit the information for all sedimentation pond designs as required by the Utah State Division of Water Rights pursuant to their letter of February 24, 1981. The applicant shall submit the same detailed information to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining and the Division of Environmental Health, Bureau of Water Pollution Control. All plans shall demonstrate compliance with UMC 817.46 and be submitted no later than August 30, 1981.

Stipulation 6-81-4:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to prepare inlet and discharge structure designs for all culverts within the permit area which do not comply with UMC 817.47 and 817.153(c). The Applicant will submit the inventory of all culverts with plans for construction of those culverts which do not comply, as well as photographs or as-built plans of existing culverts which do comply in order to demonstrate compliance per UMC 784.12.

Stipulation 6-81-5:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to submit plans for disposal of all excess materials generated with snow removal or excavation which are now stored on the Belina Pad above the sedimentation pond. The applicant must designate areas for disposal of this material and incorporate this material into the designated fill area by September 30, 1981.

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Stipulation 6-81-6:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to apply for a discharge permit (NPDES) for the Belina sedimentation pond by July 30, 1981. The Applicant must apply to EPA, Region VIII, located in Denver, Colorado, and submit a copy of the application to the Utah Division of State Health, Bureau of Water Pollution Control.

Stipulation 6-81-7:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to develop plans (UMC 784.12[4][b]) for the enlargement and reconstruction of the mine water filter pond and submit plans to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining and the Division of Environmental Health, Bureau of Water Pollution Control by July 30, 1981. The applicant shall show compliance with UMC 817.50(b)(2) for the mine water discharge. The applicant shall divert all other disturbed drainage away from said pond unless the applicant provides calculations to show that the filter pond is adequately sized to treat both the 10-year, 24-hour storm from the disturbed area and the mine water discharge. The applicant agrees to complete construction of the filter pond by October 30, 1981 if plans are approved by August 30, 1981.

Stipulation 6-81-8:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to construct a discharge structure for the inlet culvert which discharges into the Belina sedimentation pond per UMC 817.47 by July 30, 1981.

Stipulation 6-81-9:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to repair the leak in the outlet pipe located in the mine water filter pond by June 30, 1981.

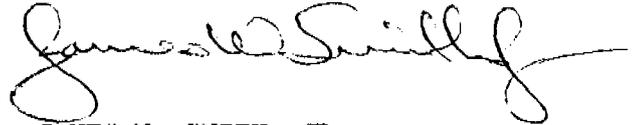
Stipulation 6-81-10:

THE APPLICANT AGREES to complete construction of inlet and outlet structures for the culvert that is adjacent to the conveyor belt on the Belina No. 1 pad adjacent to the newly constructed conveyor belt by July 30, 1981. The water shall be coursed such that water cannot impound seep into fills, or cause any excess erosion by flowing in an uncontrolled manner.

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Please feel free to call the Division concerning any of these stipulations or any problems with compliance. The Division is presently reviewing your permanent program permit application and will be sending your company an apparent completeness review in the near future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "James W. Smith, Jr.", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

JAMES W. SMITH, JR.
COORDINATOR OF MINED
LAND DEVELOPMENT

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