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July 13, 1999

*Via Facsimile & U.S. Mail*

Ms. Pamela Grubaugh-Littig  
 Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining  
 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210  
 Salt Lake City, Utah 84116

**RE: Affidavit of Publication - White Oak Mining & Construction Co.,  
 Inc., Permit No. ACT/007/001 - Permit Renewal**

Dear Ms. Littig:

Enclosed is the original Affidavit of Publication for White Oak Mining & Construction Co., Inc.'s Application for Permit Renewal for Permit No. ACT/007/001.

Please let me know if you need anything further regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

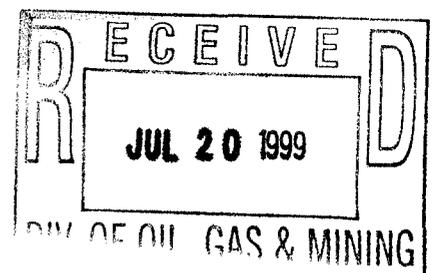


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Enclosure

cc: Scott Kiscaden  
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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

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County of Carbon,)

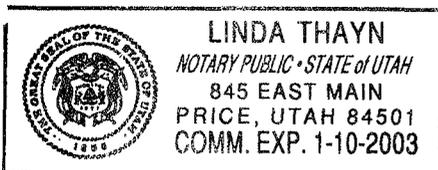
I, Kevin Ashby, on oath, say that I am the Publisher of the Sun Advocate, a twice-weekly newspaper of general circulation, published at Price, State and County aforesaid, and that a certain notice, a true copy of which is hereto attached, was published in the full issue of such newspaper for 4(four) consecutive issues, and that the first publication was on the 17th day of June, 1999 and that the last publication of such notice was in the issue of such newspaper dated the 8th day of July, 1999.

*Kevin Ashby*  
Kevin Ashby - Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July 1999.

*Linda Thayne*  
Notary Public My commission expires January 10, 2003 Residing at Price, Utah

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**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that White Oak Mining & Construction Co., Inc., HC35, Box 370, Helper, Utah 84526, has submitted an Application for Permit Renewal to the Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining for the White Oak Mine Complex, Permit No. ACT/007/001.

The mine permit are is located as follows:

Township 13 South, Range 6 East, SLBM

Section 24: SE 1/4, and portions of S 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, and E 1/2 SW 1/4

Section 25: E 1/2, portion of W 1/2

Section 35: Portions of E 1/2 E 1/2, and SW 1/4 and SE 1/4

Section 36: All

Township 13 South, Range 7 East, SLBM

Section 8: E 1/2 SE 1/4, portion of SW 1/4 SE 1/4

Section 9: W 1/2 SW 1/4

Section 16: W 1/2 W 1/2, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4

Section 17: NE 1/4 excluding parts of SW 1/4 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4,

Section 19: S 1/2 SW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, and portions of W 1/2 E 1/2, E 1/2 NW 1/4,

Section 20: Portions of NE 1/4 NE 1/4

Section 21: Portions of NW 1/4 NW 1/4

Section 30: W 1/2 W 1/2, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4

Section 31: W 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4

Township 14 South, Range 6 East, SLBM

Section 1: E 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4

Township 14 South, Range 7 East, SLBM

Section 6: W 1/2, W 1/2 E 1/2

Section 7: NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4

A copy of the Application for Permit Renewal is available for public inspection at the County Recorder Offices of Carbon County and Emery County, Utah.

Pertinent comments are solicited from anyone affected by this proposal. Such comments should be filed within the next thirty (30) days with:

State of Utah  
Department of Natural Resources  
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining  
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