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Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
1594 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, Utah
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Subject: Notification of Bond Release for Phase I Bond Release Inspection for Reclaimed Areas, Hiawatha Coal Co. Inc., Permit Number C0070011.

To Whom It May Concern,

On November 19, 2013 I attended site visit for the phase I bond release at the Hiawatha Coal Co. Inc. reclamation site. The area that had been reclaimed had great plant cover. The reclaimed area had establishment of seeded plant species. There was sign of wildlife in the area along with sign of wildlife utilizing vegetation within the reclaimed area. The area that bond release is being requested has been reclaimed to a state that benefits wildlife.

Thank you for the opportunity to attend the site visit for the proposed bond release and provide comment. If you have any questions, please call Nicole Nielson at our Price office (435-820-0687) or nicolenielson@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

Chris Wood
Regional Supervisor

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