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*See attached  
mailing list.*

Subject: Notification of Bond Release Application and Invitation to Attend Phase III Bond Release Inspection for Reclaimed Areas – Ditch #31, UtahAmerican Energy Inc., Horse Canyon Mine, C/007/0013, Task ID #4090

Dear Ms. Belka:

UtahAmerican Energy Inc. has applied for the Phase III Bond Release for the reclaimed areas at the Horse Canyon Mine's Ditch #31. You are invited to attend the Phase III bond release inspection. The inspection will commence on Tuesday, June 12, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. at the West Ridge Mine Office. We will then travel to the Horse Canyon site.

Ditch #31 contains 0.49 acre and is the only portion of Horse Canyon Part "A" that has not received Phase III release. The bond was not released on previous application due to minor repair work that was completed during the initial Phase III time period.

The inspection will involve moderate hiking on flat terrain and should take approximately two hours. Please bring your own accommodations such as water, snacks, hat, sunscreen, rain gear, jacket, hiking boots.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (801) 538-5325 or James Owen at (801) 538-5306.

Sincerely,

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