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June 16, 1994

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Re: Determination of Administrative Completeness for Permit Renewal, Gordon Creek #2, #7 and #8 Mine, Mountain Coal Company, ACT/007/016-94B, Folder #3, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Ehmett :

The permit renewal application for the Gordon Creek #2, #7 and #8 Mine which permanently ceased operations in 1990, has been determined complete and accurate. In compliance with the Utah Coal Mining Rules R645-300-121.300, R645-300-121.310, R645-300-121.320 and the Utah Coal Mining ACT (UCA Section 40-10-1 et seq.), notice is hereby given to all appropriate agencies having a jurisdiction or an interest in the area of the operations that a complete renewal application is available for public review. This mine area is located in Carbon County, Utah (see attached permit area map for your information).

This permit renewal application is available for public review at: Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining, 355 West North Temple, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203.

Comments may be addressed to:

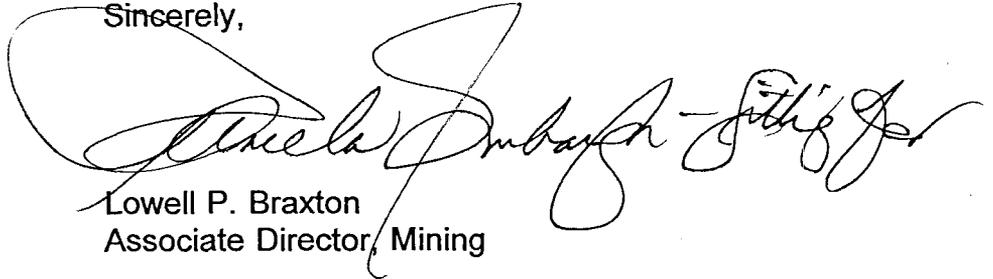
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If you have any questions, please call me or Pamela Grubaugh-Littig.

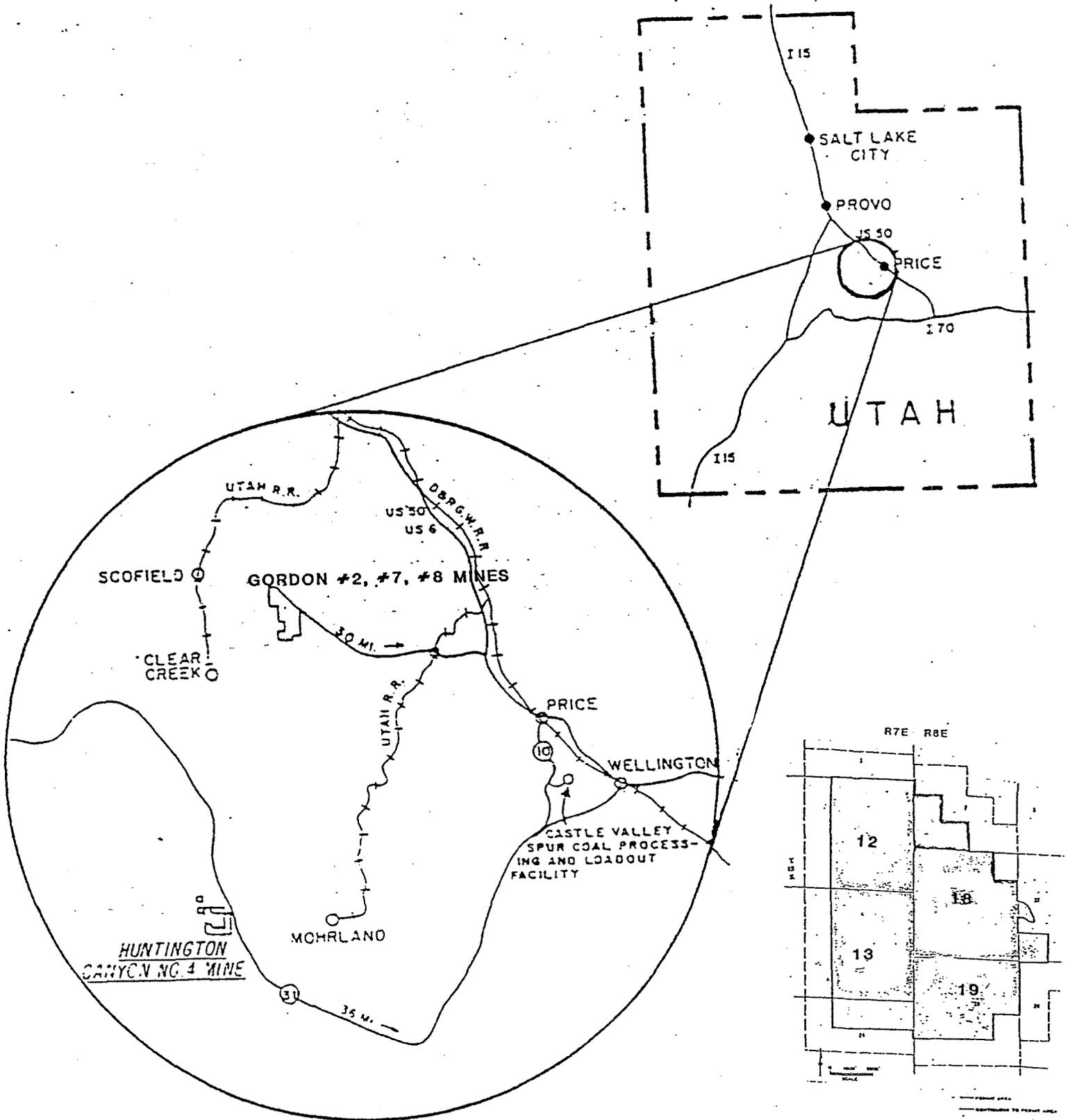
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lowell P. Braxton". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "L" and "P".

Lowell P. Braxton
Associate Director, Mining

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Attachment

MOUNTAIN COAL CO. GORDON CREEK 7&8

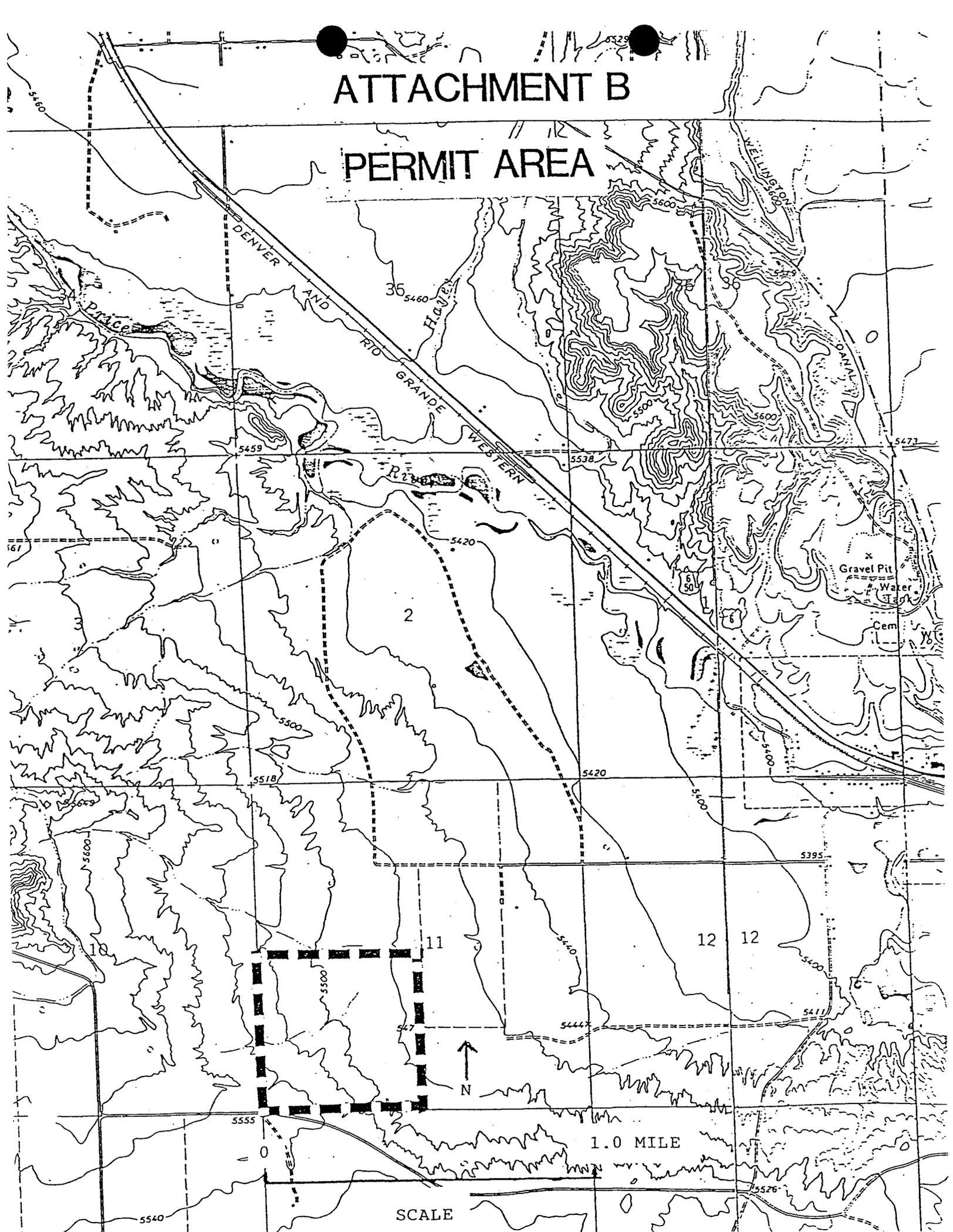


GORDON CREEK #2, #7, AND #8 MINES

LOCATION MAP

ATTACHMENT B

PERMIT AREA



GENERAL ADDRESS LIST FOR MAILING

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