

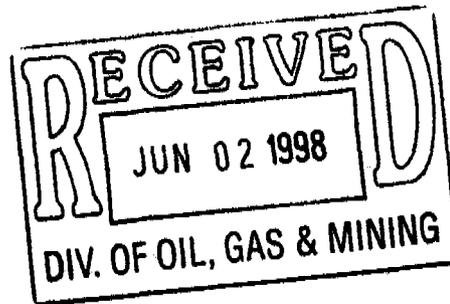
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Dear Mary Ann:

I have enclosed a copy of the video interview we did in 1994 with Cal Jacobs, owner of the land overlying Gordon Creek 3 and 6 Mines. I have reviewed it to see if there were any parts we could use as part of our presentation on the 17th. I was surprised - I think there are several segments we could use. His discussion two or three minutes into the interview describing why his family moved into Coal Canyon is interesting as well as his comments about how well we reclaimed the land. I was inclined to want to use that whole five or six minute segment until he got into his complaint about the "government" wanting to go back in and make us redo the reclamation work. However since he didn't really get too specific about the nature of the complaint maybe we can use it anyway and explain in the introduction to the video that there was some disagreement about how the land was to be reclaimed but that those concerns were addressed. I also think we can use his response to my question regarding his satisfaction with the reclaimed site - there are two "takes" to that question we can choose from.

At any rate, take a look at the video and let me know what you think. I am meeting with Pam in your offices next Thursday, June 11, to put together the presentation - so you can give us your thoughts regarding the video then.

See you next week.

Sincerely,

Paige B. Beville