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August 10, 2011

CERTIFIED MAIL
(Return Receipt Requested)

Mr. David Spillman, Engineering Manager
Canyon Fuel Company, LLC – Soldier Creek Mine
P.O. Box 1029
Wellington, Utah 84542

Dear Mr. Spillman:

Subject: Renewal Permit Issuance for Utah Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (UPDES) Permit #UT0023680 Soldier Creek Mine

Enclosed is UPDES Permit No. UT0023680 for the Soldier Creek Mine facility. This permit was public noticed in the Sun Advocate and on the Division of Water Quality's website from June 14, 2011 through July 18, 2011. No comments were received during the public notice period. This permit will become effective September 1, 2011, subject to the right to challenge this decision in accordance with the provisions of *Utah Administrative Code*, Section R317-9.

Copies of EPA form 3320-1, Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) forms, for reporting and self-monitoring requirements as specified in the permit are available upon request (for those facilities not using NetDMR). As a reminder, DMR forms whether paper forms or NetDMR submittals, are due in our Office by the 28th day of each month following each monthly monitoring period.

A fee schedule was included in the Utah Department of Environmental Quality Budget appropriation request at the direction of the Legislature and in accordance with *Utah Code Annotated* 19-1-201. The fee schedule, as approved by the Legislature, includes a prescribed fee for specific Industrial Categories. The prescribed fee for the UPDES Coal Mining Individual Minor Permit category is \$792.00 per year for each of the five years of the permit period. Your Company will be sent an invoice each year. Therefore, please remit \$792.00 within 30 days from receipt of this letter to:

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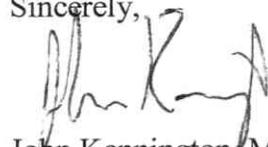
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Please be sure to include the invoice number with you remittance.

The Utah Division of Water Quality (DWQ) values your feedback, and as the State agency charged with the administration of issuing UPDES permits, we are continuously looking for ways to improve our quality of service to you. DWQ Director Walter L. Baker is committed to continually assessing and improving the level and quality of services provided to you. In an effort to improve the State UPDES permitting process, we are asking for your input. Please take a few minutes to comment on the quality of service you received by completing the "Give Feedback to DWQ" form link on DWQ's webpage at www.waterquality.utah.gov. Thank you for assisting us in improving our service to you.

If you have any questions with regard to this matter, please contact Mike Herkimer of the UPDES Engineering Section at (801) 536-4386 or e-mail at mherkimer@utah.gov.

Sincerely,



John Kennington, Manager
UPDES Engineering Section

JK:MH:mc

Enclosures

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