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Subject: Invitation to Attend Phase III Bond Release Inspection, Plateau Mining Corporation, Willow Creek Mine, C/007/0038, Task ID #4901

Dear Mr. Boehms:

You are invited to attend the Phase III bond release inspection on August 3, 2015 at the Willow Creek Mine. The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining has invited you based on your potential interest in the mine site.

A Phase III bond release inspection for the reclaimed 94.21 acres of the remaining 95.40 acres of the Willow Creek Mine will commence on August 3, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. We will meet at the Castle Gate Historical Markers off Highway 6.

The reclaimed area consists of approximately 94.21 acres located at the Willow Creek Mine. Plateau Mining Corporation completed reclamation work in 2005. The Division granted Phase II bond release on August 31, 2012. Phase III bond release will return all of the remaining bond monies and will release the operator of further responsibility on this area.

All relevant features at the site should be fairly accessible although there will be some amount of hiking required. Please bring hiking boots, water, snacks, hat, sunscreen, rain gear, and jacket. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (801)-538-5325.

Sincerely,

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