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Re: West Ridge Bonding sheets

1 message

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Tue, Jun 20, 2017 at 9:41 AM

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Hi Karin,

Quick clarification. Suzanne pointed out that the currently held bond amount that we have on file is \$2,184,000 not \$2,117,000. The total amount of bond that is required is still \$2,712,000.

As a result, the additional bond that needs to be added is \$528,000 not \$595,000. I'm sorry for the error.

Current Total bond posted is: **\$2,184,000**Total additional bond needing to be posted: **\$528,000**Total bond needed to be fully bonded (rounded up to next \$1000): **\$2,712,000.00**

Give me a call if you have questions.

Thanks,
Steve

On Mon, Jun 19, 2017 at 5:11 PM, Steve Christensen <stevechristensen@utah.gov> wrote:

Hi Karin,

As we discussed last week, I've attached our bonding sheets. The accounting is as follows:

Current Total bond posted is: **\$2,117,000.00**Total additional bond needing to be posted: **\$595,000.00**Total bond needed to be fully bonded (rounded up to next \$1000): **\$2,712,000.00**

The quickest way to end the 'never ending' midterm review would be for you to submit these bond sheets with a C1/C2 form. At that point, we'd issue a conditional approval and you'd have 30-days to post the additional bond.

As I pointed out last week, we have to get this wrapped up. We're coming up on a year since this mid-term started and during that time, the mine has been under bonded. At this point, we're going back and forth on accounting errors and discrepancies and not on volumes associated with the reclamation work. As such, the Division (as required by rule) has calculated the amount of bond required for the State to perform the reclamation of West Ridge. As a result, the \$2,712,000 figure is the amount of bond required to be posted.

Please give me a call if you have questions.

Regards,
Steve

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