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RE: 1995 TRAIL MOUNTAIN EXPLORATION DRILLING USING APPROVED 1994 APPLICATION, PACIFICORP, TRAIL MOUNTAIN MINE, ACT/015/009, EMERY COUNTY, UTAH.

*(Need to forward to BOGM
Comments to BLM by
7/28)*

Dear Mr. Bailey:

PacifiCorp plans to drill three (3) coal exploration holes during the 1995 season. The holes (TMTN-16, TMTN-19 & TMTN-20) are listed in the approved 1994 Trail Mountain Drilling Plan. This approved drilling plan is to be used for the 1995 drilling.

Drill hole TMTN-20 has been relocated (see enclosed location map) but still falls within the area evaluated and covered by the USFS EA/FONSI. An archeological search of the proposed relocation of TMTN-20 has been done. A copy has been filed with the Utah SHPO and a copy has been sent to the Manti-LaSal Forest Supervisor's Office, the land management agency.

PacifiCorp agrees to comply with the conditions listed in the USFS FONSI and the BLM stipulations listed in the 1994 Drilling Plan.

The relocation of TMTN-20 is as follows:

<u>DRILL HOLE NUMBER</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>NORTHING</u>	<u>EASTING</u>	<u>DEPTH</u>	<u>SURFACE OWNER</u>	<u>OBJECTIVE</u>
TMTN-20	NE1/4 SEC 3 T18S, R6E	349,611	2,078,668	1,825'	FOREST SERVICE	EVALUATE COAL ELEVATION, THICKNESS, QUALITY AND IDENTIFY SURROUNDING STRATA

The surface rights for the relocation of Drill Hole TMTN-20 belong to the Forest Service and subsurface rights are on Federal Coal Lease UTU-64375.

General access is via the existing Cottonwood Canyon and Trail Mountain road system in accordance with the Forest Service Road Use Permit. Access to TMTN-20 will be as follows:

<u>DRILL HOLE NO.</u>	<u>ACCESS</u>
TMTN-20	Open approximately 1150' of new road off the 1993 drill access road.

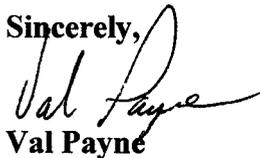
A Location Map showing all of the drill sites and accesses is presented in the 1994 drilling plan.

The drill pads for the 1995 drilling will be located immediately adjacent to the access roads, thereby reducing surface disturbance.

PacifiCorp desires to initiate drilling and reclamation as soon as possible in 1995.

Your assistance in facilitating this project is greatly appreciated. If you require other information please contact Karl Houskeeper at 687-4825.

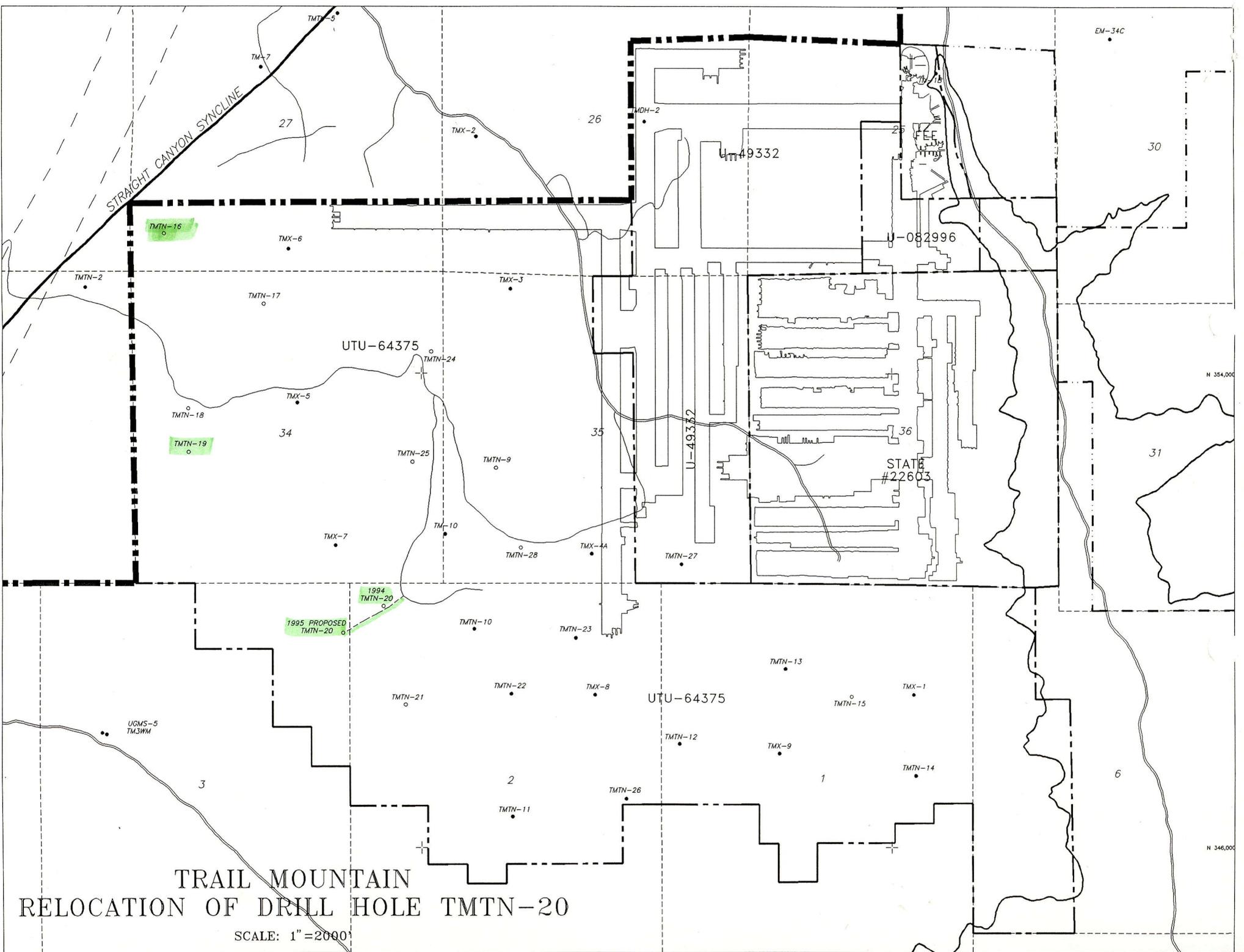
Sincerely,



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Enclosure

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STRAIGHT CANYON SYNCLINE

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STATE #22603

UTU-64375

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TRAIL MOUNTAIN
RELOCATION OF DRILL HOLE TMTN-20

SCALE: 1" = 2000'

N 354,000

N 346,000

TMTN-16

TMTN-19

1994
TMTN-20

1995 PROPOSED
TMTN-20

TMTN-5

TMX-7

TMX-2

TMX-6

TMTN-2

TMTN-17

TMX-3

UTU-64375

TMTN-18

TMX-5

TMTN-25

TMTN-9

TMX-7

TM-10

TMTN-28

TMX-4A

TMTN-27

1994
TMTN-20

TMTN-10

TMTN-23

TMTN-21

TMTN-22

TMX-8

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TMTN-13

TMTN-15

TMX-1

UCMS-5
TM3WM

TMTN-11

TMTN-26

TMTN-12

TMX-9

TMTN-14

MDH-2

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