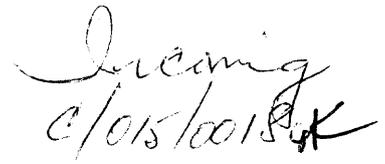


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To: "Pam Grubaugh-Littig" <pamgrubaughlittig@utah.gov>
Date: 4/26/2007 10:04 AM
Subject: Left Fork Rilda Canyon Portal Road Use Request



Pam,

Energy West is requesting permission to use the Left Fork Rilda Canyon portal road for mine traffic between July 6 and July 20 (2 weeks).

Essential construction activity underground during miners vacation will block the 10th West underground roadway, which is the only access roadway to the inby sections of the mine. Mine traffic will need to use the Left Fork intake portal and road to drive to the new intake portal in Rilda Canyon in order to bypass the road blockage in 10th West. The actual time span of the 10th West construction project will be less than the 2 weeks, but the timing has not been finalized, so the request is for the entire 2 weeks.

Energy West is cognizant of the road use stipulations for the Left Fork road and portals. This request is for a minimal number of days, and the stipulations will be observed before and after the requested time. Any damage or impact to the road itself will be promptly repaired.

I have already spoken with Tom Lloyd at the U.S.D.A. Forest service about this request, so he is familiar with it.

I will be calling you about this request. If you have any questions, call me at:

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Sincerely,

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