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Mr. Craig Vernon
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Dear Mr. Vernon:

Re: Reclamation Schedule, Boyer Mine, ACT/043/008, Summit County, Utah

One of the many responsibilities of Utah's coal program is to ensure timely reclamation of inactive mining operations. Inasmuch as time has allowed, the Division clearly recognizes your efforts to meet those objectives. However, another reclamation season is rapidly approaching and the Division must go forward with portal closure and reclamation of the Boyer mine site. To facilitate this process, we are providing you with an outline of reclamation activities as follows:

<u>Wasterock Removal</u>	Completion Date	6-25-90
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The Division is requesting that either a contract with the Utelite Corporation (Carsten Mortensen, et. al) detailing the volume and schedule for removal and confirmation from MSHA that an application for the backstowing and-or portal sealing said material is being processed.

<u>Bid Specifications</u>	Completion Date	7-25-90
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In lieu of the wasterock removal, portal sealing and surface owner consent agreement, the Division will prepare bid specifications for final reclamation.

<u>Contracts</u>	Completion Date	10-25-90
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The permittee will be provided the opportunity to complete reclamation contracting. The Division must be notified by, no later than, June 25, 1990. In the event the permittee declines to go forward with the reclamation bidding process, final reclamation activities will be specified as follows:

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- A. Hazardous mitigation, portal closure and waste rock removal;
- B. Backfilling and grading;
- C. Revegetation.

The three-phase reclamation contract will specify appropriate times for implementation.

If you have any questions, please call myself or Joe Helfrich, Regulatory Coordinator for the Division.

Sincerely,



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