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From: Hamlet, Robert, EMNRD
Sent: Friday, August 7, 2020 10:34 AM
To: 'Brittany Esparza'
Cc: Venegas, Victoria, EMNRD; Jennifer Knowlton; Ike Tavarez; Sheldon Hitchcock; Dakota Neel; Jacqui Harris; Robert Grubbs; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Eads, Cristina, EMNRD
Subject: RE: (Extension Request #4) Patron 23 Federal 004H (2RP-5609) 8-8-2019 (Incident #NAB1924840999)

RE: Incident #NAB1924840999

Brittany,

Your request for an extension to November 7th, 2020 is approved. This is the 4th and **Final Extension** for this release. Under the new spill rule a Work Plan or Closure Report is due for the above release on August 7, 2020. As directed by the BLM, a 3rd party Arch survey was performed and finally clear to area to access site. COG will be performing the assessment to determine if the remediation will be performed at risk. COG is requesting a three-month extension until November 7, 2020 to either perform remediation or submit a work plan.

Thank you,

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OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

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To Whom It May Concern,

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Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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