



# Public Service Commission

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Mr. Jeremy Eckroth  
Environmental Manager  
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Dear Mr. Eckroth:

The Reclamation Division has completed its review of the updated worst-case reclamation cost estimate submitted on August 7, 2024, with Revision No. 13 to Permit NACC-1302. Coyote Creek's proposed minimum bond amount of \$22,410,615 for the Renewal No. 2 period and Revision No. 13 is deemed sufficient at this time. Since the current surety bond of \$25,219,975 approved with Revision No. 12 is greater than the proposed minimum bond amount of \$22,410,615, no adjustment to the bond amount is necessary.

Please contact this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jonathan Emmer".

Jonathan Emmer  
Director  
Reclamation Division