

March 21, 2017

Mr. Joe Maki
Michigan Department of Environmental Quality
Office of Oil, Gas, and Minerals
1504 West Washington Street
Marquette, MI 49855

**RE: Amendment to MP 012007 for Eagle East
Eagle Mine LLC. Mine Permit MP012007**

Dear Mr. Maki:

On February 16, 2017, Eagle indicated that our intention was to wait for final approvals from Lundin Mining prior to proceeding with additional permit requests associated with Eagle East. However, although those formal approval have not yet been received, Eagle has made the decision to move forward with the regulatory process.

Please find attached an application for amendment to Mine Permit MP012007. This request includes the mining of the Eagle East resource and the development of the decline area located outside of the existing property boundary as described in the February correspondence with your agency. Also attached is a review and update to relevant portions of the site Environmental Impact Assessment.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning this amendment request.

Sincerely,



Jennifer Nutini, P.E.
Environmental Engineer