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DEQ/Land Quality Division Attn: Craig Hults 122 West 25th Street Herschler Building – 3W Casper, WY 82002 Jim Ruby, Executive Secretary
Environmental Quality Council

Re: Comments on Chapters of Wyoming Land Quality Division Coal Rules and Regulations

Dear Mr. Hults,

The Campbell County Conservation District (CCCD) appreciates the opportunity to provide input on the Wyoming Land Quality Division coal rules and regulations for your consideration.

CCCD supports practical, achievable regulations and requirements that support the designated post mine land use. CCCD supports a bond release process that puts mined lands back into agricultural production or other approved productive use in a timely manner.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to provide input. If there are questions or concerns please feel free to contact me at icd@vcn.com or 682-1824.

Respectfully,

Travis Hakert Chairman

Cc: CCCD Board of Supervisors

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