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**BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL  
STATE OF WYOMING**

IN RE BROOK MINE APPLICATION )  
 ) Civil Action No. 16-1601  
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**RESPONDENT BIG HORN COAL COMPANY'S  
INITIAL LIST OF WITNESSES**

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Big Horn Coal Company (BHC), by and through its undersigned counsel, and pursuant to the Environmental Quality Council's Order of Schedule dated April 20, 2016, hereby submits its initial list of witnesses.

**I. "Will Call" Witnesses**

BHC will call the following witness:

Jordan Sweeney  
Environmental Manager  
Lighthouse Resources Inc.  
170 South Main Street, Suite 700  
Salt Lake City, UT 84101  
801.539.3820

Mr. Sweeney will testify about the following: (i) his background, education, training and experience; (ii) his knowledge and experience related to BHC properties within and adjacent to the proposed Brook Mining Company (Brook) mine disturbance area; (iii) his knowledge of and responsibilities related to BHC's existing Mine Permit No. 213-T8; (iv) BHC's communications with Brook/Ramaco regarding requests for surface owner consent and the ongoing failure of Brook to provide full and complete information upon which an informed consent decision could be made, or any explanation of how Brook's plans have changed over time and why; (v) how Brook's mine and reclamation plan as most recently submitted for BHC's consideration, was incomplete and differs significantly from those materials previously provided to BHC. Mr. Sweeney is further expected to testify consistent with BHC's response to Brook's petition for an order in lieu of consent, BHC's discovery responses, and any deposition testimony he may give.

## II. **"May Call" Witnesses**

BHC may call the following individuals to testify at the final hearing in this matter:

### A. Representatives of the WDEQ

BHC may call one or more representatives/agents/employees of the WDEQ that have knowledge of Brook Mining's mine application, to discuss their review, knowledge and understanding of the mine plan and reclamation plan.

### B. Randall Atkins and other representatives/agents/consultants/engineers of Brook Mining and/or Ramaco.


BHC may call Mr. Atkins and/or other representatives, agents, consultants or engineers of Brook Mining and/or Ramaco, to discuss matters related to surface owner

consent communications with Big Horn, and to further discuss details, or lack thereof, in the mine and reclamation plans.

BHC reserves the right to call any witnesses listed by the other parties as its own witness. BHC also reserves the right to call other and/or additional witnesses to rebut or impeach evidence produced by any other party, or as may be necessary to lay foundation for exhibits. BHC further reserves the right to supplement this witness list on reasonable notice to the other parties prior to the final hearing in this matter.

DATED this 3 day of June, 2016.

DATED: June 3, 2016.

By   
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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 3, 2016, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing by United States mail, postage prepaid and addressed to the following:

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