

## OFFICIAL NOTICE

Pursuant to Title 40, Section 1506.6 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement – Denver Field Branch (OSMRE - DFB) gives notice of the availability of a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) prepared in response to our receipt and analysis of the Boston Hill Mine Safeguard Project Environmental Assessment (EA). The EA examines potential environmental impacts related to an Abandoned Mine Land (AML) reclamation project in Grant County, New Mexico.

The Boston Hill Mine Safeguard Project involves safeguarding various mine openings, subsidence areas, and highwalls near the Town of Silver City in Grant County, New Mexico. The project is located on private land, land managed by the Bureau of Land Management - Las Cruces District Office, and land owned by the Town of Silver City. Disturbance is expected to be primarily limited to existing roads and trails within the Boston Hill Open Space. The project includes requirements to re-grade and re-vegetate any disturbances related to the work. OSMRE is providing funding to the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department – Abandoned Mine Land Program (AMLPL) to complete this project.

Complete copies of the EA and FONSI are available at the OSMRE - DFB, One Denver Federal Center, Building 41, Lakewood, Colorado 80225 and the New Mexico AMLP, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505.