

MILE POST 7 WEST RIDGE RAILROAD RELOCATION, DAM EXTENSIONS, AND STREAM MITIGATION PROJECT EAW
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Dear DNR Environmental Review:

It is my view that the draft Environmental Assessment Worksheet is unacceptable. It leaves out significant environmental risks, including dam failure and catastrophic damage of the Beaver River valley. People have the right to know what the potential threats are. Instead of using only this EAW, the DNR should require a full Environmental Impact Statement and not rely on the outdated environmental review of the 1970s. In addition, the DNR should require Northshore Mining to apply for a dam safety permit and utilize the least-risky, most stable dam construction methods for the new dam walls.

Sincerely,

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