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Date: July 9, 2012

Dear Interested Party,

Enclosed is a CD copy of Amendment 1 to the July 2007 Action Memorandum for the Removal Action for the Mike Horse Dam and Impounded Tailings, Lower Mike Horse Creek, Beartrap Creek, and the Upper Blackfoot River Floodplain Removal Areas, Upper Blackfoot Mining Complex Site, and Appendices. Also included is the July 2012 Mike Horse Messenger Newsletter which includes a summary of the Amendment 1 decision as well as updates on activities at the Upper Blackfoot Mining Complex.

Hard copies of Amendment 1 and the Appendices are available at the Helena Forest Supervisor's office located at 2880 Skyway Drive or by calling (406) 449-5201, the Lewis & Clark Library at 120 South Last Chance Gulch, the Montana DEQ office at 1100 North Last Chance Gulch, the Lincoln Ranger District office at 1569 Highway 200 and the Lincoln Library at 102 9<sup>th</sup> Street.

## **For More Information**

For additional information on the decision, please contact Kathy Bushnell or Kevin Riordan at the Helena Forest Supervisor's office at (406) 449-5201.

Sincerely,

KEVIN T. RIORDAN Forest Supervisor

cc: Montana Department of Environmental Quality, Montana Department of Justice-Natural Resources Damage Program

