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From: Deputy State Director, Resources Policy and Management

Subject: Guidance for Abandoned Mine Lands Database Input

The Resources Policy and Management Abandoned Mine Lands (AML) Program Team has been reviewing and updating the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) National Abandoned Mines Site Cleanup Module (AMSCM) database over the last few months. In the course of this process, it was determined that the available AMSCM data entry manual did not include sufficient detail to ensure data consistency and accuracy. Therefore, our Wyoming State Office AML Archaeologist, Gina Clingerman, has prepared a “user friendly” data entry guide for all AMSCM users (see Attachment 1- Protocol for Data Entry in AMSCM).

We ask that this guide, as well as the National AMSCM Training Manual posted at <http://ilnmnirm0ad19105.blm.doi.net:8300/elearning/> (select Training Manual-January 2011 under the AMSCM Module Training), be used when entering any AML site data into the Wyoming AMSCM database. This is essential to ensure consistent, reliable data is available to us for our AML program reporting and planning needs.

The Washington Office sponsored Project Change Management Board which administers AMSCM and its format, will be making additional changes the coming year and we will keep you advised of these as they occur. The next sets of changes are anticipated in October 2011.

Please contact Gina Clingerman, (307) 332-8432, or Rick Schuler (307) 775-6092 if you have any questions regarding AMSCM data entry and management activity.

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1 Attachment

1 – Protocol for Data Base Entry in AMSCM (12 pp)

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