



Subject: Union Support Statement for the 700 Fans

To Whom it may concern,

I fully support restarting the 700-C and 700-B fans because of the overall benefit to the Health and Safety of the workforce. The additional airflow will improve air quality for employees working in the underground, which will allow us to better support Ground Control, Waste Emplacement, and Mining Activities. The United Steelworkers and our Local 12-9477 will continue to work closely with CBFO and NWP management to resolve any remaining issues before the 700 fans are restarted.

Rick C. Fuentes

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick C. Fuentes". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Waste Handling Operations / Union President
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