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Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 12:09 PM
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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Santa Fe, NM 87506-9471
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Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: miriel manning <mirielmanning@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:14 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
Subject: RE: Public Comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

Dear Ms. Castañeda:

I am writing to provide public comment on the proposed water quality rules for copper mining currently before the Water Quality Control Commission.

I do not support the proposed rules as currently written because they are contrary to the State Water Quality Act.

Nine out of ten New Mexicans are dependent upon groundwater for their drinking water and the rules before you will allow mining companies to pollute groundwater under mine sites above state and federal water quality standards rather than to prevent pollution.

This is in violation of the State Water Quality Act. Water quality safeguards have been in place for 35 years and this rule represents a significant step back for protection of New Mexico's groundwater resources. Please remand these rules back to the New Mexico Environment Department and their Copper Rules Advisory Committee for revision.

Sincerely,
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Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Susan Selbin <sselbin@hotmail.com>
Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:38 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
Subject: Public comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

Apr 27, 2013

N.M. Water Quality Control Commission co Pam Castaneda Santa Fe, NM 87501

To co Pam Castaneda,

I urge the Water Quality Control Commission to reject the New Mexico Environment Department's proposed copper-mining rule now under consideration.

The Martinez Administration set up an Advisory Committee to work on rules for copper mining. That Committee included environmental and mining company members and resulted in a compromise on rules for copper mining. This Committee met 2-3 full days a month for 6 months to hammer out a compromise. Those compromise rules have been totally ignored by the NM Environmental Department! What the NMED has proposed allows for a "sacrifice zone" directly underneath the copper mine, allowing the pollution of groundwater.

New Mexico Environment Department's proposed rule violates the state Water Quality Act, which requires companies to prevent groundwater contamination during their operations.

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Susan Selbin
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Albuquerque, NM 87104-1965
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Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Tom Frouge <yoy111700@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:38 PM
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Sincerely,

Tom Frouge
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Placitas, NM 87043-9125

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Uphoria Blackham <uphoriahb@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:38 PM
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Sincerely,

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Santa Fe, NM 87504-1888
(505) 697-1023

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Joann Offill
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Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:38 PM
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Sincerely,

Joann Offill
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Michael Fry
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Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:38 PM
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Sincerely,

Michael Fry
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Santa Fe, NM 87501-1256

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Jeanne Tenorio <jet@nmsu.edu>
Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:38 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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Apr 27, 2013

N.M. Water Quality Control Commission co Pam Castaneda Santa Fe, NM 87501

To co Pam Castaneda,

I urge the Water Quality Control Commission to reject the New Mexico Environment Department's proposed copper-mining rule now under consideration. Our water supply is already limited due to the basic fact that we live at the intersection of the Chihuahuan and Sonoran Deserts. Our water is precious. We do not have enough respect for the quantity and quality of our water. We are, after all, already downstream from many polluting plants and mines and factories.

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Sincerely,

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Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Antoinette Mccrea <amccrea@ymail.com>
Sent: Friday, April 26, 2013 11:38 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
Subject: Public comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

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N.M. Water Quality Control Commission co Pam Castaneda Santa Fe, NM 87501

To co Pam Castaneda,

The water is already polluted, people need good paying jobs. Most people drink reverse osmosis water. I support oil and mining

Sincerely,

Antoinette Mccrea
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Artesia, NM 88210-2713

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Elizabeth Buchen <esbuchen@gmail.com>
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Sincerely,

Elizabeth Buchen
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Albuquerque, NM 87112-1266

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Adrienne Ross <ahlight@gmail.com>
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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Adrienne Ross
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To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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Sincerely,

Maria Whitaker
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Albuquerque, NM 87120-1639
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Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Eldon Johnson <eljo648@hotmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 12:39 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
Subject: Public comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

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Sincerely,

Eldon Johnson
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Albuquerque, NM 87111-1057
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Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Jezzri Cochrane <jezzricochrane@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 3:09 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
Subject: Public comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

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Sincerely,

Jezzri Cochrane
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Albuquerque, NM 87121-3385

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Dave Pierce
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Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 7:40 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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Sincerely,

Dave Pierce
PO Box 1766
El Prado, NM 87529-1766
(575) 776-8850

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Pamela Canyonrivers Marshall <pcanyonrivers@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 10:10 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
Subject: Public comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

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Sincerely,

Pamela Canyonrivers Marshall
PO Box 374
Pecos, NM 87552-0374
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Sally Phelps
<sphelps@taosnet.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 7:40 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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Sally Phelps
PO Box 1020
El Prado, NM 87529-1020

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Michael Ripberger <ripesto@comcast.net>
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 7:40 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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Sincerely,

Michael Ripberger
1977 Cerro Crest Ct NW
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(505) 565-0379

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Rosemary Greenlee <rngreenlee@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 8:10 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
Subject: Public comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

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Sincerely,

Rosemary Greenlee
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Cerrillos, NM 87010-0181
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Stella Parker <star9emma@yahoo.com>
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To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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Stella Parker
187 El Rey Dr
Corrales, NM 87048-7117

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Kristi Dyer <kristi7issues@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 27, 2013 8:10 PM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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Sincerely,

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of K Beckwith <kbeckwith9@comcast.net>
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Subject: Public comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01 (R)

Apr 27, 2013

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Albuquerque, NM 87109-0007
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Sincerely,

Emmy Koponen
1212 Maclovía St
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Albuquerque, NM 87111-4151

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Stan Serafin
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Deb Hardin
1704 Llano St Ste B
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Tom Marks
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Tom Marks
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Albuquerque, NM 87113-1312

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El Prado, NM 87529-1935

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Roberta Price <bertaprice@gmail.com>
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