IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO Senior Judge Wiley Y. Daniel

Civil Action No. 15-cv-02026-WYD

WILDEARTH GUARDIANS,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SALLY JEWELL, in her official capacity as SECRETARY OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR; THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, and THE UNITED STATES OFFICE OF SURFACE MINING AND RECLAMATION,

Defendants.

ORDER DIRECTING PREPARATION OF JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT PLAN

Daniel, J.

This action under the Administrative Procedures Act was filed on September 15, 2015. A Joint Case Management Plan should, if properly negotiated, provide a mutually agreeable road map for prioritizing and addressing procedural issues as well as an efficient briefing schedule. Accordingly, the parties are directed to confer and prepare a proposed Joint Case Management Plan (JCMP). The form JCMP of this court is referenced in D.C.COLO.LAPR 16.1. Counsel should attempt in good faith to agree on all matters covered in the form JCMP. Any issue in dispute should be identified in the proposed JCMP with a brief statement concerning the basis for the disagreement.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that by October 16, 2015, the parties shall file

(using the Notice event in CM/ECF) a proposed Joint Case Management Plan using the form Joint Case Management Plan referenced in D.C.COLO.LAPR 16.1, and shall

submit a copy of the proposed Joint Case Management plan in an editable format (Microsoft Word or WordPerfect) to <u>Daniel_Chambers@cod.uscourts.gov.</u>

Dated: September 16, 2015

BY THE COURT:

<u>|s| Wiley Y. Daniel</u>

WILEY Y. DANIEL, SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE