

## **2024 Loveland, COAL Day 2 Written Statement**

Thank you for responding to our mine emergency. You are located at the fresh air base on the Bottom Main Section we established between the intake shaft and the return air shaft. 3 miners failed to return to the surface this morning after working last night. We have not heard from them or been able to contact them using the pagers or radios.

The hoist on the intake air shaft and the return air shaft and fan has been inspected and is ready for use at your request. There is a seal between the air shafts that has a door currently open. The seal cannot be removed.

The entries inby this area are numbered from left to right, 1, 2 and 3.

At present, fresh air is moving across the fresh air base from the intake shaft (3 entry) to the return shaft (1 entry) and out.

The return air shaft has an exhausting mine fan on the surface. It is running, guarded and is reversible using switches available in the Command Center which has been established on the surface.

Back up teams and all officials are on site.

The mine map we have for you is up to date.