

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 8, MONTANA OFFICE

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June 17, 2021

Mr. Steve Wright Columbia Falls Aluminum Company 2000 Aluminum Drive Columbia Falls, Montana 59912

Dear Mr. Wright:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), in consultation with the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), approves Roux Associates, Inc.'s *Feasibility Study Report, Columbia Falls Aluminum Company Facility, Columbia Falls, Montana* dated June 16, 2021. The EPA and DEQ appreciate Glencore, CFAC, and Roux's efforts in developing and finalizing the report, including the identification of applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (406) 457-5025.

Sincerely,

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