

## Shawn Griffin

I was shocked and dismayed with the recent decision on the Moneta Divide discharge permit. Over and over there is proof the discharge is safe for the surrounding environment and studies indicated even the discharge water would be cleaner than that that already exists in Boyson Reservoir. Having lived in this county for over 50 years it is disappointing to see this project and permit sacrificed due to public feedback and not proven science. Wyoming will ceased to exist as a place to work without a rational balance between the environment and mineral production. I travel to many states and other countries that would love to have the pristine environment we have and would continue to have with Aethon. We in Fremont County, by a large majority hope you will reconsidered permitting the original drilling plan and discharge and base your decision on both economic need and environmental stability. This can work and actually benefit the local environment with increased water production that is safe. Please reconsider.