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Opposition to Hitch Rack Quarry (M2016010)

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Wally Erickson (Amy Eschberger) Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Ave., Room 215, Denver, CO 80203 Amy.Eschberger@state.co.us, Wally.Erickson@state.co.us

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

As a resident in Red Rock Valley I already endure the noise, traffic and pollution caused by the three existing quarries in the immediate area. The addition of a fourth quarry would have an overwhelming and unjust negative impact on this great community. Three is enough! If another quarry is needed in the Colorado Springs area, it should not be located in a community already bearing the negative impacts of three mining operations. Today driving past the proposed entrance to the quarry, I passed a family paying their respects at the marker of their deceased loved one killed on 115. This new quarry would increase truck traffic on this already dangerous road by hundreds of trucks a day. If this quarry is approved there will be a lot more crosses on the side of the road. For the sake of everyone who must travel on 115, I respectfully ask this not be allowed. We love our home here in Red Rock Valley, it is a unique and beautiful place. Like our neighbors, we have worked hard to increase our property value and create a nice home. Please do not allow our neighborhood and our quality of life to be diminished by another yet another quarry and say no to Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry (M201610).

Respectfully,

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