

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

<u>Memorandum</u>

Date: September 26, 2016

To: Mined Land Reclamation Board

From: Lucas West, DRMS

RE: Martinez Pit; DRMS File No. M-2007-010; Notice of Temporary Cessation, Consent Agenda

The following documents have been included in this Board Packet:

1.	Inspection Report	5/16/2016
2.	Application for Temporary Cessation Status	6/1/2016
3.	Notice of Incompleteness	6/13/2016
4.	Notice of Completeness	8/15/2016
5.	Notice to Archuleta County	8/15/2016
6.	Notice to the Board	8/15/2016

No comments or objections were received, Division staff recommends the board approve the consent agenda item for the status change of the above listed site.

Sincerely,

DRMS Staff





COLORADO DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, Colorado 80203 Phone (303) 866-3567

JUN 0 1 2016	TEMPOF	RARY CESSATION	NOTICE	TCOI	
DIVISION OF RECLAMATION	(mining activities temp	orarily cease for more th	an a one-yea	r period)	
	-27-2016			$\sqrt{\text{Annual Fee/Report CW}}$	
	1- <u>2007-010</u> Site	e name: Martinez	Pet		
County: <u>Arc</u>	<u> </u>		umber:		
Permittee making	request: Andy W	eber / Weber Sa	nd & Aca	vel, Snc.	
Operator (if other t	than permittee):	/			
Date the initial five	e-year period of Temporary (Cessation begins: <u>Alle</u>	ember a	2013	
Reason mining act	ivities (materials extraction,	processing, hauling) have cea	ased:		
We ha	ve not had	any calls fo	r that	type of	
rock		V			
	n to resume operations:				
le w	ill resume	operations	as so	for as we	
have m	ill resume	Kend of rock	k,		
	Description of plan to meet performance standards of Rule 3.1 during temporary cessation (reclamation, weed control, monitoring, signs, markers, etc.):				
We wel	l conteniere	to do normal	. maent	énance of	
the Pet					
Number of affected	d acres: 9.99				
Amount of financia	al warranty (bond) on deposi	t with the state: $_/9$	819.00		
Required fees for 7 for Temporary Ces	Temporary Cessation by pern ssation):	nit type (please mark the corr	rect fee and sub	mit it with this request	
Permit type Construction Mate	rials	<u>Required TR fee</u> \$144	Submitte	ed (mark only one)	
Hard Rock/ Metal	Mining	\$115			
The above-referen	nced permit has entered Te	mporary Cessation. This s	ite has reserve	s remaining to be mined.	
Operator's signat	ure: Cendy U	leber by K.	athy W	leber	
Please note:	ľ	0 1	(

1. While in Temporary Cessation, the operator must continue to comply with the Rules and Act, including maintaining the site, and must continue to file an annual report and annual fee.

Weber Sand & Gravel, Inc. 2980 E. Highway 160 Pagosa Springs, CO. 81147-9741 DEMVER CO 802

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Fee Receipt for M2007010

Weber Sand & Gravel,	Inc.	Receipt #:	21568
Andy Weber 2980 E. Hwy. 160		Date:	06/01/2016
		Permit:	M2007010
Pagosa Springs	CO 811470000		

Payment Method	Revenue Code	Fee Description/No	otes	Amount
Check #23930	4300-MTC0	Minerals Temporary Cessation		\$144.00
		TC01		
	1	•	Receipt Total:	\$144.00



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June 13, 2016

Mr. Andy Weber Weber Sand & Gravel, Inc. 2980 E. Highway 160 Pagosa Springs, CO 81147

Re: Martinez Pit, Permit No. M-2007-010, Notice of Temporary Cessation, Notice of Incompleteness

Dear Mr. Weber,

On June 1, 2016 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your notice to revise the permit status on the above listed site to Temporary Cessation effective December 1, 2013. This notice is to inform you that on June 13, 2016 deemed your notice incomplete. The following item is required for your notice to be considered complete;

 In accordance with Rule 1.13.5 (2) (e), the financial warranty for the site must be demonstrated to be adequate to cover the reclamation liability. The Division has reviewed the reclamation cost estimate for the site and deemed that the currently held \$19,879.00 is inadequate to achieve reclamation of the site. Please find the enclosed Notice of Surety Increase SI-01 and its attached reclamation cost estimate worksheets.

The additional financial warranty must be received and accepted by the Division within **60 days** of the date of this letter, no later than **Friday August 12, 2016.** Once the financial warranty is received the notice will be considered filed and processing will begin. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at the DRMS Grand Junction Field Office by phone at (970)-243-6368 or by email at lucas.west@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

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Lucas West Environmental Protection Specialist Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203 Phone: (970)-243-6368

Cc: Russ Means, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist Encl: Notice of Financial Warranty Increase SI-01 and Calculations





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August 15, 2016

Andy Weber Weber Sand and Gravel, Inc. 2980 E. Hwy. 160 Pagosa Springs, CO 81147

Re: Notice of Completeness, Notice of Temporary Cessation, Martinez Pit, Permit No. M-2007-010

Mr. Weber,

On August 1 2016 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received the required outstanding items identified in the Notice of Incompleteness for the Notice of Temporary Cessation dated June 13, 2016. Your Notice of Temporary Cessation is now considered complete and filed.

The Notice of Temporary Cessation will be acknowledged in the monthly activity report attached to the agenda for the September 28-29, 2016 meeting of the Mined Land Reclamation Board unless a written, timely objection is filed by a person directly and adversely affected or aggrieved as defined by Rule 1.1 (34.1) of the Construction Materials Mining Rules.

If objections are received by Monday September 26, 2016 the Division will place the Notice of Temporary Cessation on the regular agenda for the October 26-27, 2016 meeting of the Mined Land Reclamation Board. During that meeting the Board will consider whether or not to accept the Notice.

If you require any additional information, or have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office at (970)243-6368 or by email at lucas.west@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Lucas West

Environmental Protection Specialist Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203 **Phone:** (970)-243-6368 Andy Weber August 15, 2016 Page 2

Cc: Russ Means, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist



1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

August 15, 2016

Archuleta County Board of County Commissioners P.O. Box 1507 398 Lewis Street Pagosa Springs, CO 81147

Re: Martinez Pit, Weber Sand and Gravel, Permit No. M-2007-010, Request for Temporary Cessation Status

Board of Archuleta County Commissioners,

This letter is to inform Counties and Municipalities within two miles of a mining operation of the intent of the Operator to put their mining operation into a state of Temporary Cessation. This letter is sent pursuant to the requirements of Rule 1.13.6 of the Construction Materials Mining Rules of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board.

Please be advised that Weber Sand and Gravel Inc., whose address is 2980 E Highway 160, Pagosa Springs, CO 81147 and whose telephone number is (970)264-4568, has filed Notice of Temporary Cessation with the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety for the Martinez Pit, Permit No. M-2007-010. The Mining operation is located at or near Section 18, Township 32N, Range 1W, and the 10th New Mexico Principal Meridian in Archuleta County.

The period of Temporary Cessation will commence beginning on December 1, 2016 and will last up to five years from that date, ending December 1, 2018. The notice submitted to the Division contains information pertaining to the reasons for cessation of the mining operation, a plan for resumption, and the measures taken to comply with reclamation and other necessary activities related to the performance standards of Rule 3 of the Hard Rock and Metals Mining Rules in order to maintain the mine in a non-producing or non-developed state.

The receipt of the Notice of Temporary Cessation will be acknowledged in the monthly activity report attached to the agenda for the September 28-29, 2016 meeting of the Mined Land Reclamation Board unless a written, timely objection if filed by a person directly and adversely affected or aggrieved as defined by Rule 1.1 (38.1) of the Hard Rock and Metals Mining Rules

If objections are received, the Division will place the Notice of Temporary Cessation on the agenda for the October 26-27, 2016 meeting of the Mined Land Reclamation Board. During that meeting the Board will consider whether or not to accept the Notice.



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If you have require any additional information, or have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. Lucas West at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203 or by phone at (970)-243-6368. You may also contact me by email at lucas.west@state.co.us.

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Cc: Russ Means, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist





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Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety Department of Natural Resources

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Notice of Temporary Cessation - Construction Materials

Pursuant to the Mined Land Reclamation Act section 34-32.5-103(11)(b) and Construction Materials Rule 1.13.6(1) the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety hereby posts the following Notice(s) of Temporary Cessation for the following permitted site(s) on the Mined Land Reclamation Board Agenda.

1) Martinez Pit, Permit No. M-2007-010

Located in Archuleta County, Township 32N, Range 1W, Section 18, 10th New Mexico P.M. Operated by Weber Sand and Gravel, Inc.. 2980 E. Highway 160 Pagosa Springs, CO 81147 (*Lucas West*)

Any person directly and adversely affected or aggrieved, as defined by Rules 1.1(34.1) and 1.13.6, may file a written objection with the Division regarding this Notice of Temporary Cessation on or before Wednesday, August 31, 2016. If no timely written objection is received, the Notice of Temporary Cessation will be placed on the consent agenda for consideration and acceptance by the Board at the September 28, 2016 Board meeting. If the Division receives a timely objection to the Notice of Temporary Cessation, the Board will hear the objection as a contested matter at the next or future regularly scheduled meeting to be determined by the parties.

