

August 22, 2017

Mr. Peter Hays Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

RE: Martin Marietta Materials, Inc.; Duckworth Pit; Permit No. M-2003-091; AM-01 Response to Adequacy Review Letter

Dear Peter:

The purpose of this letter is two-fold. First: to respond to the issues raised in your second adequacy review letter dated August 4, 2017. Second: to request a 30-day extension on the current decision date of August 23, 2017 in order to respond to the remaining items. Please see the response provided below.

1.6 Public Notice

1. Notice of this amendment application was sent to Mr. Paul Laybourn and Ms. Michele Murphy, landowners within 200 feet of the affected land who were mistakenly overlooked during the initial notification process. Copies of the certified envelopes are attached; proof of delivery will be provided once it is received. The notice mailed to Mr. Laybourn and Ms. Murphy provides a 20-day period during which comments may be submitted to the DRMS; this period is listed in the notice as expiring on September 12, 2017.

6.4.18 Exhibit R – Proof of Filing with County Clerk and Recorder

2. Please see the attached e-mail response from the County Clerk and Recorder confirming that the revised amendment application material contained in my July 21, 2017 letter to you was received by Weld County for display with the original amendment materials.

Martin Marietta continues to work on a response to the groundwater mounding and shadowing concerns you raised in your April 14, 2017 adequacy review letter. I request that a 30-day

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extension be granted to address these remaining comments. If you have any questions about the content of this letter, feel free to contact me.

Cordially, **Applegate Group, Inc.**

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Jared Dains, P.E. Water Resource Engineer

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Jared Dains

From:crstaff <crstaff@co.weld.co.us>Sent:Friday, July 21, 2017 4:42 PMTo:Jared DainsSubject:RE: Modifications to Duckworth Pit Mining Packet

Hi Jared,

We will add the document to the packet.

Thank you.

From: Jared Dains [mailto:JaredDains@applegategroup.com]
Sent: Friday, July 21, 2017 3:57 PM
To: crstaff <<u>crstaff@co.weld.co.us</u>>
Subject: Modifications to Duckworth Pit Mining Packet

Good afternoon. I'm writing to provide an additional document that I would like added to the Duckworth Pit Mining Permit amendment application packet that is currently on on file at the Clerk & Recorder's Office (DRMS Permit No. M-2003-091). The amendment process is continuing, so this information needs to be available for anyone to view should they have questions about the amendment.

Please let me know if you have any questions about this request.

Regards, Jared Dains, P.E.

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