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Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

September 19, 2017

Mr. Trey James
Lincoln County Land Use Administrator
103 3rd Avenue
P.O. Box 39
Hugo, Colorado 80821

Re: Gaede Pit, Permit No. M-1978-051, Notice of Incomplete 110 to 112 Construction Materials Reclamation Permit Conversion Application Package, CN-1

Dear Mr. James:

On September 19, 2017, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety received your 110 to 112 Construction Materials Reclamation Permit Conversion Application package for the Gaede Pit, Permit No. M-1978-051. Preliminary review of the information received determined that the following items must be received before the Division can consider your application as being submitted and technical review can begin:

APPLICATION FEE: The Division did not receive the \$2,696.00 application fee with the application package.

APPLICATION FORM:

Item 5.2 (p. 1) requires the end use of the primary commodity(ies), not the date for the end of projected mining.

Item 15 (p. 4) requires a brief explanation of the mining method (13.1) and a list of designated chemicals or acid producing material to be used or stored in the permit area (if there are none, please state as much).

Responsibilities as a Permittee (pp. 5 – 6). Each of the 10 responsibilities must be reviewed and initialed by the applicant.

Certification (p. 8) the signature line for the County Clerk (about two thirds the way down from the top on the right hand side) was left blank. It needs to be signed by the County Clerk.

EXHIBITS:

EXHIBIT R - Proof of Filing with County Clerk and Recorder (Rule 6.4.18): You must submit an affidavit or receipt indicating the date on which the application was placed with the local County Clerk and Recorder.



Maps – The maps submitted as Exhibits C and F do not meet the requirements of Rule 6.2.1(2). Maps, except the index map, must conform to the following criteria: (a) show name of Applicant; (b) must be prepared and signed by a registered land surveyor, professional engineer, or other qualified person; (c) give date prepared; (d) identify and outline the area which corresponds with the application; (e) with the exception of the map of the affected lands required in Section 34-32.5-112(2)(d), C.R.S. 1984, as amended, shall be prepared at a scale that is appropriate to clearly show all elements that are required to be delineated by the Act and these Rules. The acceptable range of map scales shall not be larger than 1 inch = 50 feet nor smaller than 1 inch = 660 feet. Also, that a map scale, appropriate legend, map title, date and a north arrow shall be included. Please note these corrections to the maps are not required for your application to be considered complete for the purpose of filing, but will be necessary to meet adequacy requirements after our technical review begins.

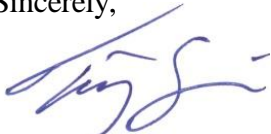
Your application will not be considered submitted until the information listed above is received and found sufficient to begin our review. A decision date will be established 90 days from the date of receipt of all of the requested information. Additionally, if you have already published notice you will need to republish notice, after the Division considers the application submitted. This notice must be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks, starting within ten (10) days of the date your application is considered submitted. We will notify you when you should initiate republication of your notice. The final date for receiving comments is the 20th day after the fourth publication or the next regular business day.

You have sixty (60) days from the above date to submit all necessary documents that the Office needs for an application to be considered filed. If, at the end of the sixty day period (November 18, 2017), the application has not been determined to be filed with the Office, the Office shall deny the application and terminate the application file.

This letter shall not be construed to mean that there are no other technical deficiencies in your application. The Division will review your application to determine whether it is adequate to meet the requirements of the Act after submittal of all required items.

If you have any questions, please contact me (303-866-3567 ext. 8169).

Sincerely,



Timothy A. Cazier, P.E.
Environmental Protection Specialist

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