

COLORADO Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

October 3, 2017

Mike and Mardi Anson Moffat Limestone P.O. Box 363 Craig, CO 81626

Re: Juniper Mountain Gravel, Permit No. M-2003-073, Notice of Continuance

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Anson,

On August 16, 2017 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) mailed a Reason to Believe (RTB) a violation exists regarding your 112c Construction Materials Permit, No. M-2003-073. This matter was scheduled to appear before the Mined Land Reclamation Board during the September 27-28, 2017 hearing. On October 2, 2017 the Division received your request for an extension. Also noted was the ongoing discussions between you and the insurance company for additional bonding have failed. In your extension request you also state that additional reclamation has been done and that you wish for the bond to be recalculated. On October 2, 2017 the Division sent a letter in response stating what information would be necessary for the Division to re-evaluate the reclamation costs. The potential reconsideration of the surety increase is pending the timely submittal of the information requested. Until otherwise noticed the required surety remains at \$63,834.00 and is due. In an effort to resolve this issue the Division is continuing the hearing to October with the desire to withdraw the action upon compliance. However, failure to submit the information to the Division by October 16 will result in the Division moving forward with enforcement.

This notice is to inform you that this matter is being continued at your request. A Formal Public hearing will be held during the October 25-26, 2017 Board Meeting for consideration of these possible violations. The hearing will be held in Room 318 of 1313 Sherman Street, Denver, Colorado, beginning at 9:00 a.m. on October 25-26, 2017 or as soon thereafter as the matter can be considered. At that hearing you will have the opportunity to present your defense.

If the additional bond amount of \$20,113.00 is accepted by the Division on or before Friday, October 20, 2017 this item will be withdrawn from the hearing.



The Board's agenda may not be finalized until the week of the Board meeting. Therefore, we recommend you contact the Board Secretary, Camille Mojar, at (303)-866-3567, extension 8136 or <u>Camille.mojar@state.co.us</u> on Monday, October 23, 2017 to confirm the specific date for the hearing.

If you have any questions about this notice or the hearing, please contact Amy Yeldell at (970)-254-8511.

Sincerely,

Amy Geldell

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Cc: Russ Means, Senior Environmental Protection Specialist Stephanie Mitchell, Environmental Protection Specialist Jeff Fugate

