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Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

December 15, 2017

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444 E. Costilla St.
Colorado Springs, CO 80903

**RE: Objections and Comments Received to a 112c Reclamation Permit Application,
Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry, File No. M-2017-049**

Mr. LaRoche:

The Division has received additional timely objections and comments to the Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry application, File No. M-2017-049. The objections and comments were received within the public comment period which began when the application was filed for review on November 9, 2017, and will close on December 21, 2017. The objections and comments received since the last notice was sent on December 08, 2017 are listed below in bold text.

Timely objections received:

- 1) November 16, 2017 - Objection received from Monica Loftis, dated November 14, 2017.
- 2) November 21, 2017 – Objection received from Donald Loftis, dated November 15, 2017.
- 3) November 24, 2017 – Objection received from Brian Gardiner, dated November 20, 2017.
- 4) November 24, 2017 – Objection received from Betty Gardiner, dated November 20, 2017.
- 5) November 24, 2017 – Objection received from J.D. Kirkland, dated November 20, 2017.
- 6) November 27, 2017 – Objection received from Nancy Reed, dated November 26, 2017.
- 7) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Dr. Peg Rooney, dated November 22, 2017.
- 8) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Ken Bishop, dated November 25, 2017.
- 9) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Carol Bishop, dated November 25, 2017.
- 10) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Mark McClurg of Highlands of Turkey Canon Ranch HOA, dated November 24, 2017.
- 11) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Kathie Rawson, dated November 25, 2017.
- 12) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Corey McClurg, dated November 24, 2017.
- 13) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Susan McClurg, dated November 24, 2017.



- 14) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Mark McClurg, dated November 24, 2017.
- 15) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Lindsay McClurg, dated November 24, 2017.
- 16) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Matthew D. Cook, dated November 27, 2017.
- 17) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Jana Warner, dated November 24, 2017.
- 18) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Joseph J. Jones, Jr., dated November 26, 2017.
- 19) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Stanley Rawson, dated November 27, 2017.
- 20) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Terri L. Rose, dated November 27, 2017.
- 21) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Clay Warner, dated November 24, 2017.
- 22) November 28, 2017 – Objection received from Samson Gardiner, dated November 20, 2017.
- 23) November 30, 2017 – Objection received from Claudia J. Jones, dated November 26, 2017.
- 24) November 30, 2017 – Objection received from James T. Rose, dated November 27, 2017.
- 25) November 30, 2017 – Objection received from James Swonger, dated November 25, 2017.
- 26) November 30, 2017 – Objection received from Tina Swonger, dated November 25, 2017.
- 27) November 30, 2017 – Objection received from Farrell and Scott Thompson, dated November 20, 2017.
- 28) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Kent Allen, dated November 29, 2017.
- 29) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Lucas Belangee, dated November 28, 2017.
- 30) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Armond Feffer, not dated.
- 31) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Sophie Feffer, not dated.
- 32) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Janet L. Hafer, dated November 25, 2017.
- 33) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Natalie Porter, dated November 28, 2017.
- 34) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Paul W. Ragan, dated November 29, 2017.
- 35) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Cynthia S. Ragan, dated November 29, 2017.
- 36) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Kristan Rigdon, dated November 27, 2017.
- 37) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from John Rigdon, dated November 27, 2017.



- 38) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Alane Sheaves, dated November 27, 2017.
- 39) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Hannah Van Horn, not dated.
- 40) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Dylan Van Horn, not dated.
- 41) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Maryann Van Horn, not dated.
- 42) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Mark Van Horn, not dated.
- 43) December 01, 2017 – Objection received from Noretta Watts, dated November 28, 2017.
- 44) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Anne and Tom Fellows, dated December 4, 2017.
- 45) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Malissa Benson, dated December 1, 2017.
- 46) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Joyce Ford, dated December 1, 2017.
- 47) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Kurt Kofford, dated November 29, 2017.
- 48) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Trevor A. Leed, dated November 25, 2017.
- 49) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Julie Mayberry, dated December 1, 2017.
- 50) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Caitlin McNeal, dated December 1, 2017.
- 51) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Charles C. Melber, dated November 28, 2017.
- 52) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Gloria S. Morris, dated November 28, 2017.
- 53) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from J.R. Porter, dated November 28, 2017.
- 54) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Angie Porter, dated November 28, 2017.
- 55) December 04, 2017 – Objection received from Joseph Salazar, Jr., dated November 28, 2017.
- 56) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Kim McBride, dated December 3, 2017.
- 57) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Daniel Armstrong, dated November 29, 2017.
- 58) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Mun Choi, dated December 2, 2017.
- 59) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Weldon W. and Jennifer K. Flaharty, dated December 1, 2017.
- 60) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Ruth Gissa, dated November 25, 2017.
- 61) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Edwin B. Griggs, dated November 30, 2017.



- 62) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Stephanie Halle, dated November 29, 2017.
- 63) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Dan Harrell, dated December 1, 2017.
- 64) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Phillip K. Heacock, dated November 26, 2017.
- 65) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Daryl G. Leed, dated November 25, 2017.
- 66) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Carol C. Leed, dated November 25, 2017.
- 67) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Jurgen G. Leiser, dated November 29, 2017.
- 68) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Margaret B. Leiser, dated November 29, 2017.
- 69) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from David and Donna McGee, dated November 30, 2017.
- 70) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from R. Scott Miller, dated November 30, 2017.
- 71) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Luree Miller, dated November 30, 2017.
- 72) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Linda Mitchell, dated November 29, 2017.
- 73) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Joshua A. Moore, dated November 27, 2017.
- 74) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Tiffany N. Moore, dated November 27, 2017.
- 75) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Lisa Pecoraro, dated November 30, 2017.
- 76) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Thomas M. Phillips, dated November 29, 2017.
- 77) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Rick Porter, dated November 28, 2017.
- 78) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Shea Prestwich, dated December 1, 2017.
- 79) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from James Reed, dated November 29, 2017.
- 80) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Gina T. Reed, dated November 29, 2017.
- 81) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Harold Tanner, dated November 29, 2017.
- 82) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Dianne Rizzuto, dated November 30, 2017.
- 83) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Barbara J. Ryan, dated November 26, 2017.
- 84) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Su-Lang Sarver, dated November 28, 2017.
- 85) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Terry Sarver, dated November 28, 2017.



- 86) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Amber Sheaves, dated November 28, 2017.
- 87) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Jason Sheaves, dated November 28, 2017.
- 88) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Terry and Lillian Sideris, dated November 30, 2017.
- 89) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Julie S. Whitehead, dated December 1, 2017.
- 90) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Deanne K. Yugovich, dated November 25, 2017.
- 91) December 05, 2017 – Objection received from Michael A. Yugovich, dated November 25, 2017.
- 92) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Kathleen Gomez, dated December 6, 2017.
- 93) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Michael R. Heer, dated December 6, 2017.
- 94) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Cynthia L. Heer, dated December 6, 2017.
- 95) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Sandra Payas, dated December 6, 2017.
- 96) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Jim Potts, dated December 6, 2017.
- 97) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Kathie L. Rawson, dated December 6, 2017.
- 98) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Rod Tschumper, dated December 6, 2017.
- 99) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Dee Yugovich, dated December 6, 2017.
- 100) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Evan Avidor, dated November 27, 2017.
- 101) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Gabe De La Hoz, dated November 27, 2017.
- 102) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Beege Delgado, dated December 5, 2017.
- 103) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Brianna Edwards, dated November 27, 2017.
- 104) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Kevin Hampton, dated November 27, 2017.
- 105) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Mary Ann Hartman, dated December 6, 2017.
- 106) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Chris Jackson, dated November 27, 2017.
- 107) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Nate Jones, dated November 27, 2017.
- 108) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Jack Koscove, dated November 27, 2017.
- 109) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Joe Koscove, dated November 27, 2017.



- 110) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Suzanne Koscove, dated November 27, 2017.
- 111) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from MaryAnn Koscove, dated November 27, 2017.
- 112) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Matt Lawonn, dated November 27, 2017.
- 113) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Elise Richard, dated November 27, 2017.
- 114) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Marcel White, dated December 6, 2017.
- 115) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Joseph Cervi, dated December 2, 2017.
- 116) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Serafina Cervi, dated December 2, 2017.
- 117) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Beau and Amanda Chandler, dated December 1, 2017.
- 118) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Martin M. Flores, dated November 28, 2017.
- 119) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Linda Parillo, dated December 6, 2017.
- 120) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Geraldine Sovaiko, dated December 6, 2017.
- 121) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Stephen Sovaiko, dated December 6, 2017.
- 122) December 06, 2017 – Objection received from Ray Whitehead, dated December 1, 2017.
- 123) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Russell Bailey, dated November 29, 2017.
- 124) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Karole Campbel, dated December 2, 2017.
- 125) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Daniel Childers, dated December 1, 2017.
- 126) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Monique Childers, dated December 1, 2017.
- 127) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Beverly L. Creswell, dated December 1, 2017.
- 128) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Lee and Ray Cumba, dated December 3, 2017.
- 129) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Amy J. Curnow, dated November 29, 2017.
- 130) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Jesse Curnow, dated November 29, 2017.
- 131) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Stan Curnow, dated November 29, 2017.
- 132) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Anne and Tom Fellows, dated December 4, 2017.
- 133) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Larry Fish, dated November 29, 2017.



- 134) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Susan Fish, dated November 29, 2017.
- 135) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Dayna Frei, dated December 7, 2017.
- 136) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Hughes Hacienda, dated December 7, 2017.
- 137) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Lynn G. Handford, dated December 7, 2017.
- 138) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Charles Martin Harper, dated December 6, 2017.
- 139) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Jane A. Hodges, dated December 7, 2017.
- 140) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Carol Hughes, dated December 7, 2017.
- 141) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Sam Johnson, dated November 30, 2017.
- 142) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Kay Johnson, dated November 30, 2017.
- 143) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Mandy S. Larsen, dated December 2, 2017.
- 144) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Richard L. Larsen, dated December 2, 2017.
- 145) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Susan K. Larsen, dated December 2, 2017.
- 146) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Robert LaVerne, dated December 1, 2017.
- 147) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Amy Leed, dated December 8, 2017.
- 148) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Colin Leed, dated December 8, 2017.
- 149) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Eric T. Lewis, dated December 2, 2017.
- 150) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Catherine Luchte, dated December 4, 2017.
- 151) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Mark Luchte, dated December 4, 2017.
- 152) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Herbert Marx, dated December 1, 2017.
- 153) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Shirley McKee Marx, dated December 1, 2017.
- 154) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from G.K. McCowen, dated December 1, 2017.
- 155) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Millard C. McKee, dated December 1, 2017.
- 156) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Rhonda McKee, dated December 1, 2017.
- 157) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Leota M. Newby, dated December 1, 2017.



- 158) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Lucas Newby, dated December 1, 2017.
- 159) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Ann Paczolt, dated November 29, 2017.
- 160) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Lisa Pecoraro, dated December 7, 2017.
- 161) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from John J. and Mary E. Rodney, dated December 2, 2017.
- 162) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from William B. Sheaves, III, dated November 27, 2017.
- 163) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Anita J. Sickels, dated November 11, 2017.
- 164) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Aaron Smith, dated December 1, 2017.
- 165) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Carri Smith, dated December 1, 2017.
- 166) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Dallin Smith, dated December 1, 2017.
- 167) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Max Tallent, dated December 7, 2017.
- 168) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Richard H. and Colleen Tanner, dated November 29, 2017.
- 169) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Bonnie Jean Thornley, dated December 4, 2017.
- 170) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Paul D. Thornley, dated December 4, 2017.
- 171) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Brigitte Trujillo, dated December 1, 2017.
- 172) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Roger Trujillo, dated December 1, 2017.
- 173) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Jared P. Ulrich, dated November 29, 2017.
- 174) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Joe Urban, dated December 1, 2017.
- 175) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Steven M. Woodcock, dated December 4, 2017.
- 176) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Mike Yugovich, dated December 7, 2017.
- 177) December 07, 2017 – Objection received from Sally W. Ziegler, dated December 1, 2017.
- 178) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Heide M. Bell, dated December 4, 2017.
- 179) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Carl Bennett, dated December 1, 2017.
- 180) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Karen Blatchford, dated December 8, 2017.
- 181) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Paul Blatchford, dated December 8, 2017.



- 182) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Kimberly Bravo, dated December 1, 2017.
- 183) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Cindy Cockrell, dated December 2, 2017.
- 184) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Tyson McCracken, dated December 1, 2017.
- 185) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Sherry Diggs, dated December 6, 2017.
- 186) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Wayne Diggs, dated December 6, 2017.
- 187) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Sabine Hight, dated December 10, 2017.
- 188) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Tom Hight, dated November 30, 2017.
- 189) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Adam R. Hinsdale, dated December 1, 2017.
- 190) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Bryce Farr Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 191) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Payton Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 192) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Stelene Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 193) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Stockton Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 194) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Susan Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 195) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Tyson McCracken, dated December 1, 2017.
- 196) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Jewell E. Ulrich, dated November 29, 2017.
- 197) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from John J. Ulrich, dated November 29, 2017.
- 198) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from Lane Ulrich, dated November 29, 2017.
- 199) December 08, 2017 – Objection received from David E. Woodward, December 2, 2017.
- 200) December 09, 2017 – Objection received from Bruce Howard Chisnell, dated December 9, 2017.
- 201) December 09, 2017 – Objection received from Daniel Harrell, dated December 9, 2017.
- 202) December 09, 2017 – Objection received from Mark Hodges, dated December 9, 2017.
- 203) December 09, 2017 – Objection received from Michele E. Mukatis, dated December 8, 2017.
- 204) December 09, 2017 – Objection received from Nancy Reed, dated December 9, 2017.
- 205) December 09, 2017 – Objection received from Yong S. Tschumper, dated December 9, 2017.



- 206) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Daniel Clem, dated December 11, 2017.
- 207) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Patricia S. Cunningham, dated December 11, 2017.
- 208) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Joseph Gallucci, dated December 5, 2017.
- 209) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Sheila W. Griffith, dated December 11, 2017.
- 210) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Cierra N. Gruen, dated December 5, 2017.
- 211) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Kody R. Gruen, dated December 5, 2017.
- 212) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Bernard M. Janusz, dated December 10, 2017.
- 213) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Bernard M. Janusz, dated December 11, 2017.
- 214) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Angie Johnson, dated December 11, 2017.
- 215) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Amber Larsen, dated December 5, 2017.
- 216) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Dustin Larsen, dated December 5, 2017.
- 217) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from April Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 218) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Jagger Braxton Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 219) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Dr. Brock Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 220) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Bryant R. Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 221) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Brynddyn Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 222) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Jagger Farr Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 223) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Sharon D. Lawrence, dated November 29, 2017.
- 224) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Jason Mann, dated November 29, 2017.
- 225) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Lindsay Mann, dated November 29, 2017.
- 226) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Kacey McGee, dated December 5, 2017.
- 227) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Jordan Newby, dated December 1, 2017.
- 228) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Steven Reed, dated December 11, 2017.
- 229) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Paul T. Reinsma, dated December 11, 2017.



- 230) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Sharon Reinsma, dated December 11, 2017.
- 231) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Cathi Swanson, dated November 29, 2017.
- 232) December 11, 2017 – Objection received from Steve Yugovich, dated December 1, 2017.
- 233) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Stephen Agenbroad, dated November 19, 2017.
- 234) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Mary L. Anderson, dated November 26, 2017.
- 235) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Kenneth R. Baird, dated December 8, 2017.
- 236) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Marion M. Baker, dated November 28, 2017.
- 237) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from William N. Baker, dated November 28, 2017.
- 238) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Georganne Barnes, dated December 8, 2017.
- 239) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Bill H. Bash, dated December 8, 2017.
- 240) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Judy Bash, dated December 7, 2017.
- 241) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Karen Blatchford, dated December 5, 2017.
- 242) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Paul Blatchford, dated December 5, 2017.
- 243) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Richard W. Bryant, dated December 6, 2017.
- 244) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from C.M. Burnell of Turkey Canon Ranch Homeowners Association, dated December 12, 2017.
- 245) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Christine Cousineau, dated December 6, 2017.
- 246) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from George Cousineau, dated December 6, 2017.
- 247) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Tami Crisp, dated December 8, 2017.
- 248) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Anne Cubbage, dated December 8, 2017.
- 249) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Cheri Cunningham, dated December 12, 2017.
- 250) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Dave DeVere, dated December 2, 2017.
- 251) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Phill Emmert, dated 7, 2017 (no month provided).
- 252) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Sandra Emmert, dated 6, 2017 (no month provided).
- 253) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Thomas G. Goonan, dated December 6, 2017.



- 254) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Angela Griffin, dated December 1, 2017.
- 255) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from David Guthrie, dated November 19, 2017.
- 256) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Lynn G. Handford, dated December 7, 2017.
- 257) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Sean M. Harper, dated December 6, 2017.
- 258) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from George A. Hayward, not dated.
- 259) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Jean R. Hux, dated December 12, 2017.
- 260) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Vicky M. Kipp, dated December 5, 2017.
- 261) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Sara LaVerne, dated December 1, 2017.
- 262) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Kim LeTourneau, dated December 1, 2017.
- 263) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Dennis Maugherman, dated November 29, 2017.
- 264) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Shirley A. Maugherman, dated November 29, 2017.
- 265) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Michael Morris, dated December 1, 2017.
- 266) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Jessica R. Murray, dated November 19, 2017.
- 267) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Lynnette M. Murray, dated November 19, 2017.
- 268) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Sue Narad, dated December 12, 2017.
- 269) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Cindy Newby, dated December 1, 2017.
- 270) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Keith Newby, dated December 1, 2017.
- 271) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Ariel Ortiz, dated December 1, 2017.
- 272) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Beth Ortiz, dated December 1, 2017.
- 273) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Shelby Pecoraro, dated December 1, 2017.
- 274) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Gene J. Pfeffer, dated December 12, 2017.
- 275) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Shawn Pierce, dated November 19, 2017.
- 276) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Harry D. Raduege, Jr., dated December 12, 2017.
- 277) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Julee L. Raduege, dated December 12, 2017.



- 278) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from George Rigdon, dated December 7, 2017.
- 279) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Marilyn Rigdon, dated December 7, 2017.
- 280) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Leslie Roberts, dated November 29, 2017.
- 281) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Carrie Rottenborn, dated December 4, 2017.
- 282) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from James Rottenborn, dated December 4, 2017.
- 283) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from David Schlanser, dated December 12, 2017.
- 284) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Jill Schlanser, dated December 12, 2017.
- 285) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Joseph S. Screnci, Jr., dated December 12, 2017.
- 286) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from C. Dennis Shaw and Marilyn White, dated December 4, 2017.
- 287) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Michael F. Stanley, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 288) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Lynn Steer, dated December 2, 2017.
- 289) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Karen Turley, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 290) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Michael Turley, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 291) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from Jill Welch, dated December 12, 2017.
- 292) December 12, 2017 – Objection received from John R. Welch, dated December 12, 2017.
- 293) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from Kyong S. Baird, dated December 8, 2017.
- 294) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from Carol Lick, dated December 13, 2017.
- 295) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from Dave Lick, dated December 13, 2017.
- 296) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from Amy Newby, dated December 1, 2017.
- 297) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from James Newby, dated December 1, 2017.
- 298) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from Amber Dawn Niskern, dated December 13, 2017.
- 299) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from Jeffrey Niskern, dated December 13, 2017.
- 300) December 13, 2017 – Objection received from Mark Norman, dated December 13, 2017.



- 301) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Dustin Larsen, dated December 15, 2017.
- 302) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Jody Hakala, dated December 8, 2017.
- 303) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Sylvia Hakala, dated December 8, 2017.
- 304) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Geraldine Murmko, dated December 8, 2017.
- 305) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from James Hakala, dated December 8, 2017.
- 306) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Aimee Hakala, dated December 8, 2017.
- 307) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Deborah L. Fox, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 308) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Kathy Litton, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 309) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Cy D. Bailey, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 310) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Jean A. Miller, dated December 10, 2017.
- 311) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Sue Hofer, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 312) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Jeannie Cooper, dated December 11, 2017.
- 313) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Timothy Hall, dated December 5, 2017.
- 314) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from B.H. Trezevant, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 315) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Pam Holzwarth, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 316) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Sarah Beaudin, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 317) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Susan Fox, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 318) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Chris Beadles, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 319) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Nancy Aksland, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 320) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Susan Firks, dated December 8, 2017.
- 321) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Diane Gordon, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 322) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Barbara Robinson, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 323) December 14, 2017 – Objection (2 letters) received from Troy T. Davis, dated December 7, 2017.
- 324) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Michael Gleason, dated December 10, 2017.



- 325) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Linda Shelley, dated December 10, 2017.
- 326) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from William Lana, dated December 8, 2017.
- 327) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Frances Durham, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 328) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Elizabeth Klingensmith, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 329) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Angela Claman, dated 2017 (no month or day provided).
- 330) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Mark Cooper, dated December 11, 2017.
- 331) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Mary Barbara DiVesta, dated December 5, 2017.
- 332) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Tyrone L. Steen, dated December 8, 2017.
- 333) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Cathy Cooper, dated December 11, 2017.
- 334) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Deidra Steen, dated November 9, 2017.
- 335) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Susan Lana, dated December 8, 2017.
- 336) December 14, 2017 – Objection received from Steven F. Firks, dated December 8, 2017.
- 337) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Lynna Koehn, dated December 15, 2017.
- 338) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Carol C. Leed, dated December 15, 2017.
- 339) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Nadine Vaughan, dated December 8, 2017.
- 340) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Christina Ramirez, dated November 29, 2017.
- 341) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Emily Murawski, dated December 8, 2017.
- 342) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Phillip Decker, dated December 1, 2017.
- 343) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Heather Decker, dated December 1, 2017.
- 344) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Eric Decker, dated December 1, 2017.
- 345) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Leigh Decker, dated December 1, 2017.
- 346) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Naomi Ensiz, dated December 4, 2017.
- 347) December 15, 2017 – Objection received from Andrew Scott Bandalos, dated December 15, 2017.



Timely letters of support received:

- 1) November 14, 2017 - Letter of support received from Mike and Janet Robinson, dated November 14, 2017.
- 2) November 15, 2017 - Letter of support received from Norma Saint James, not dated.
- 3) November 15, 2017 - Letter of support received from Michael R. McCorkle, not dated.
- 4) November 15, 2017 - Letter of support received from Brad Lehman, not dated.
- 5) November 15, 2017 - Letter of support received from Jerry Schmitz, not dated.
- 6) November 16, 2017 - Letter of support received from Shannon Michael Hurst, not dated.
- 7) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Christopher R. Anderson, dated November 17, 2017.
- 8) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Lois Atwell, not dated.
- 9) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Cindy Moone, not dated.
- 10) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from unknown (signature is illegible), not dated.
- 11) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Keith Robertson, not dated.
- 12) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Valerie Rowland, not dated.
- 13) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Steve Sams, not dated.
- 14) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Carl W. Smith, not dated.
- 15) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Randall Stoddard, not dated.
- 16) November 21, 2017 – Letter of support received from Derek Walden, not dated.
- 17) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Joseph and Sandra Herrera, not dated.
- 18) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Daniel J. Walter, not dated.
- 19) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Joseph H. Johnson, not dated.
- 20) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from “5 yr employee”, not dated.
- 21) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Mike Sepulveda, dated November 18, 2017.
- 22) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Shane Callan, not dated.



- 23) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Cynthia Moore, not dated.
- 24) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Tom Wisthoff, not dated.
- 25) November 24, 2017 – Letter of support received from Johnny Jones, not dated.
- 26) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from Robert L. Montoya, dated November 27, 2017.
- 27) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from George Martinez, not dated.
- 28) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from John H. Gokey, not dated.
- 29) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from Thomas E. Rapprecht, not dated.
- 30) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from Skylena Moya, not dated.
- 31) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from Brent Bond, not dated.
- 32) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from Chris Ferry, not dated.
- 33) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from James H. Ulsh, not dated.
- 34) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from unknown, not dated.
- 35) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from Ryan L. Braunagel, not dated.
- 36) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from Matthew L., Marissa(?), Jordan, and Amelia Meyer, not dated.
- 37) November 27, 2017 – Letter of support received from unknown, not dated.
- 38) November 28, 2017 – Letter of support received from State Representative Larry Liston of the Colorado House of Representatives, not dated.
- 39) November 28, 2017 – Letter of support received from Don Knight of the Colorado Springs City Council, District 1, not dated.
- 40) November 28, 2017 – Letter of support received from State Representative Dan Nordberg of the Colorado House of Representatives, not dated.
- 41) November 28, 2017 – Letter of support received from State Representative Paul Lundeen of the Colorado House of Representatives, not dated.
- 42) November 29, 2017 – Letter of support received from Norma Saint James, not dated.
- 43) November 29, 2017 – Letter of support received from Randall C. Symons, not dated.



- 44) November 29, 2017 – Letter of support received from State Representative Dave Williams of the Colorado House of Representatives, not dated.
- 45) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Brandon Hesel, dated November 30, 2017.
- 46) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Lisa Atwell, dated November 21, 2017.
- 47) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Diane Corbett, dated November 21, 2017.
- 48) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Larry Cox, dated November 21, 2017.
- 49) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Kielene S. Crowley, dated November 24, 2017.
- 50) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from John T. Crowley, dated November 24, 2017.
- 51) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Mary H. Crowley, dated November 24, 2017.
- 52) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from John T. (Jack) Crowley, dated November 24, 2017.
- 53) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Tony L. Cuchares III, dated November 15, 2017.
- 54) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from John Danielson, dated November 20, 2017.
- 55) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Deborah Decost, dated November 21, 2017.
- 56) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Dean E. Ernie, dated November 22, 2017.
- 57) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Richard Francis, dated November 22, 2017.
- 58) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Jenna Gilliana, dated November 21, 2017.
- 59) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Jose N. Gonzalez, dated November 21, 2017.
- 60) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Francine Joyce Jones, dated November 20, 2017.
- 61) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Larry Lucero, dated November 21, 2017.
- 62) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Tony A. Maldonado, dated November 22, 2017.
- 63) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Sean McMahon, dated November 22, 2017.
- 64) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Edward Newhouse, dated November 22, 2017.
- 65) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Michelle Poundstone, dated November 21, 2017.



- 66) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Ron Richardson, dated November 21, 2017.
- 67) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from T. Sawyer, not dated.
- 68) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Jared Schaller, dated November 27, 2017.
- 69) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Joseph Shadden, dated November 22, 2017.
- 70) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Patrick Swift, dated November 22, 2017.
- 71) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from Betty White, dated November 21, 2017.
- 72) December 01, 2017 – Letter of support received from William C. Young, not dated.
- 73) December 04, 2017 – Letter of support received from unknown, not dated.
- 74) December 04, 2017 – Letter of support received from Michael Crosby, not dated.
- 75) December 04, 2017 – Letter of support received from Jason Huscher, dated November 27, 2017.
- 76) December 04, 2017 – Letter of support received from Tony Maldonado, dated November 28, 2017.
- 77) December 04, 2017 – Letter of support received from Carol Riese, dated November 29, 2017.
- 78) December 04, 2017 – Letter of support received from Dan Waterman, dated November 27, 2017.
- 79) December 04, 2017 – Letter of support received from unknown, not dated.
- 80) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from unknown (signature illegible), not dated.
- 81) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Barry Agnes, dated December 1, 2017.
- 82) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Curtis Hanlon, dated December 2, 2017.
- 83) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Kyle Kaltenbacher, dated November 30, 2017.
- 84) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Steve King, dated November 29, 2017.
- 85) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Caitlyn McNeill, dated December 1, 2017.
- 86) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Deborah McNeill, dated December 1, 2017.
- 87) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Lawrence M. Montoya, dated December 1, 2017.
- 88) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Tyler Nielson, dated December 1, 2017.



- 89) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Michael G. Ortega, dated December 1, 2017.
- 90) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Tyson J. Owens, dated December 1, 2017.
- 91) December 05, 2017 – Letter of support received from Mike Stockton, dated December 1, 2017.
- 92) December 07, 2017 – Letter of support received from Joseph Dobrich, dated December 7, 2017.
- 93) December 07, 2017 – Letter of support received from Robert A. Estrada, dated December 2, 2017.
- 94) December 07, 2017 – Letter of support received from Bradley A. Foster, dated December 7, 2017.
- 95) December 07, 2017 – Letter of support received from Mark Mahler, dated December 6, 2017.
- 96) December 07, 2017 – Letter of support received from George Moulton, dated December 1, 2017.
- 97) December 07, 2017 – Letter of support received from Valerie Rowland, dated December 4, 2017.
- 98) December 07, 2017 – Letter of support received from Jerry Van Horn, dated December 7, 2017.
- 99) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Bonnie Barrios, not dated.
- 100) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Brandon Elrod, dated December 8, 2017.
- 101) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Kenneth A. Howard, not dated.
- 102) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Elizabeth M. Laabs, not dated.
- 103) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Daniel Rial, dated December 7, 2017.
- 104) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Kirk D. Williams, Jr., not dated.
- 105) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Kerry Williams, not dated.
- 106) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Ben Woods, not dated.
- 107) December 08, 2017 – Letter of support received from Tyler Howard, not dated.
- 108) December 11, 2017 – Letter of support received from Bill L. Hendricks, Jr., not dated.
- 109) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Richard Anderson, dated December 7, 2018.
- 110) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Ryan Braunagel, dated December 1, 2017.
- 111) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Lee Cannon, not dated.



- 112) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Carla Fernandez, dated December 7, 2017.
- 113) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Alex Fotenos of Tab Construction, Inc., dated December 7, 2017.
- 114) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from John Gokey, dated December 7, 2017.
- 115) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Lawrence L. Hall, dated November 27, 2017.
- 116) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Brad Karrington, dated December 8, 2017.
- 117) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Cristy Leman, dated December 7, 2017.
- 118) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Anne Lloyd, dated December 8, 2017.
- 119) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Clay Lloyd, dated December 8, 2017.
- 120) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from James Lolley, dated December 7, 2017.
- 121) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Chris Mazzairelli, dated December 7, 2017.
- 122) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Christine Mazzairelli, dated December 8, 2017.
- 123) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Gerald McGhee, dated December 7, 2017.
- 124) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Andy Palacio, dated December 8, 2017.
- 125) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Thomas Earl Rupprecht, dated December 1, 2017.
- 126) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Michael R. Scott, dated December 7, 2017.
- 127) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Michael Venezio, dated December 8, 2017.
- 128) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Jason Wagers, dated December 2, 2017.
- 129) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Daniel J. Walter, dated December 7, 2017.
- 130) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from Mark Weidner, dated December 8, 2017.
- 131) December 12, 2017 – Letter of support received from John L. Williams, dated December 7, 2017.
- 132) December 14, 2017 – Letter of support received from Gary L. Bradley, dated December 13, 2017.
- 133) December 14, 2017 – Letter of support received from Randall Stoddard, dated December 9, 2017.
- 134) December 14, 2017 – Letter of support received from Matthew J. Meyer, dated December 11, 2017.



- 135) December 14, 2017 – Letter of support received from Della Maxine Hummel, not dated.
- 136) December 14, 2017 – Letter of support received from Carl W. Smith, not dated.
- 137) December 14, 2017 – Letter of support received from Shane Callan, dated December 8, 2017.
- 138) December 15, 2017 – Letter of support received from Jesus Maldonado, dated December 5, 2017.

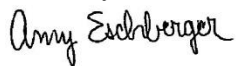
Agency comments received:

- 1) December 05, 2017 – Comment received from History Colorado, Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation, dated November 30, 2017.
- 2) December 11, 2017 – Comment received from Colorado State Land Board, dated December 11, 2017.

Copies of the objections and comments are enclosed for your records. Please inform the Division of how the Applicant intends to address the jurisdictional issues raised by objectors. Please also inform the Division of how the Applicant intends to address any issues identified in agency comments. This information can be submitted during the adequacy review process.

If you have any questions, you may contact me by telephone at 303-866-3567, ext. 8129, or by email at amy.eschberger@state.co.us.

Sincerely,



Amy Eschberger
Environmental Protection Specialist

Enclosures: New objection and comment letters as listed above (180 total)

EC: Paul Kos, Norwest Corporation at: pkos@norwestcorp.com
Wally Erickson, DRMS at: wally.erickson@state.co.us





Objection to the Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry M2017-049

1 message

Bruce Chisnell <chisnellb@aol.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Sat, Dec 9, 2017 at 6:21 PM

Hello Ma'am,

Please see the attached letter of objection to the subject quarry - M2017-049

Thank you in advance for your attention to this serious concern

Most respectfully,
Bruce Howard Chisnell
Hwy 115 Resident
[719 351-0757](tel:7193510757)



Hwy 115 owner_resident Bruce Chisnell - Objection to Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry M2017-049.docx
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9 December, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner and resident in the Southwest Highway 115 area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat, and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. Please protect our homes, and the future of the Red Rock Valley along with the rest of the Hwy 115 area for future generations.

I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,

<<<Signed>>> 9 Dec 17

Bruce Howard Chisnell
11340 Valle Verde Drive
Colorado Springs, CO 80926
719 351-0757
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Letter of Objection - Application M22017-049

Dan Harrell <dan.harrell@groflysystems.com>

Sat, Dec 9, 2017 at 2:47 PM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

December 8, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger

Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215

Denver, Colorado 80203

Dear Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner and resident of The Pinons of Turkey Canon Ranch in the SW HWY 115 area,

I strongly object to ANOTHER quarry along this corridor and specifically to Transit Mix Concrete Company's application M22017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road, our friends and neighbors lowering their property values.

In addition Hwy 115 is already a "death trap" for our wildlife and with hundreds more large trucks from a new quarry traveling the highway it may become a "death trap" for humans too.

I strongly urge the MLRB to deny the TM application AGAIN.

I request that both the Pre-Hearing Conference and the MLRB Hearing be held in Colorado Springs so the area residents can attend.

Sincerely,

Daniel Harrell

Daniel Harrell

Hwy 115 Property Owner

16230 Cala Rojo Drive

Colorado Springs, Colorado 80926

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Eschberger - DNR, Amy <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Quarry

1 message

Mark Hodges <qtrsawn1@gmail.com>

Sat, Dec 9, 2017 at 10:05 AM

To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Thanks and Regards - Letter attached - Mark

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Mark Hodges
School House Furniture Repair(.com)
Phantom Canyon Carving(.com)
[719-372-3820](tel:719-372-3820) shop
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quarry letter.pdf

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Dec 9 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger

Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215

Denver, CO 80203

Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner and resident in the area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Mark Hodges', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Mark Hodges

11440 Valle Verde

Colorado Springs, Co 80926

Qtrsawn1@gmail.com



Transit Mix Concrete Company's Application M2017-049

1 message

Michele Mukatis <cultivatehealth@gmail.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Sat, Dec 9, 2017 at 11:29 AM

December 8, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger

Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215

Denver, CO 80203

Dear Ms. Eschberger,

I planned to send a physical letter, but our internet is out at home for an unspecified amount of time, so I am unable to print currently.

As a citizen of El Paso County, Colorado, and someone who regularly appreciates the ability to get away from the bustle of this city, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The Nature Conservancy identified the proposed quarry area as "one of the last high-quality examples of southern Front Range foothills ecosystems." Colorado Department of Parks & Wildlife recognizes Lower Turkey Creek as a migration corridor for elk and connects the Beaver Creek Wilderness Study Area, and BLM and National Forest lands, to Fort Carson. This area is mapped by the US Fish & Wildlife Service as critical habitat for the Mexican Spotted Owl, a threatened species listed both by the federal and state governments.

TM's application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. It will increase noise pollution as well as general pollution for the area. It will also increase traffic on an already dangerous portion of 115.

I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application. Additionally, I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Yours truly,

Michele E. Mukatis

1306 E. Yampa Street

Colorado Springs, CO 80909

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Objection Letter to Permit M2017-049

1 message

Nancy Reed <ncr.turkeycreek@gmail.com>

Sat, Dec 9, 2017 at 12:32 PM

To: CO Division of Reclamation Mining and Safety <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Attached is a cover letter and attachment with more specific information about my objections to the proposed Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry (M2017-049)

Nancy Reed
4848 Little Turkey Creek Road
Colorado Springs CO. 80926

2 attachments



Reed Cover Letter for Detailed Objections.pdf
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Attachment - Details related to Objections.pdf
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9 December 2017

Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

Subject: Objection to the Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry, Permit Number M2017-049

Ms. Amy Eschberger:

This letter is in response to the application submitted by Transit Mix Concrete Company for a quarry to be located on Hitch Rack Ranch. My husband and I own a home located within the Eagles Nest development, which is immediately west of the proposed quarry area.

The attachment to this letter provides a detailed description of my objections to the proposed quarry.

Sincerely,



Nancy Reed
4848 Little Turkey Creek Road
Colorado Springs, CO 80926
Phone: 719-648-6715

Attachment: Details related to Objections to the Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry Permit Application (M2017-049)

Details related to Objections to the Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry Application

1. Application contains numerous inaccuracies and inconsistencies (item 115 (4) (a))

The application should be deemed to be incomplete because of the following inaccuracies and inconsistencies identified within the application:

a. Size of the permit area

On the initial permit form, the permit request is for 398.88. The requested number of acres on that form is inconsistent with other statements within the application. The 2016 permit (M2016-010) requested 392.75 acres. On page vii Transit Mix states that they have “re-designed the planned mining operations, and now proposes a significantly reduced mine area”. The legal description from Exhibit A eliminated three 40 acre parcels of land in the NE ¼ of Section 16. Both the Index map (Exhibit B), dated 30 Oct 2017 and the General Layout Map (Figure C-1, dated 30 Oct 2017) show the northern edge of the permit area within Section 16 following along the creek and/or Little Turkey Creek Road rather than along the northern boundary of Section 16. How can the number of acres of the 2017 permit area be LARGER than the 2016 permit?

b. Proposed boundary of affected lands.

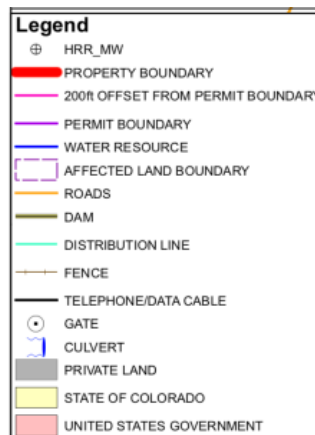
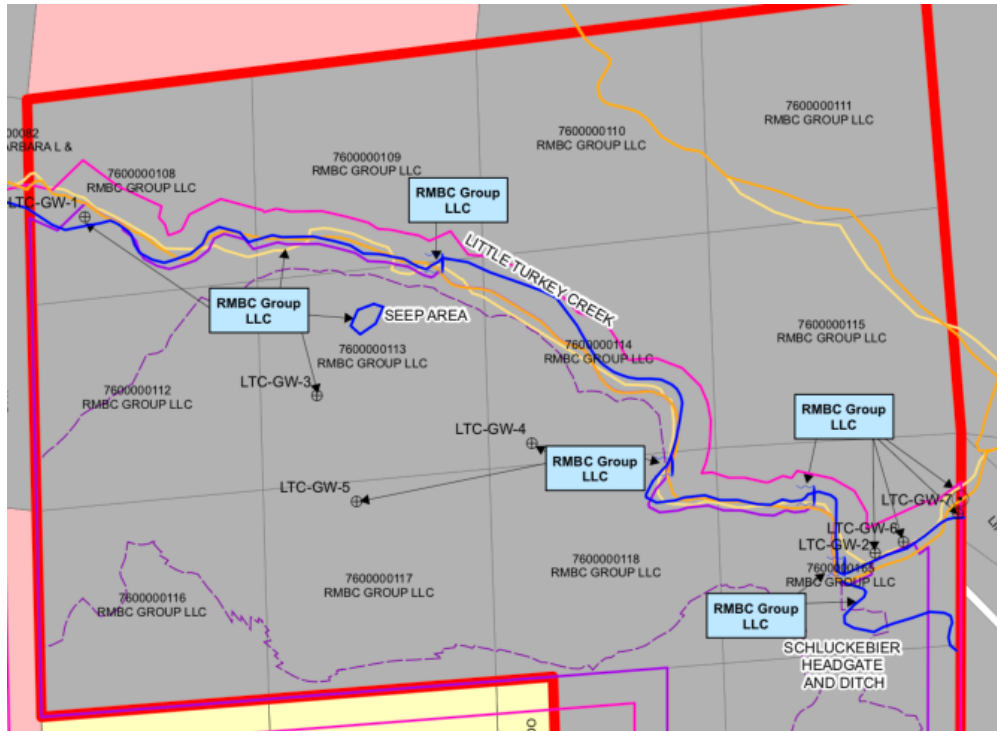
Some of the monitoring wells and blast monitoring equipment associated with the proposed mining operations will be located outside of the proposed affected land boundary.

c. Maps within Exhibit C

- 1) None of the maps in the application include a line delineating 200 feet from the affected lands.
- 2) Page D-3 indicates that there will be a 100-foot buffer from the centerline of the creek. None of the maps in the application include a line delineating this offset.

d. Figure C-2

The figure on the next page is an extract from Figure C-2, as amended in the 30 October submission. It depicts the portion of the map that includes Section 16, where the majority of the mining activity will be occurring.



There are numerous omissions and inaccuracies in this map:

- 1) The map includes two different colors for roads within Section 16 (orange and yellow). There are NOT two roads.
- 2) Several segments of the line depicting the northern boundary of the permit area within Section 16 are missing. Knowing the EXACT location of the permit boundary with respect to Little Turkey Creek Road is critical to owners of the road easement.
- 3) A segment of the line depicting the northern boundary of the affected land area within Section 16 is missing. Knowing the EXACT location of the boundary of the affected lands with respect to Little Turkey Creek Road is critical to owners of the road easement.

- 4) There are numerous errors in the depiction of the locations where the road crosses the creek.
- 5) The four culverts marked as owned by RMBC Group are located within the road easement and were installed in 2013 by the Eagles Nest Association.
- 6) The location and the ownership of the gate depicted on the eastern edge of Section 16 are both incorrect.
- 7) Two other existing gates are NOT included in the figure.
- 8) The location and ownership of fences are not included in the figure, although an icon for fences is shown in the legend.
- 9) There is an inconsistency in the location of the monitoring wells between Figure C-2 and Figure 1-1 of NORWEST's "Transit Mix Concrete Co. Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry Surface Water and Groundwater Monitoring Program".
- 10) The depiction of the Schluckebier Headgate and Ditch is totally inaccurate.
- 11) Other water retention and diversion structures within Section 16 are omitted from the figure (e.g., dams, pipelines and ditches).

e. Proposed radius of pre-blast survey

There are inconsistencies in the proposed radius for the pre-blast survey.

f. Proposed vegetation

There are inconsistencies between the written text and tables on what species of vegetation will be planted.

g. Time to drain sediment detention basins.

There are inconsistencies in the length of time identified within the document and associated figures on how long it will take to drain the sediment basins. The differences are significant.

2. Planned mining operations would be contrary to Colorado easement law (item 115 (4) (d))

Landowners within Eagles Nest own an ingress/egress easement for Little Turkey Creek Road. A 1968 El Paso County court decree defines the location and width of that easement. Colorado easement law states that when the location and width of an easement is defined, then easement owners have the right to unobstructed access to that easement.

A letter provided by the Assistant Attorney General, Natural Resources & Environment Section (from Scott Shultz regarding "Little Turkey Creek Road Easement from 1968 El Paso County District Court Decree & Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry Permit Application M-2016-010, dated 28 Sept 2016) states that "the Construction Materials Act does not provide DRMS with sufficient jurisdictional authority to interpret specific conditions and rights of a private road easement contained within a District Court Decree. Unlike a State District Court, DRMS

does not have the jurisdictional authority to adjudicate private property rights.” Further, that letter states that:

“The Division respectfully requests the Board to condition an approval of the Application as follows:

- 1) Obtain and provide the Division and Board with the necessary legal right to initiate a mining operation on the Affect Land, specifically the legal right to use Little Turkey Creek Road as proposed in the Application. The necessary legal right may be in the form of a:
 - a. Declaratory Judgment Order from an El Paso County District Court; or*
 - b. Legally binding agreement with all of the owners of the dominant easement over Little Turkey Creek Road that the Application may use Little Turkey Creek Road as proposed in their application; or**
- 2) Modify Permit Application M02016-010 in a manner by which the Division does not interpret the terms of the Little Turkey Creek Road easement contained within the 1968 El Paso County District Court Decree of Civil Action No. 54701.*

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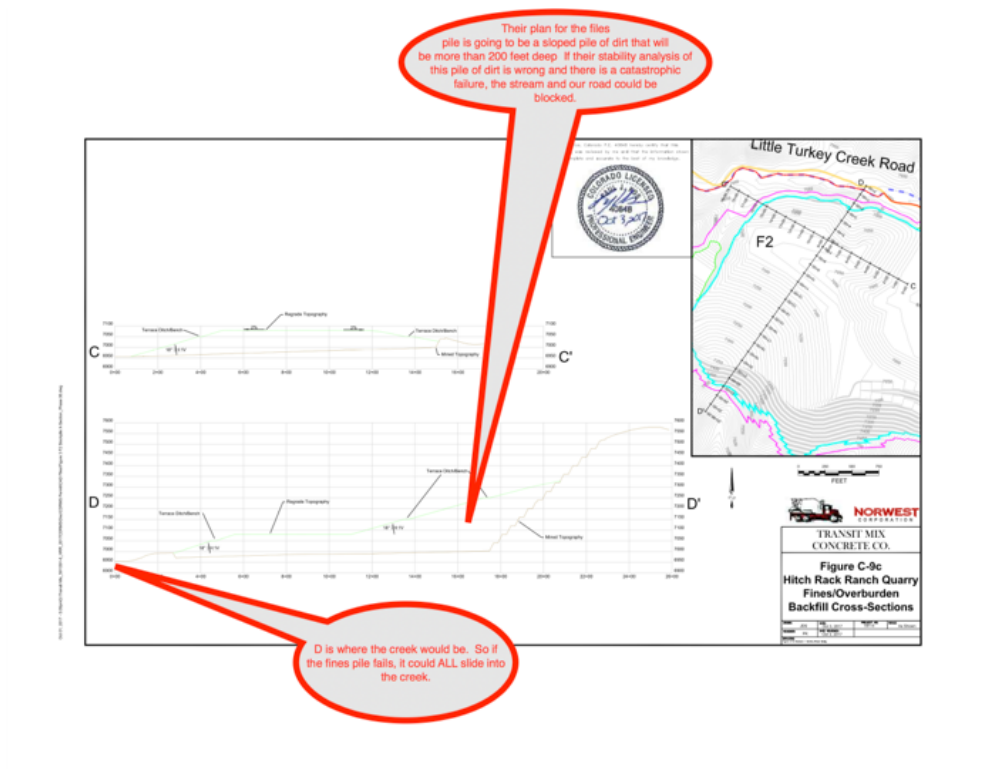
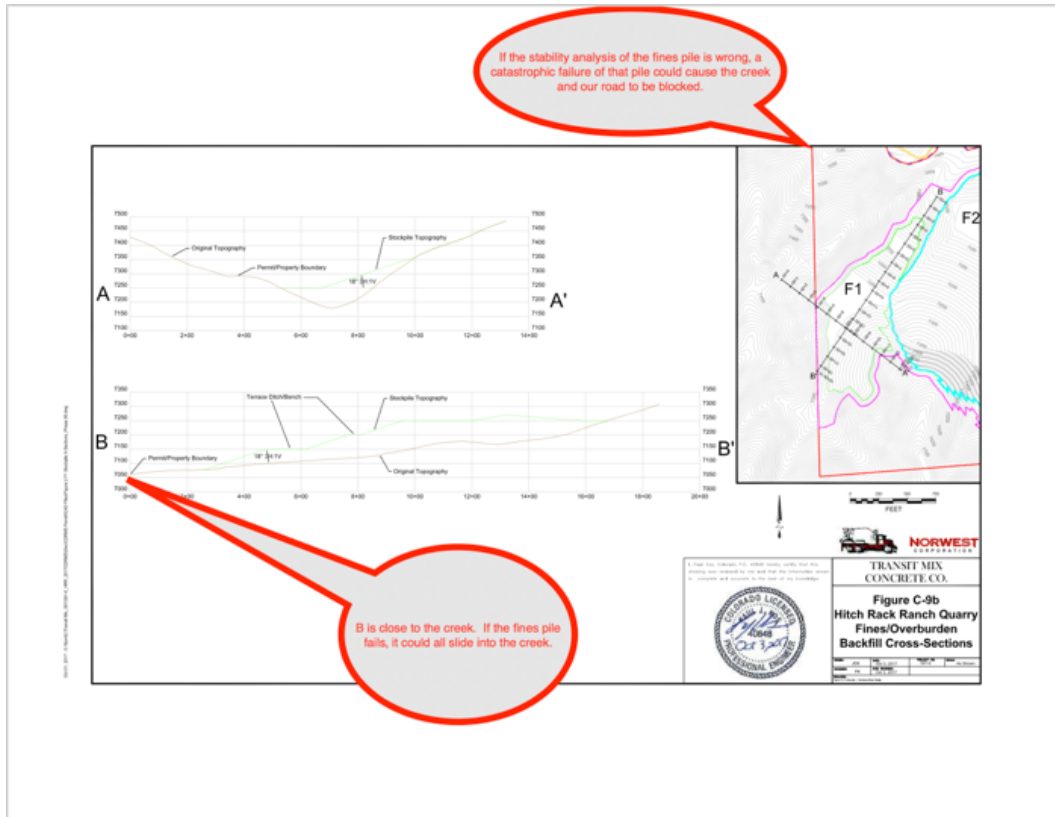
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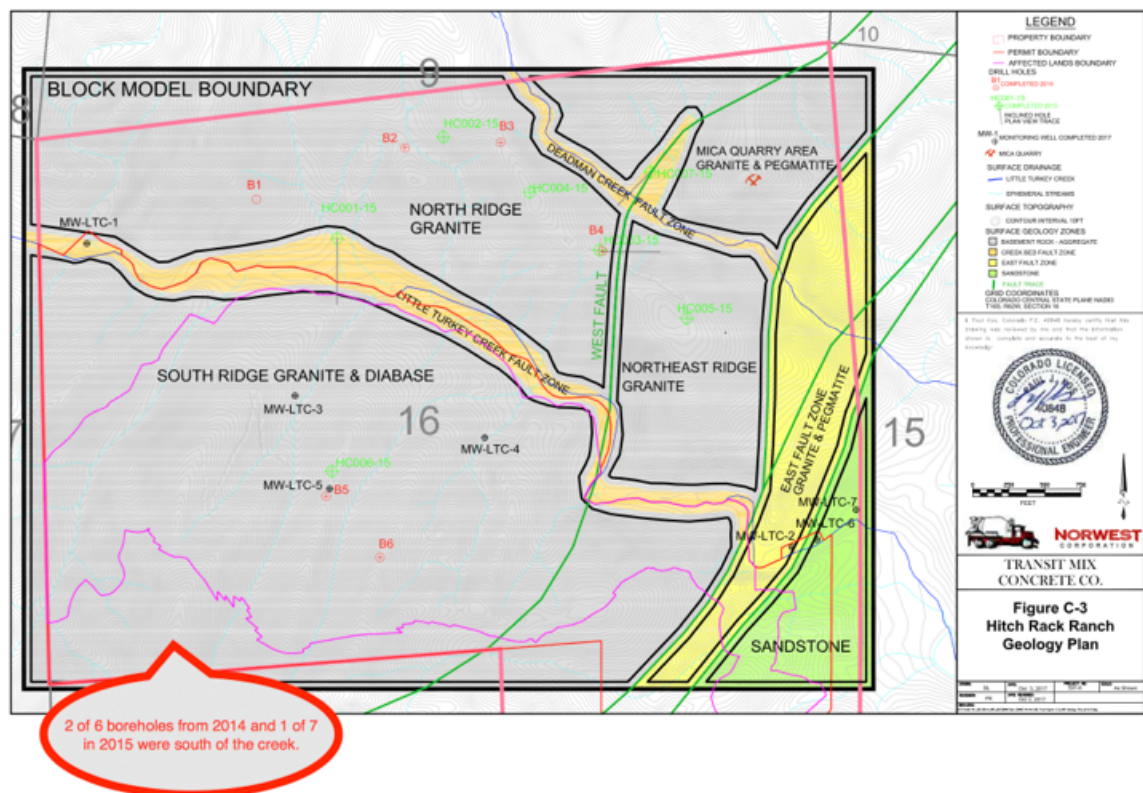
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In their stability analysis for the pit walls, (NORWEST Geotechnical Pit Wall Geotechnical Assessment – Rev 0, dated Sept 11, 2017), NORWEST admits that the data collection from the 2014 drilling contained only limited geotechnical information and they therefore did not include data from those holes in their subsequent analysis. They also indicate that only 1 of 7 test bore holes completed in 2015 were drilled south of the creek. On pages 8 and 9 of their report they admit that “limited data is available for the proposed pit area but some aspects of the structural conditions are expected to be similar given the similar rock mass conditions, however additional drilling will be required to characterize the structure of the ultimate quarry pit footprint.”

In NORWEST’s analysis for the 2016 permit (M-2016-010) “Hitch Rack Ranch Pit Wall Geotechnical Assessment – Rev. B”, dated January 26, 2015 the engineer recommended: “Additional geotechnical drilling and analyses are required to confirm conditions prior to mining the area south of Little Turkey Creek.” In the transcript from the October 2016 Board Hearing, the CDRMS staff indicated “we have a commitment in the application that before they open that south pit, there’s going to be a lot more research done” (Page 8974 of the Administrative Record).

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Updated version of details on objection to M2017-049

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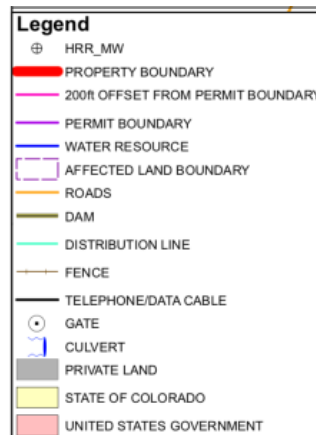
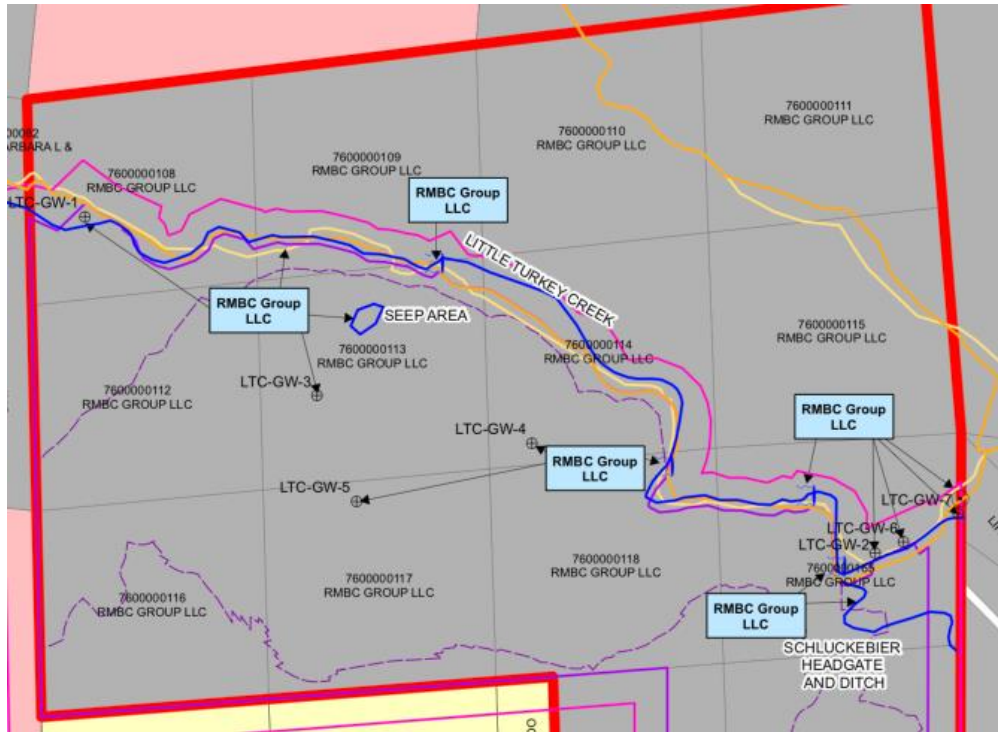
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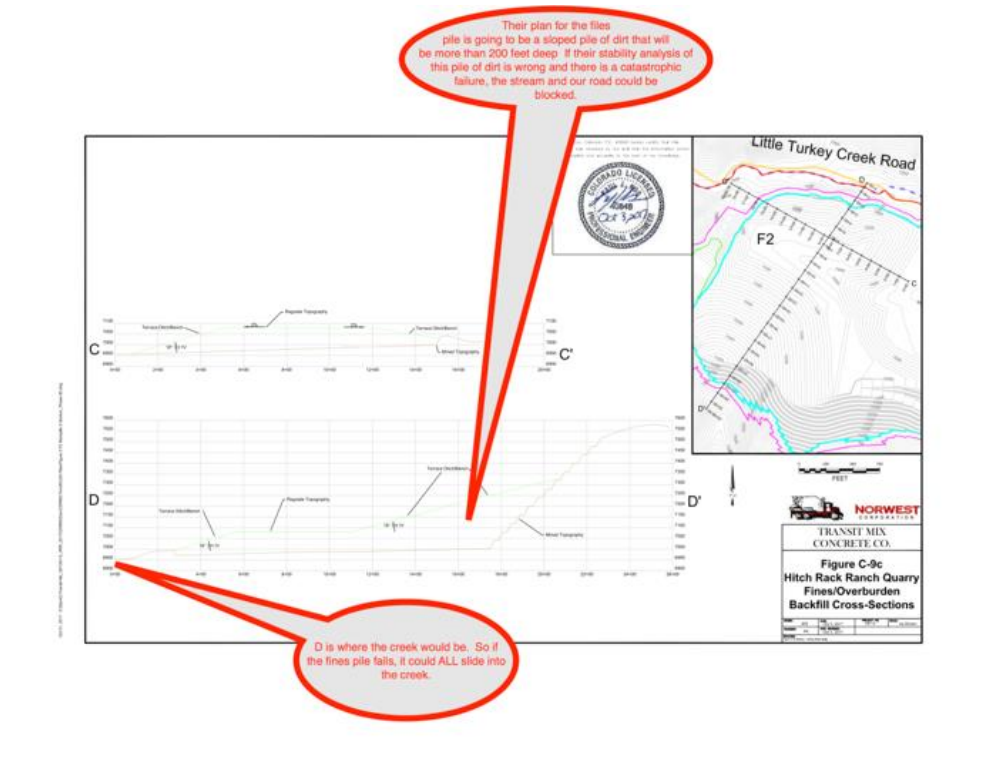
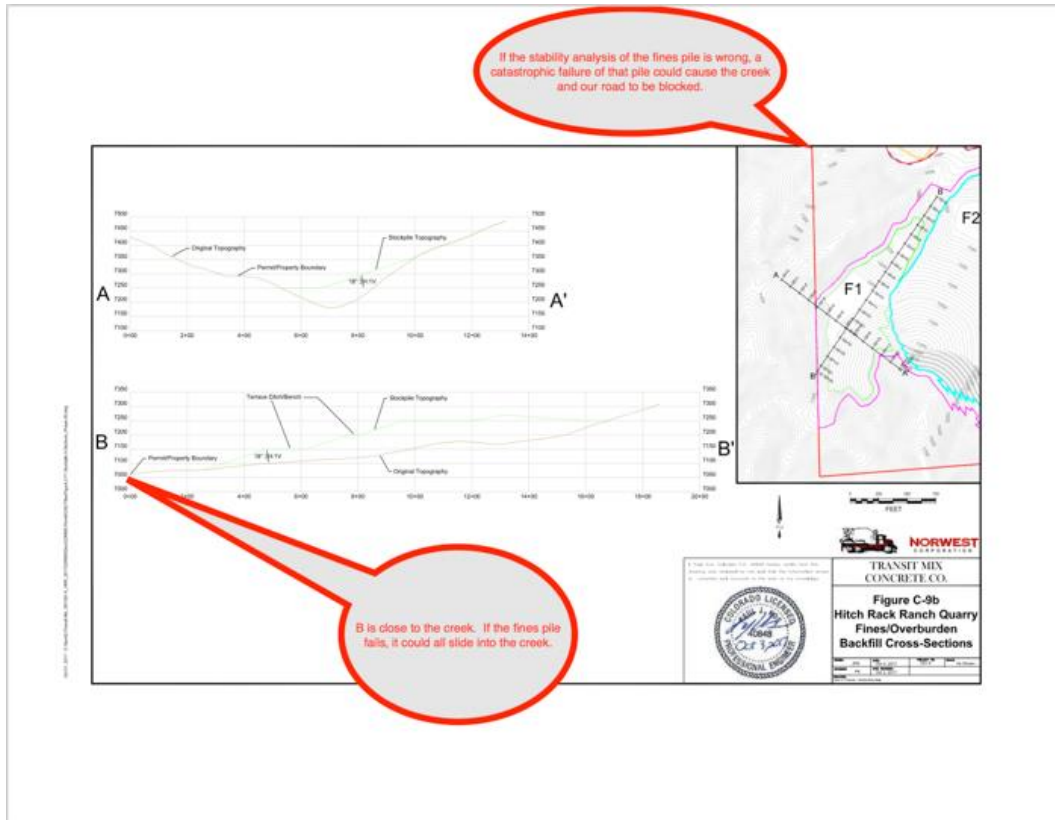
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Given the proximity to the creek and the planned depth of the fines piles, the stability of those piles will be critical to preventing landslides of material into the creek. The application includes a Stability Analysis for the Fines Pile (NORWEST, Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry Waste Stockpile Stability Analyses, dated 29 August 2017). However, we know from the historical record at Pike View Quarry that stability analyses performed by the applicant's engineers can be **WRONG**. If any of the stability analyses for this permit are incorrect and there is a catastrophic failure of these fines piles, there could be a landslide which could block Little Turkey Creek, which could damage the creek and Little Turkey Creek Road.



6. Impact to Hydrologic Balance in adjacent land (item 116 (h))

The application does not adequately demonstrate that disturbances to the prevailing hydrologic balance of the affected land and of the surrounding area will be minimized.

The application claims that only three domestic wells located southwest of the proposed mining area might be impacted by quarry operations.

- 1) The application claims that only wells to the south of the creek would be impacted. To support this assertion, the applicant needed to prove that there is no interconnection of the granite fractures between the north and south sides of the creek.
- 2) The application claims that no wells to the east of the quarry would be impacted. To support this assertion, the applicant needed to prove that the granite fracture system located within the quarry is not the source of any of the water that feeds those wells.
- 3) The application claims that only wells within a half mile of the quarry might be impacted.

The report makes no attempt to prove any of the above assertions, which means that the number of wells negatively impacted by quarry operations could be much higher.

The application admits that quarry operations may intercept groundwater within the quarry area, but then claims that returning intercepted groundwater back into the creek eliminates the impact on the hydrologic balance. However, returning the intercepted groundwater back to the creek does not offset the damage caused to nearby wells once the network of granite fractures that supplies the water is damaged or removed by quarry operations. It only takes a tiny disruption in the delivery system to have a profound impact on those wells, as was demonstrated by the disruption of water supplied to wells on a nearby ranch during the construction of NORAD a number of years ago. The issue is NOT whether the quarry operations will deplete water from the groundwater system. Rather, the issue is what impact a disruption of the water supply system might cause to nearby wells.

The operator has drilled several monitoring wells and claims that those wells will adequately assess whether quarry operations are impacting nearby wells. When water is being supplied through granite fractures, the data from those monitoring wells is *meaningless* unless those wells tap into the EXACT same fractures as the wells that might be impacted.

The applicant has offered to drill a new well if a well owner can prove that the damage to the well was caused by quarry operations. The source of water for most nearby wells is a fragile water supply fed by granite fractures. Given the fragility of that fracture system, it may be impossible to successfully drill a new well that reaches the historic production level and water quality of current wells. If the operator is unable to drill adequate wells, those properties would have been permanently damaged by the loss of their water supply.

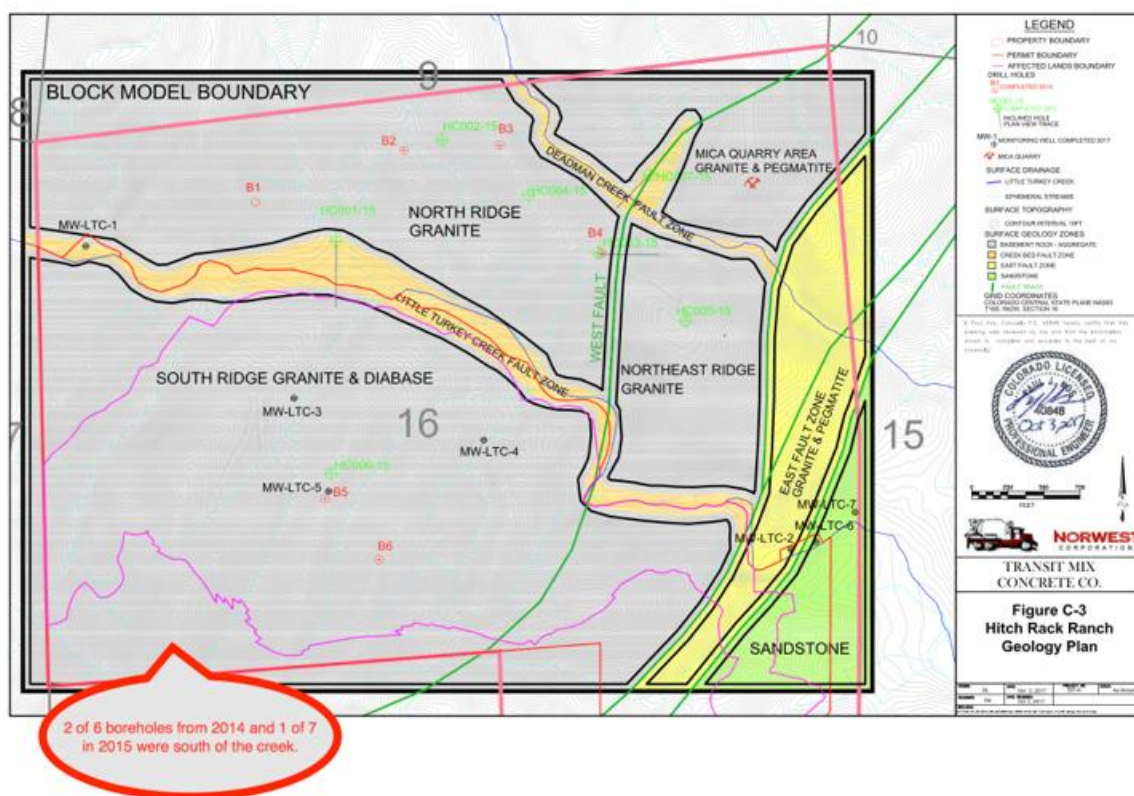
7. Areas outside of affected lands protected from slides or damage (item 166 (i))

The application does not adequately demonstrate that areas outside of the affected land will be protected from slides or damage occurring during the mining operation and reclamation.

The proposed quarry pit and fines piles will be located extremely close to both Little Turkey Creek and Little Turkey Creek Road. The pit walls and the fines piles will be hundreds of feet high. The stability of those pit walls and the fines piles will be critical to ensuring the safety of people driving near the quarry pits as well as ensuring that the road and creek are not damaged by rock falls or landslides.

The applicant is owned by the same Chicago company as the operator of the Pike View quarry. I learned from reading material in the mining permit database that numerous landslides have occurred at the Pike View quarry over the past 10 years. The engineering analyses prepared by the operator's engineers at that quarry were proven to be wrong. As a result, I am deeply concerned about the adequacy and quality of the engineering analyses that were prepared for this application.

Figure C-3 (shown below) shows the locations of the test bores drilled in 2014 and 2015.



In their stability analysis for the pit walls, (NORWEST Geotechnical Pit Wall Geotechnical Assessment – Rev 0, dated Sept 11, 2017), NORWEST admits that the data collection from the 2014 drilling contained only limited geotechnical information and they therefore did not include data from those holes in their subsequent analysis. They also indicate that only 1 of 7 test bore holes completed in 2015 were drilled south of the creek. On pages 8 and 9 of their report they admit that “limited data is available for the proposed pit area but some aspects of the structural conditions are expected to be similar given the similar rock mass conditions, however additional drilling will be required to characterize the structure of the ultimate quarry pit footprint.”

In NORWEST’s analysis for the 2016 permit (M-2016-010) “Hitch Rack Ranch Pit Wall Geotechnical Assessment – Rev. B”, dated January 26, 2015 the engineer recommended: “Additional geotechnical drilling and analyses are required to confirm conditions prior to mining the area south of Little Turkey Creek.” In the transcript from the October 2016 Board Hearing, the CDRMS staff indicated “we have a commitment in the application that before they open that south pit, there’s going to be a lot more research done” (Page 8974 of the Administrative Record).

Transit Mix did not follow the 2016 recommendation of their engineers and has failed to meet the commitment made in the 2016 application to perform more analysis before the south pit is opened for mining. Analysis and conclusions of stability analysis for this permit are therefore primarily based on data taken from bore holes that aren’t even located within the area to be mined and yet the engineering analysis proceeded as though the data being used was a sufficient sample on which to draw their conclusions. If the pit wall stability analysis done by Transit Mix’s engineers for this quarry is based on inadequate data and ends up being *wrong*, there could be a catastrophic failure of the pit walls.



Letter Of Objection To CDRMS/Hitch Rack Quarry

1 message

Yong Tschumper <Yongtj@hotmail.com>

Sat, Dec 9, 2017 at 2:43 PM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

9 December 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
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Ms. Eschberger,

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The application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat, and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application. In addition, the access off Hwy 115 to and from the quarry is in a dangerous location and would create many vehicle accidents.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,

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M-2017-049 Transit Mix Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry

1 message

Courtney - DNR, Phillip <phillip.courtney@state.co.us>

Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 11:22 AM

To: Amy Eschberger - DNR <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Cc: Jerald Schnabel <jerald_schnabel@transitmix.com>, Bill Ryan <bill.ryan@state.co.us>, Christel Koranda - DNR <christel.koranda@state.co.us>, Tony Waldron - DNR <tony.waldron@state.co.us>

Amy,

Please find attached a letter commenting on application M-2017-049. Please let me know if you need a hard copy of this letter.

Regards, Phil

Phillip Courtney
Solid Minerals Leasing Manager



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December 11, 2017

Ms. Amy M. Eschberger
Environmental Protection Specialist
Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

RE: Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry; DRMS File M-2017-049

Dear Ms. Eschberger:

The Colorado State Board of Land Commissioners (State Land Board) is the mineral owner and Lessor on lands applicable to the above referenced Construction Materials Reclamation Permit application filed by the current Lessee, Transit Mix Concrete Company (Transit Mix).

The State Land Board supports this application for several reasons pertaining to our mission:

- 1. Immediate Benefits to Public Schools.** As trustees, the State Land Board manages nearly 4 million acres of state owned mineral rights to generate revenue for our beneficiaries, the largest being the School Trust, which supports K-12 public education. School Trust revenues benefit K-12 public schools through allocation in the state's annual budget for public education, and the Building Excellent Schools Today (BEST) Program that supports capital improvements to school facilities across the state. Since 2008, nearly \$600 million in funds for the BEST Program were generated by the State Land Board. BEST has impacted over 350 school facilities in 119 school districts throughout the state. El Paso County has been awarded \$159.9 million in BEST grants to county schools via 56 BEST grants since 2008. However, the benefits to public schools in Colorado can only be realized when trust minerals are actually developed and revenues are received by the State Land Board.
- 2. Long Term Benefits to Colorado Schools.** Mineral development is a significant source of revenue on state trust lands, including extraction and processing of construction aggregates as proposed by M-2017-049. State trust minerals are developed through a lease between a mineral developer, such as Transit Mix, and the State Land Board, with the trusts earning revenue from mineral rentals and royalties. Mineral revenue that is not allocated to BEST is deposited in the School Trust permanent fund, which earns interest and grows over time to provide future support for K-12 education. During the last fiscal year, the State Land Board generated over \$95 million in revenues solely pertaining to minerals development. This lease could potentially generate \$750,000 annually for the School Trust.



3. **Mitigation of Short-Term Impacts.** The State Land Board fully supports and appreciates the work of the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (DRMS) to balance the need for mineral resource production to support the state's infrastructure needs with protection of the public, environment and Colorado's natural resources. To that end, the State Land Board includes stipulations in its mineral leases which require approval of reclamation plans submitted to the DRMS pursuant to the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Act. All mineral lessees are required to comply with all laws that affect or control mining or other operations of the lessee, including those that regulate air quality, water quality, traffic and road use, reclamation, mine worker safety and public safety. While other agencies are responsible for enforcing those regulations, any violations of those laws will also violate the lease with the State Land Board. The State Land Board has reviewed the application and believes Transit Mix has designed the operation with significant detail toward mitigating potential impacts to wildlife, surface water and groundwater.
4. **Legal Right to Enter.** The State of Colorado was granted full title by the United States of America to Section 16, Township 16 South, Range 67 West (the lands where mining will occur under M-2017-049) on August 1, 1876 per the Colorado Enabling Act. The surface estate on this section was transferred by patent No. 2499 on May 12, 1909, but the patent expressly reserves, *"to the State of Colorado, all rights to any and all minerals, ores and metals of every kind and character and all coal, asphaltum, oil and other like substances in or under said land, and the right of ingress and egress for the purpose of mining together with enough of the surface of same as may be necessary for the proper and convenient working of such minerals and substances."* Mining Lease No. 109924, authorized by the State Board of Land Commissioners on April 14, 2016, provides the right and privilege of exploring, prospecting for, developing, and mining of and taking of sand, gravel and crushed stone to Transit Mix under the terms and conditions specified in the lease. Due to the history of the title on this property, the mineral reservation contained in the Patent, and the rights granted in the current mining lease, Transit Mix's legal right to enter and mine this property is clearly established as described in Exhibit N of the permit application.
5. **Beneficial Uses for the Site.** The proposed mining area will occur on lands where minerals are held by the state, and mining the granitic rock represents the greatest potential to realize the value of this mineral asset for the School Trust. The State Board of Land Commissioners authorized Mining Lease No. 109924 after determining that monetizing these minerals is in the best interest of the School Trust.

The State Land Board believes there are many benefits derived from the production of construction aggregates on lands that are administered by the State Land Board. The State



Land Board will work cooperatively with DRMS to ensure all mining and reclamation activity contemplated in this permit application is completed in accordance with all laws and regulations that DRMS rigorously works to enforce.

Sincerely,



Phillip J. Courtney
Solid Minerals Leasing Manager

CC: Jerald Schnabel - President, Transit Mix Concrete Company
Bill Ryan - Director, State Board of Land Commissioners
Christel Koranda - Minerals Director, State Board of Land Commissioners
Tony Waldron - Minerals Program Director, Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

The Colorado State Board of Land Commissioners (the State Land Board) is a constitutionally created agency that manages a \$4 billion endowment of assets for the intergenerational benefit of Colorado's K-12 schoolchildren and public institutions. The agency is the second-largest landowner in Colorado and generates revenue on behalf of beneficiaries by leasing nearly three million surface acres and four million subsurface acres for agriculture, grazing, recreation, commercial real estate, rights-of-way, renewable energy, oil, gas, and solid minerals. Unlike public lands, trust lands are not open to the public unless a property has been leased for public access. The agency is entirely self-funded and receives no tax dollars.





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Eschberger - DNR, Amy <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Letter of OBJECTION to CDRMS/ TM Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry

1 message

Daniel D Clem <daniel.clem@verizonwireless.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 2:59 PM

Hi Amy,

See Attached letter of objection to the proposed rock quarry.

Regards,

Dan Clem



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December 11, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

Ms. Eschberger,

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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,

Daniel Clem

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Letters of OBJECTION to CDRMS/ TM Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry

1 message

Patti Cunningham <sadie@volcano.net>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 5:35 PM

December 11, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger

Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

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Ms. Eschberger,

As a family member and visitor to Colorado, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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Your truly,

Patricia S. Cunningham

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Respectfully,

Signature



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1 message

Sheila W. Griffith <sheilawgriffith@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 12:50 PM

To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Good morning Ms. Eschberger. As a property owner very near highway 115, I am writing to express my deep concern about a quarry operating with a route down through our Cheyenne Mountain neighborhood. The traffic is already a nightmare.....that many big trucks is truly alarming and scary. Attached is a letter to that effect. I write on behalf of myself and my husband, David.



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Your truly,

Sheila W. Griffith

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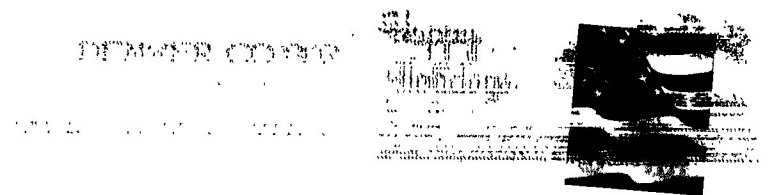
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Respectfully,

Signature



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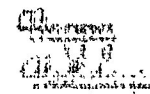


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Objection letter

1 message

bernie J <bernjanusz@gmail.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 2:51 PM

Attached is my letter of Objection to the Hitch Ranch Quarry.permit number M2017-049.



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December 10, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
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Ms. Eschberger,

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Your truly,

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Objection to permit number M2017-049

1 message

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Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 3:17 PM



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December 11, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
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Ms. Eschberger,

As a citizen of El Paso County, Colorado, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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Your truly,

Bernard M Janusz

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Objection Letter

1 message

Angie Johnson <angie@stellarco.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 12:40 AM

Amy,

I have attached a copy of my objection letter. Please let me know you received this letter.

Thank you,

Angie Johnson



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December 11, 2017

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Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
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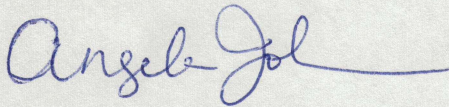
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Respectfully,



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December 5, 2017

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Respectfully,

Signature



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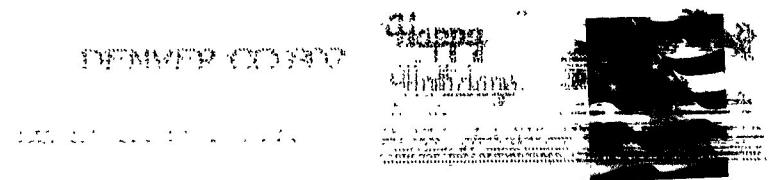


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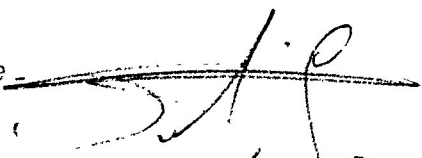
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Respectfully,

Signature -


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Tyler Griffith

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Respectfully,

Apm Lawrence

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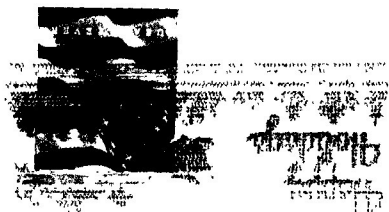
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MS AMY ESCHEBACHER
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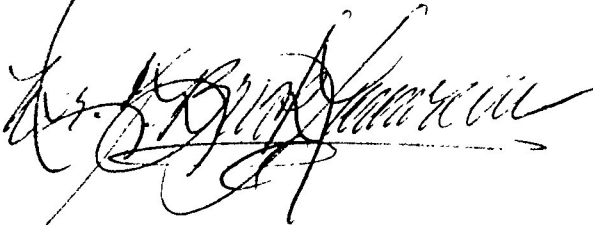
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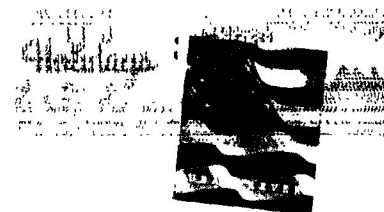
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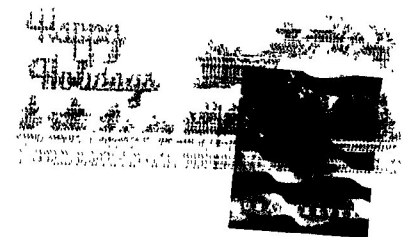
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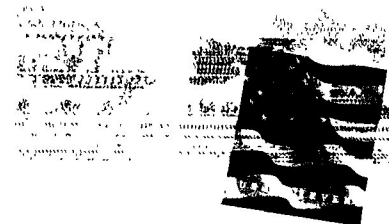
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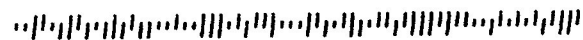
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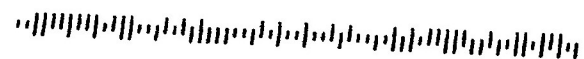
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
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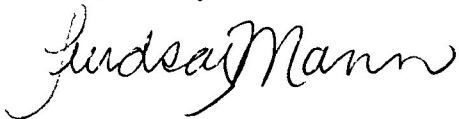
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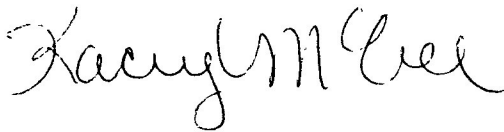
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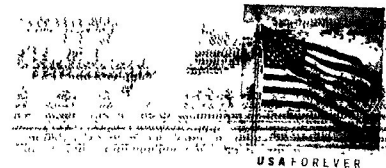
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Subject: Objection to Permit M2017-049

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Printed Name: Jordan Newby

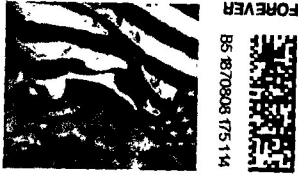
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Letter of objection, M2017-049

1 message

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Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 3:25 PM

Letter of objection to the Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry proposal.

Steve Reed
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One day, a long time ago, there was a pilot who was not full of shit. But it was just one day and it was a long time ago

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Objection to Mine Application M2017-049

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Mon, Dec 11, 2017 at 7:35 PM

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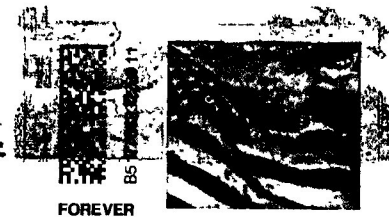
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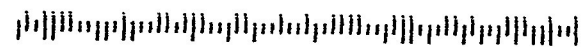
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Our new Hitch Rack Ranch application has now been submitted, and the period of public comment concerning the proposed quarry has started. During this time, there will be many letters of opposition submitted. It is our goal to show the community that there is in reality an overwhelming support for this project. In order to do that, we ask that you please review the attached form letter, and if you are in agreement, sign it, and return it in the provided envelope directly to DRMS at your earliest possible convenience. The letter can also be sent to Kay Sanchez at the main office, and those letters will be hand carried to the DRMS office. You are by no means obligated to send this letter, and we would even prefer if you wrote your own or adjusted the attached to reflect your personal views. Please have family members and acquaintances sign or write a separate letter. The public comment period will end on December 21st at 4 pm, and all letters have to be submitted no later than that.

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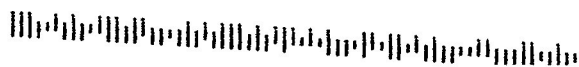
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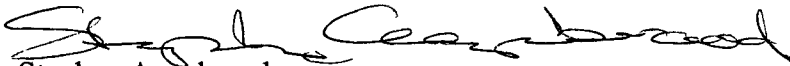
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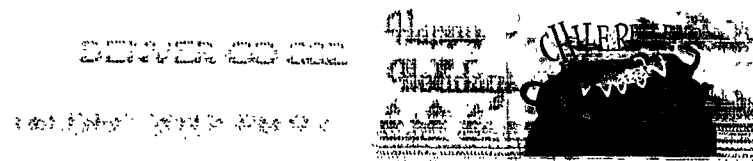
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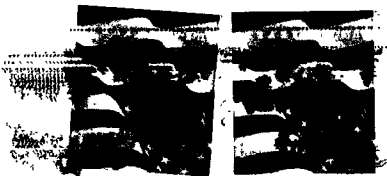
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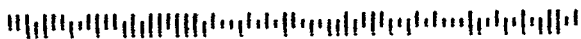
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Ms. Eschberger,

1. As a property owner and resident in the area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

2. I built our house in Red Rock Valley Estates in accordance with our architect's design 26 years ago. I chose the location based upon the peacefulness, beauty and tranquility of the area. Furthermore, our current County development plan for State Hwy 115 corridor protects home owners from unwarranted business encroachment upon the natural beauty, history and wild life. I am aware of two instances where this plan was used effectively; i.e., an existing rock quarry south of our house was denied permission to expand the size of it's operation. And another mining company attempted to purchase land to the west and close to our house for the purpose of developing a mineral mining operation which was also disapproved.

3. Now we are faced with an appeal from Transit Mix to develop a 50 year quarry operation within one mile from our home! At a recent public meeting hosted by Transit Mix we were advised of the following:

a. There will be dynamiting of rock formations in the mornings with follow-on rock crushing. Consequences: Unhealthy dust in the air throughout our neighborhood. Excessive noise. Probable damage to water wells and house foundations. But the most serious concern is the availability of water. We are dependent on water wells for all of our water needs and City water cannot be piped into this area for geologic reasons. And there is a real possibility that some (or most) of our wells will be fractured resulting in reduced and/or contaminated water, or no water at all.

4. Other serious concerns.

a. Increased danger for drivers on State Hwy 115. We already too many gravel trucks on this single route to Colo Springs. Adding more gravel trucks will certainly make this dangerous road even more dangerous.

b. Reduced property values. If Transit Mix should happen to get approval to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch, our property values will plummet. I recently appealed my proposed County real estate tax increase for 2018 and won my case based primarily upon the Transit Mix threat. And if the Transit Mix (next page)

application is approved, the houses in my neighborhood would lose much of their current value. And without water they would in essence become worthless.

Sincerely,

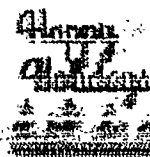
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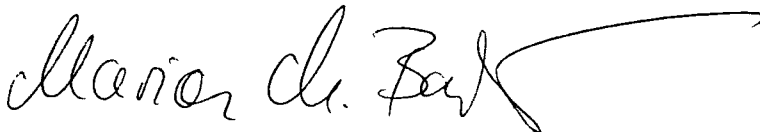
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Sincerely,



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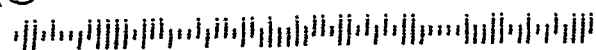
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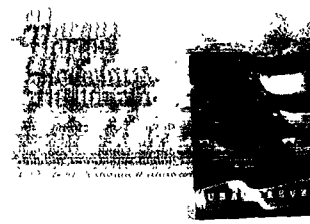
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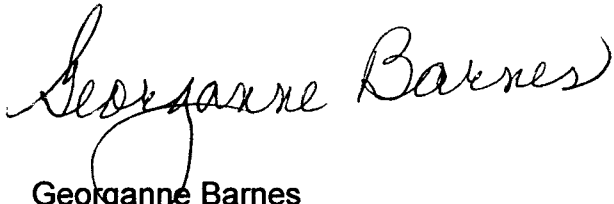
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Yours truly,

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Georganne Barnes
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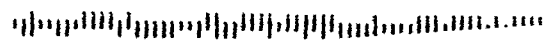
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Ms. Eschberger,

I pray that this letter does not fall on blind eyes and deaf ears.

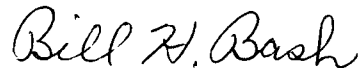
As a property owner in the Southwest Highway 115 area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch for the following reasons:

1. From 1992 until 2014, my wife and I had to haul water to our property because we could not get water via a well (drilled 6 dry holes) and no utility would provide us with water until Keeton Ranch Water source became available in mid-2011. After almost 3 years and \$40,000 we finally got water to make our life easier and to increase the value of our home and property. Now that water source is in jeopardy if Transit Mix Concrete Company is able establish a quarry. Blasting could very easily destroy the wells that provide water for both Keeton Ranch Water and Red Rock Valley Water. As we all know, Transit Mix Concrete Company would deny all responsibility should that happen. As home owners, we would not be able financially to go against Transit Mix Concrete Company (big money) and prove liability. Property values would go down drastically.
2. Traffic on Highway 115 is very bad and congested already. It is already one of the most hazardous highways in Colorado. There are already 3 quarries along Highway 115 between Penrose, CO and Colorado Springs, CO that creates a lot of truck traffic. A lot of the time when I go to Colorado Spring now; I see 4 construction trucks at one time hauling gravel. Just this week while setting at the light at Ft. Carson main gate, I saw 4 construction trucks going north and 2 construction trucks going south. The burden of another quarry will only add more trucks to this problem. Driving Highway 115 is hazardous to our windshields. Quite often I see gravel dripping from truck tailgates.
3. We enjoy the wild life that comes thru our property on a daily basis. That will probably stay the same for my wife and I as we live far enough from the proposed quarry. It is not fair for the property owners that live near the proposed quarry (along Little Turkey Creek Rd.) to loose wild life, easement rights, and to be subject to the noise and disruption of the daily quarry activities. Wild life habitat also needs to be protected.
4. I know that many residents in Colorado Springs would like to get rid of the visible scar along the Front Range. This I understand; however we do not want it in our back yards. We were here first.

I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs. It is unfair for the El Paso County residents along Highway 115 to travel to Denver to the hearings to object. Denver is so disconnected from Colorado Springs that the hearings will be bias.

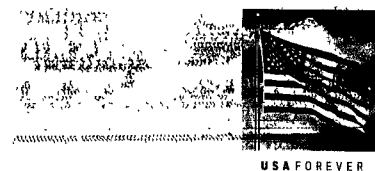
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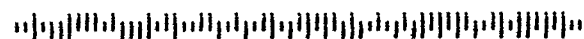
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Ms. Eschberger,

I am upset that Transit Mix is moving their application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch to Denver. It is generally accepted that 'big money always wins'. That will surely be the case if Denver people get to decide something as important as a quarry on highway 115.

I have lived on Old Canon City Rd since 1970. I hauled water for family and horses until April 2014. We finally got water from Keeton Water at a great deal of expense. TM application does not protect our water resources.

Highway 115 is one of the worst highways in Colorado for accidents and deaths. It is only two lane from Ft Carson south past the Hitch Rack entrance. We already have three other quarries on this highway. Please, no more trucks.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs. Who better to understand the effect this quarry could have on the lives of our neighbors?

Yours truly,



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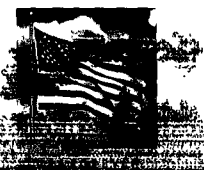


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Subject: Objection To Permit M2017-049

Ms. Eschberger

I am a property owner within the Eagle Nest development located to the west of the proposed quarry. I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Back Ranch.

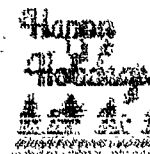
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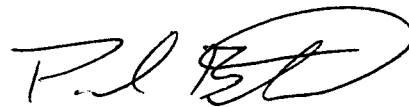
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Ms. Eschberger,

As a past Colorado Springs resident and Silverthorne property owner I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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Sincerely,



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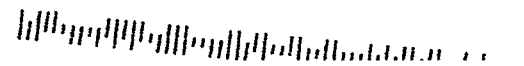
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Turkey Canon Ranch Homeowners Association (TCRHOA)

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Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 11:20 AM

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Cc: "bwright@fwflegal.com" <bwright@fwflegal.com>, "wnb533@aol.com" <wnb533@aol.com>

Dear Ms Eschberger,

It has come to our attention that our letter of October 10, 2017, responding to the Transit Mix Mining Application (Permit File M2017049), has been recorded by your office as a 'letter of comment'. Perhaps we misunderstood your processes, but we wish to state clearly our Association's absolute objection to the current Application.

Accordingly, we have attached a revised letter that needs to be recorded as a 'letter of objection'. Please let me know that you have received this email and if you need any further clarification on this matter.

Yours Sincerely,
C. M. Burnell
President TCRHOA



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Turkey Canon Ranch Homeowners Association
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Colorado Springs
CO 80926

December 12, 2017

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Dear Ms. Eschberger,

On the 25th September, 2017, a notice was posted on the Hitch Rack Ranch property by Transit Mix Concrete Company informing the public that an application for a Reclamation Permit has been filed with the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board (CMLRB). As per the notice, any public comments are to be submitted to the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety by October 31, 2017. The Division has now subsequently recorded the application as Permit File M2017049.

This letter constitutes the public comment response and objection from the Turkey Canon Ranch Homeowners Association (TCRHOA).

We are an association of thirty two members who own significant property acreage (approx 1800 acres) along the Front Range, some 2-3 miles to the South of the proposed mining site. We are hosts to an existing mining operation (Menzer Quarry) that utilizes our private roads and infrastructure. Our relationship with the Schmidt Construction Company, that runs the site, has always been amicable and mutually beneficial. We believe that this illustrates that we are in no way anti-mining.

The intent of this letter is to convey our objection to the overall Application and our concerns for issues that we believe will arise from a new mining operation in such close proximity to our properties and those of our neighbors.

As we now understand it, the purpose of the CMLRB is to support the interests of mining corporations to responsibly mine Colorado resources. By imposing safety rules, operating regulations and setting guidelines for reclamation, the CMLRB can endorse any mining application that meets its narrow requirements. Therefore, we acknowledge that our concerns over traffic noise/volume/safety, reduced property values, potential health issues and unsightly scarring are of no interest to you and that they should be left to our County officials to address.

However, we still have concerns that should be considered by the CMLRB.

Firstly, there still exists a legal right of way issue pertaining to the Eagles Nest properties above and to the North of the proposed mining site. The property owners affected are being forced to fight their case in the County courts at considerable expense. Until resolved, we are in total support of their rights to access their properties at any time they see fit to do so. The CLMRB should not proceed with any application approval until this matter is closed.

Secondly, the matter of water contamination and loss in the vicinity of the proposed site is of considerable concern to our neighbors in the Little Turkey Creek and Red Rock Valley areas. As fresh water is such an important aspect of our mountain living, with many of us are entirely dependent upon the fractured underground system, we are totally in support of our neighbors demands for absolute certainty that their water supply will not be affected. If there is any doubt, the CMLRB should not approve this application.

Thirdly, the environmental impacts of the proposed mining operation will be severe. The surrounding area is one of the few remaining Front Range access corridors for wildlife moving between the mountains and the plains. It also contains numerous vegetation types that cannot be easily replaced. It is not coincidence that the lands immediately adjacent to the Hitch Rick Ranch property, upon which the mining site will be situated, are controlled by the Bureau of Land Management, the Nature Conservancy and the Ingersoll Trust/El Pomar Foundation. These reputable organizations, along with the Audubon Society, are all apparently against this application. Even the County of El Paso has already recommended that the lands be designated as a conservation area. We find it unacceptable that a mining company, already with the reputation for failure to adequately reclaim their existing Front Range mines, could be granted the approval to destroy another environment.

Lastly, there are two points of interest that should also be noted. As residents of the State of Colorado, we object to the notion put forward that this application is about the rights of a Colorado company to pursue its normal business interests. Transit Mix is a subsidiary of an out of state entity, the Continental Materials Corporation of Chicago, Illinois. Transit Mix has also stated that there is no viable alternative to the proposed mining site. This is questionable. We are aware of other nearby mining sites, including our own Menzer Quarry, that can easily provide sufficient material, albeit at cost of extraction. Other options include rail delivery of material directly to the Transit Mix current city location. This is a viable alternative that is already practiced by their competitors. Multiple other business solutions are available but are apparently not being seriously considered.

Our association again stresses that we are not against mining and we do recognize the need for reasonable business growth. However, the circumstances of this application for mining are not conducive to this community area. Apart from the mining site, it is now highly likely that Transit Mix will attempt to follow any approval of this application with a request to rezone adjacent property to allow the move of their Batch Plant from North Nevada Avenue in Colorado Springs. This will result in even more environmental issues which will have to be addressed at the County level. The potential for disaster is too high to be ignored and will be irrecoverable, if realized.

We, the TCRHOA, strongly object to the revised Transit Mix Application (Permit File M2017049) and recommend that the CMLRB again deny it.

Sincerely,

C.M. Burnell, President



Turkey Canon Ranch Homeowners Association (TCRHOA)

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To: "Eschberger - DNR, Amy" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Ms. Eschberger,

Thanks for your prompt response. I did send our initial letter with you prior to seeing the incompleteness letter sent to the applicant. I noted from your website that it had been received but was unaware that it had not qualified for the 'objector status'. I understand the confusion!

Please file my personal **phone number 719-576-3706** as our contact information.

Happy Holidays!

Chris Burnell
President TCRHOA

Sent from my iPad

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December 6, 2017

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Sincerely,



Christine Cousineau

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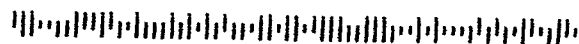
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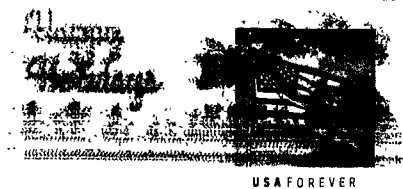
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Dear Ms. Eschberger:

As a new property owner/resident in the Red Rock Valley of the Southwest Highway 115 area, I strongly object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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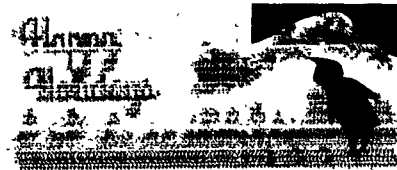
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Ms. Eschberger:

As a family member and visitor to Colorado I object to Transit Mix Concrete

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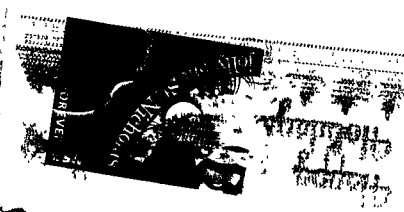
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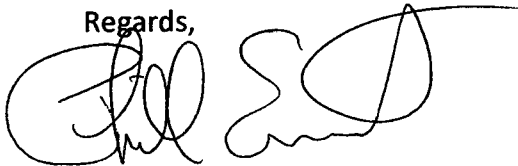
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This is the same company that is responsible for the scar on the mountain that we see from our home.

I this letter is to request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be held in Colorado Springs.

Regards,

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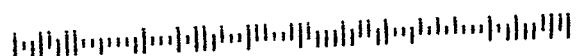
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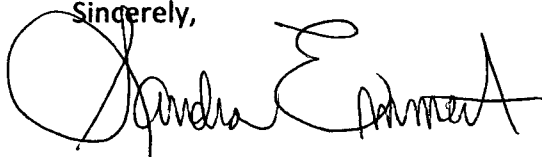
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Sincerely,

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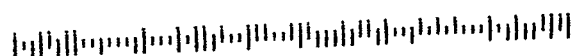
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Yours truly,



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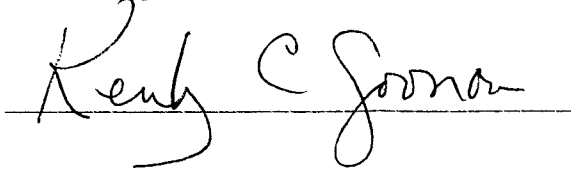
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Yours truly,

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Subject: Objection to Permit M2017-049

Ms. Eschberger,

As a friend of a property owner within the Eagles Nest development, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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I urge the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny the application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,



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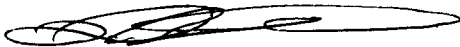
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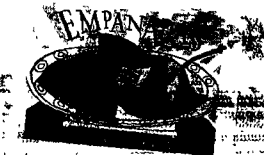


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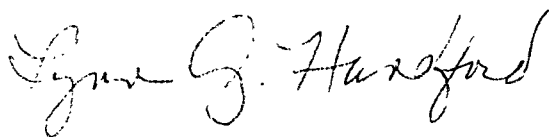
Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner/resident in the Southwest Highway 115 area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat, and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lynn G. Handford".

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RE: LETTER OF OBJECTION – Transit Mix 112c Reclamation Permit Application No. M2017-049

Ms. Eschberger,

I am disappointed to hear that your office is even considering Transit Mix's mining application, Permit No. M2017-049, to open a quarry on the historical Hitch Rack Ranch property. As someone who is an avid hiker and likes to spend a lot of my time outdoors the invasiveness of the quarry into parts of Hitch Ranch, Aiken Canyon Preserve, Beaver Creek Wilderness study area, and Ingersoll Ranch goes against one of the values that I believe to be core to the state of Colorado: conservation. One of the main attractors to tourists and employers looking to move their businesses to Colorado is the vast amount of parks and outdoor activities that can be found here. Erosion of publically used land erodes what makes this state a unique place to live.

There is no shortage of gravel now or in the foreseeable future in Colorado Springs. There are three functional quarries within 8 miles of the proposed Hitch Rack Ranch quarry with massive rock reserves (over a billion tons in fact) as well as the capability of expansion. The quarry proposition is feigning demand where there is none motivated by greed in an attempt to squeeze out the middle man at the expense of residents and the parks surrounding.

All of the residents along The Highway 115 corridor rely on wells for their water supplies. Evidence suggests that drilling or blasting near the wells could destroy the supply of water forever, leaving these residents without running water. The wells belong to a "fractured water system" that if compromised, could damage the "fractures" and permanently disrupt the flow of water to the wells that supply nearby residents.

And lastly, Highway 115 is already littered with gravel from quarries with carless truck drivers who are too lazy to cover their loads. My windshield has been cracked twice in one month due to all the gravel haphazardly being transported from these quarries. Not only that, the loose gravel is a hazard in and of itself as traction can be extremely bad along 115 running to the South end of Colorado Springs because of all the loose gravel littered along the roadway. The last thing that area needs is more gravel and trucks hauling gravel on the road, especially when there are already multiple functioning quarries in the area and no demand for more rock.

Sincerely,



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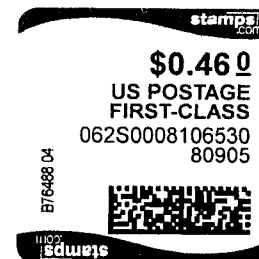
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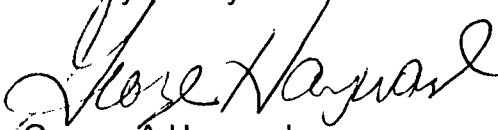
Ms. Eschberger,

Please add my name to the roll of El Paso County residents opposed to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

On its technical merits, the application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. That does not begin to address the overall quality of life issues and permanent changes to the character of the area that this quarry will forever change. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

Further, I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be held in Colorado Springs, to ensure all interested local stakeholders may attend and be heard.

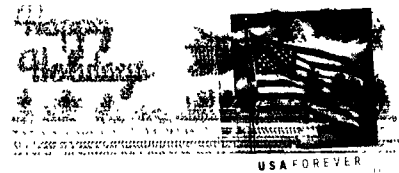
Thank you for your consideration.

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OBJECTION -- Permit No. M2017-049

Harry Raduege <hraduege@gmail.com>
To: Amy Eschberger <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 8:36 AM

Ms. Eschberger,

We have attached three letters of objection to subject permit. Thank you, in advance, for your support.

Harry & Julee Raduege

Jean Hux

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Ms. Eschberger,

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The application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,

// Signed //

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Ms. Eschberger,

As a resident of El Paso County since 1970, I have a great concern about the application M2017-049 from Transit Mix Concrete for a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch. Considering the people, animals, and lands that will be impacted, the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing should certainly be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Disturbance of water resources and wildlife habitat take years to recover in our semi-arid climate. Review the aftermath of our "Scar on the Mountain". It is essential that the strictest possible regulations be applied to this application so that those precious resources are fully protected for our future generations to enjoy. Better still, the application should be denied.

Sincerely,


Vicky M. Kipp

Vicky Kipp
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Ms. Eschberger,

I am a property owner within the Eagles Nest development located to the west of the proposed quarry. I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road.

I urge the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny the application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,



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Sara LaVerne

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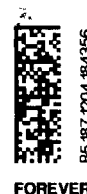
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Ms. Eschberger,

As a citizen of Colorado and driving Hwy. 115 to visit family, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Yours truly,

Signature: _____

Kim LeTourneau
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*I appreciate your time on this matter.
Respectfully submitted by*

Kim LeTourneau
Kim LeTourneau
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Dear Ms. Eschberger - the letter on the reverse was written by a family member, with the expectation I would simply sign it and send it on its way. However, I am not able to do that on this issue. While it is true that I drive Hwy 115 to visit family I am not against the proposed quarry on Hitch Back Ranch.

I have personal connections to the mining industry, and am familiar with the need for the recovery of resources from the earth. With that being said, I want to express my concern that Transit Mix Concrete Company meet all of the highest standards as they pursue the opportunity to recover these resources from the property noted above. While I am not strongly opposed to this quarry, my expectation is that they must be a good neighbor and act responsibly to protect the areas other natural resources, including water (both quality and quantity), wildlife habitat, and they have appropriate working, as well as reclamation plans to ensure these will be protected in perpetuity. ^{if they are not able to meet these standards, then they haven't earned the privilege of working this piece of land.}

I would also like to ask that the pre-hearing conference and MLRB hearing be held in Colorado Springs where those ~~people~~ who would be impacted by the quarry on a daily basis, be able to attend and voice their thoughts. remove

Kim LeTourneau
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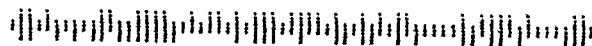
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Ms. Eschberger,

As a family member of a property owner in the Eagles Nest subdivision I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.


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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Respectfully,


Signature

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Signature



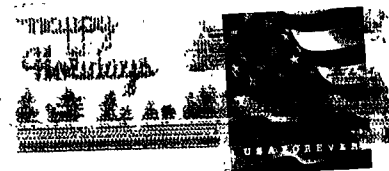
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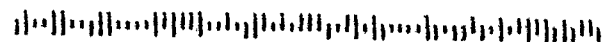


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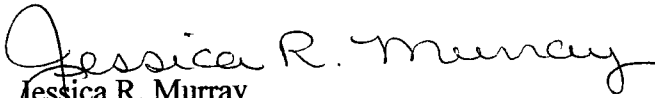
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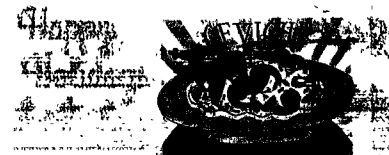
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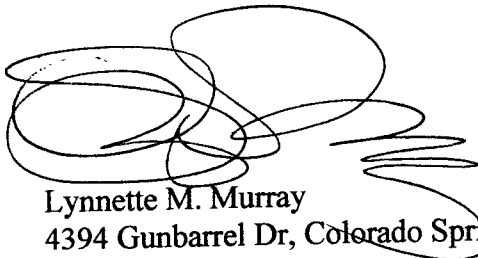
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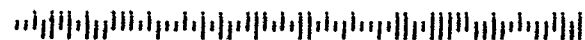
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Eschberger - DNR, Amy <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Transit Mix in Colorado

1 message

Sue Narad <snarad@phillong.com>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 11:12 AM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Warmly,
Sue Narad
Phil Long Dealerships
Assistant to Mike Cimino
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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sue Narad", with a large, stylized loop at the end.

Sue Narad
2420 Heatherdale Dr.
719-550-1441
snarad@phillong.com

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Ms. Amy Eschberger
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Subject: Objection to Permit M2017-049

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I am a property owner within the Eagles Nest development located to the west of the proposed quarry. I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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I urge the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny the application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,



Printed Name: Cindy Newby

Address: 2919 Virginia Ave, C/S, CO 80907

Phone number: 719-330-0978

Email: Cindy-m-newby@yahoo.com

Cindy Newby
2919 Virginia Ave
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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,



Printed Name: Keith Newby

Address: 2919 Virginia Ave

Phone number: 719 330-0937

Email: Cindy-M-Newby@yahoo.com

Keith Newby
2919 Virginia Ave
Colorado Springs, CO 80907

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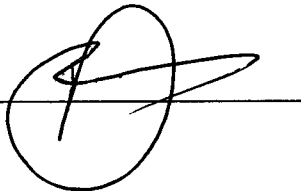
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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Yours truly,

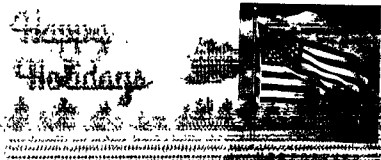
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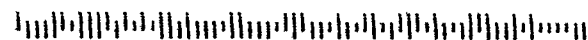
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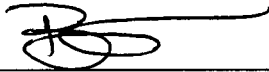
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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Yours truly,

Signature: _____



Beth Ortiz
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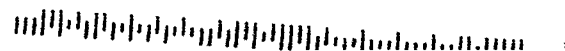
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Dear Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner and resident of The Pinons of Turkey Canon Ranch in the SW HWY 115 area, I strongly object to ANOTHER quarry along this corridor and specifically to Transit Mix Concrete Company's application M22017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road, our friends and neighbors.

I strongly urge the MLRB to deny the TM application AGAIN.

I request that both the Pre-Hearing Conference and the MLRB Hearing be held in Colorado Springs so the area residents can attend.

Sincerely,



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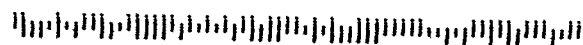
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Letter of OBJECTION to CDRMS/ TM Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry

1 message

Gene P <gjpancp@q.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 9:57 AM

Ms Eschberger

Please find attached my letter of objection to the proposed quarry at Hitch Rack Ranch as it is currently structured.

Thanks

Gene Pfeffer



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12 December, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, CO 80203

Ms. Eschberger,

I am a citizen of El Paso County, Colorado. I am of the belief that land owners should be allowed to use their property as they see fit as long as the use comports with the law and their use doesn't infringe on the property rights of others. I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch as it fails those tests on several counts. The application as written does not protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board to deny TM's current application. Further, I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and Board Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs so that affect citizens have access to the proceedings.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gene J. Pfeffer".

Gene J. Pfeffer
15271 Ridgfield Lane
Colorado Springs, CO 80921

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Ms. Eschberger,

As a concerned citizen, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM'S) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement right of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Yours truly,



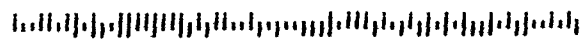
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OBJECTION -- Permit No. M2017-049

Harry Raduege <hraduege@gmail.com>
To: Amy Eschberger <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 8:36 AM

Ms. Eschberger,

We have attached three letters of objection to subject permit. Thank you, in advance, for your support.

Harry & Julee Raduege

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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,

// Signed //

Harry D. Raduege, Jr.
2154 Stratton Forest Heights
Colorado Springs, CO 80906
(719) 635-4696
hraduege@gmail.com



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Your truly,

// Signed //

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December 07, 2017

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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,

Signature

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "George Ridgdon". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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Ms. Marilyn Rigdon
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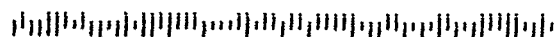
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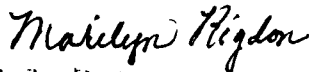
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Sincerely

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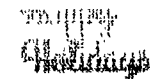
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OBJECTION letter to stop the mine

1 message

Leslie Brett <les_head@hotmail.com>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 1:26 PM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

November 29, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
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Denver, CO 80203

Ms. Eschberger,

As a family member of a property owner in the Eagles Nest subdivision I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Respectfully,

Signature

Your Name
Address
Phone number
Email

Sincerely,

Leslie Roberts

12029 S Nelda Court

Draper, UT 84020

208-419-1809

Les_head@hotmail.com

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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,



Carrie Rottenborn
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Colorado Springs CO 80919
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C. Kottenborn
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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Sincerely,



James Rottenborn
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Hitch Rack Ranch quarry

JILL & DAVID <schlanser3@comcast.net>
To: amy eschberger <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 3:47 PM

Ms. Amy Eschberger
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
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Denver, CO 80203

Ms. Eschberger:

As a citizen of Pueblo County, Colorado, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application fails to protect water resources, wildlife habitat and the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,

David Schlanser
5315 Blue Spruce Dr.
Pueblo, CO 81005
719*242*1417
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Hitch Rack Ranch quarry

JILL & DAVID <schlanser3@comcast.net>
To: amy eschberger <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 3:46 PM

Ms. Amy Eschberger
Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
[1313 Sherman Street, Room 215](#)
[Denver, CO 80203](#)

Ms. Eschberger:

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I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,

Jill Schlanser
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[Pueblo, CO 81005](#)
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Objection Letter Regarding Transit Mix Application M2017-049

1 message

Joseph Screnci <jscrenci@outlook.com>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 10:19 AM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Greetings Ms. Eschberger,

Please take my attached letter into consideration when dealing with the Transit Mix application.

Vr,

Joe Screnci

15575 Henry Ride Hts

Colorado Springs CO 80926

[719.321.5123](tel:719.321.5123) (C)

jscrenci@outlook.com



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Ms. Amy Eschberger
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Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner and resident in the Southwest Highway 115 area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application jeopardizes the water resources, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat, and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

Further, Highway 115 has not had the best safety record. Some of it is single lane in each direction, and current truck traffic contributes to safety issues, broken windows and the like. Adding to this traffic hazard is not responsible.

I also request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,



Joseph S. Screnci Jr.
15575 Henry Ride Hts
Colorado Springs CO 80926
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jscrenci@outlook.com

December 4, 2017

Ms. Amy Eschberger
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Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner since 1997 in the beautiful and nature-filled Southwest Colorado Highway 115 area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat, and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

The new application does nothing to address the issues raised when we first objected to the Transit Mix's 2016 application. Smaller does not mean less invasive nor destructive.

I request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs.

Your truly,



C Dennis Shaw and Marilyn White
Owners of 16316 Cala Rojo Dr, Colorado Springs, CO 80926
Temporarily residing at 2080 E Gyrfalcon Lane, Sandy, Utah 84092 for work
Dennis' cell 801-889-7013
Marilyn's cell 719-633-6463



LTC Marilyn Martin White
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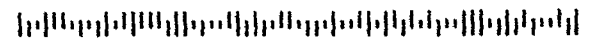
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Mr. Arney Eckberger
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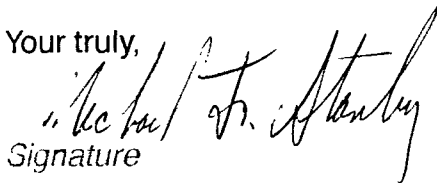
Ms. Eschberger,

As a resident of 2723 Lane Deer Point in the area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

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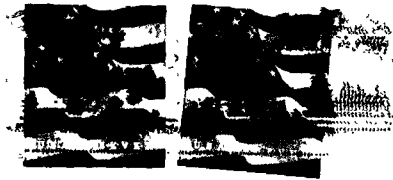

Signature

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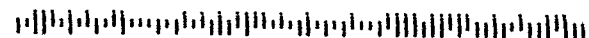
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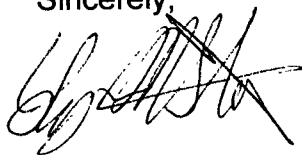
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Your truly,

Signature *Karen Turley*

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Transit Mix Quarry Objection Permit #M2017-049

1 message

Jill Welch <jilzbugz@msn.com>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 8:16 AM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Dear Ms. Eschberger,

As a property owner in the Southwest Highway 115 area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's application M2017-048 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

The application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, fails to protect critical wildlife habitat, and violates the easement rights of several property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board to deny Transit Mix's application. In addition to the above issues, Highway 115 is already a very dangerous road and the addition of numerous semi trucks daily will only make it deadlier.

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Sincerely,

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RICHARD WELCH <richwel@msn.com>

Tue, Dec 12, 2017 at 9:05 AM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Dear Ms. Eschberger,

THIS IS NOT A FORM LETTER. As we've learned from multiple expert testimonies, approval of the above referenced mining permit would be injurious to the health, welfare and lifestyle of all those living in and around the proposed mining area. Of additional concern is the negative affect the proposed mine/quarry would have on easement rights of a number property owners, may have on the fragile water supply system, and would have on wildlife habitat and all the creatures large and small that reside there.

A mining permit should not be approved without due consideration of the extraction and transportation process. If mining safety is a part of the consideration process then I submit that transportation of material is an inexorable part of the decision. State Highway 115 is already a dangerous road as any regular or occasional traveler can testify. An El Paso County deputy sheriff once referred to the road as a "ribbon of death". Since moving to Red Rock Valley 6 years ago, there have been at least four fatalities between mile marker 38 and 34 on Highway 115, adding at least some credibility to the somewhat dramatic definition previously mentioned. At the initial property owners meeting, we heard the description of the operation from the Transit Mix CEO in which he forecast up to 600 ADDITIONAL trucks daily. Add these numbers to an already crowded trucking highway and we see a recipe for disaster.

For all the reasons set forth above, I am voicing my most strenuous objection to Transit Mix Quarry Permit #M2017-049. In addition, I would request that both the Pre-hearing Conference and MLRB Hearing be conducted in Colorado Springs. To allow it to be in Denver is simply a legal tactic to "dilute" the opposition.

Thank you for your consideration of this letter.

Sincerely,

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Date: December 7, 2018

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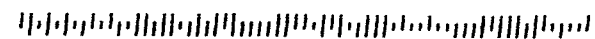
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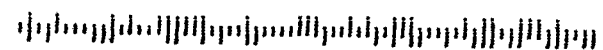
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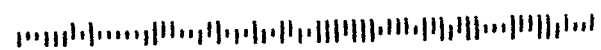
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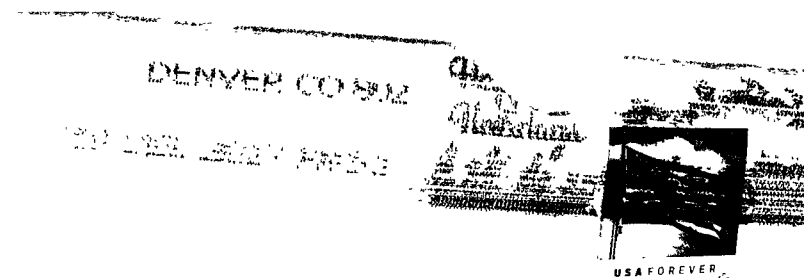


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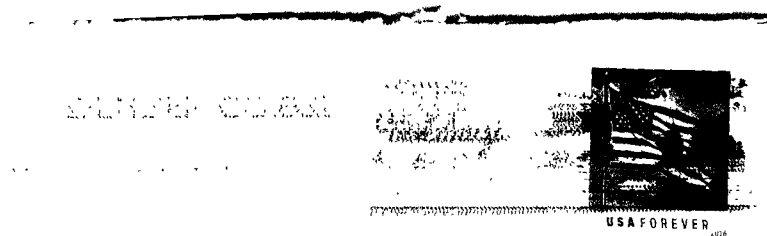
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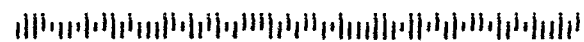
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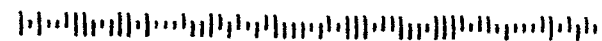
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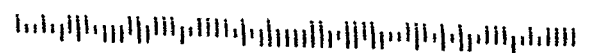
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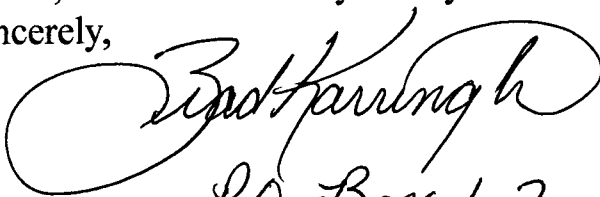
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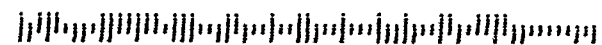
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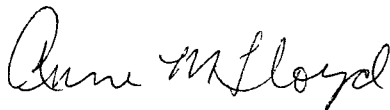
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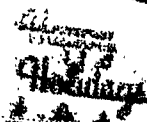
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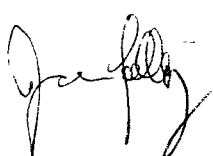
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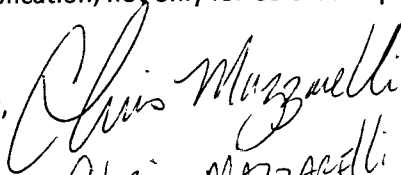
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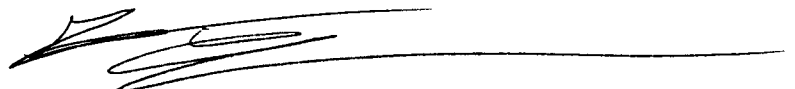
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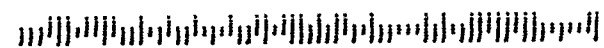


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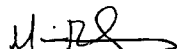
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Loader Operator 719 (565-0307

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Sincerely,

Jason Wagers

Dec 2, 2017
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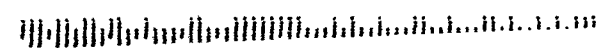
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Ms. Eschberger

I am sending this note in support of Transit Mix Concrete Co and their application to obtain a permit for the Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry. I am a 23+ yr resident of El Paso County, CO, and a 5+ year employee of Continental Materials Corporation, the parent company of Transit Mix Concrete.

Since moving to the Colorado Springs area 23 yrs ago, I've seen enormous growth and change to the community. Transit Mix has been a major part of that growth by supplying sand, rock and concrete for nearly every major project and neighborhood development. They always have and do so responsibly, safely, competitively and legally.

As much as people don't like or want change, it is inevitable. The citizens of our community want new businesses, amenities, attractions, opportunities and housing. To have those things, you must have aggregate for the concrete in foundations, floors, sidewalks, curbs, gutters and roads. The average citizen has no idea of the enormous need for aggregate material in our community or the limited locations to obtain it.

It is now time for another change. It is time to open a new modern quarry while closing 2 others. The new quarry at the Hitch Rack Ranch will be nearly invisible from public view except for a handful of people, while the Pikeview Quarry is seen by thousands daily until reclamation is completed. Opening the new quarry will remove heavy truck traffic from crowded city roads and put that traffic on a state highway designed to safely conduct such commerce. The new quarry will provide aggregate material closer to the market where it will be used while still keeping jobs in El Paso County.

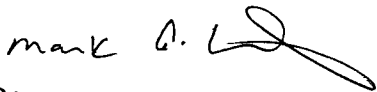
The new quarry location was not only designated as a mineral resource area over 100 yrs ago, it's section 16 location will provide approx. \$30M to schools over the life of the quarry. A quarry on this private property also will provide the means for the landowner to keep their property in the family for multiple generations.

For these reasons and many others, I urge the Mined Land Reclamation Board to approve the application submitted by Transit Mix.

Regards.

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Ms. Eschberger,

1. As a property owner and resident in the area, I object to Transit Mix Concrete Company's (TM's) application M2017-049 to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch.

2. I built our house in Red Rock Valley Estates in accordance with our architect's design 26 years ago. I chose the location based upon the peacefulness, beauty and tranquility of the area. Furthermore, our current County development plan for State Hwy 115 corridor protects home owners from unwarranted business encroachment upon the natural beauty, history and wild life. I am aware of two instances where this plan was used effectively; i.e., an existing rock quarry south of our house was denied permission to expand the size of it's operation. And another mining company attempted to purchase land to the west and close to our house for the purpose of developing a mineral mining operation which was also disapproved.

3. Now we are faced with an appeal from Transit Mix to develop a 50 year quarry operation within one mile from our home! At a recent public meeting hosted by Transit Mix we were advised of the following:

a. There will be dynamiting of rock formations in the mornings with follow-on rock crushing. Consequences: Unhealthy dust in the air throughout our neighborhood. Excessive noise. Probable damage to water wells and house foundations. But the most serious concern is the availability of water. We are dependent on water wells for all of our water needs and City water cannot be piped into this area for geologic reasons. And there is a real possibility that some (or most) of our wells will be fractured resulting in reduced and/or contaminated water, or no water at all.

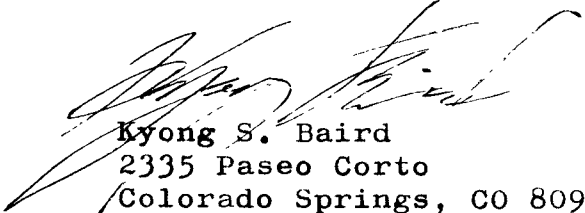
4. Other serious concerns.

a. Increased danger for drivers on State Hwy 115. We already too many gravel trucks on this single route to Colo Springs. Adding more gravel trucks will certainly make this dangerous road even more dangerous.

b. Reduced property values. If Transit Mix should happen to get approval to establish a quarry on Hitch Rack Ranch, our property values will plummet. I recently appealed my proposed County real estate tax increase for 2018 and won my case based primarily upon the Transit Mix threat. And if the Transit Mix (next page)

application is approved, the houses in my neighborhood would lose much of their current value. And without water they would in essence become worthless.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Kyong S. Baird', is written over the typed name and address.

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2335 Paseo Corto
Colorado Springs, CO 80926
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Objection to Permit M2017-049

Dave Lick <davelick@yahoo.com>

Wed, Dec 13, 2017 at 9:55 PM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Ms. Eschberger,

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Sincerely,

Name: Carol Lick

Address: 1940 Spirerock Path, Colorado Springs, CO 80919

Phone number: 719-262-9947

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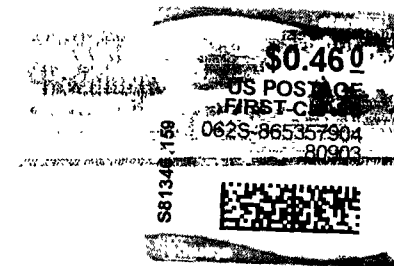
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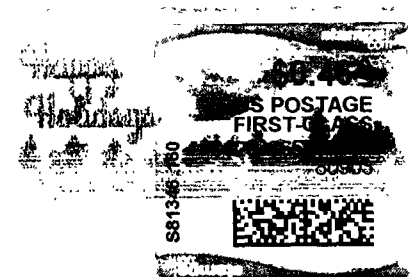
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To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Wed, Dec 13, 2017 at 4:36 PM

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Thank you for your time,

Amber Dawn Niskern

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Jeff <jeff@bmunchen.com>
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Yours truly,

Jeffrey Niskern

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Mark Norman <mnorman@berwickelectric.com>

Wed, Dec 13, 2017 at 10:16 AM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Amy,

Please find attached my objection letter to the Transit Mix Quarry Permit number M2017-049.

Respectfully,

Mark Norman

Hwy 115 Landowner



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Ms. Amy Eschberger
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Your truly,



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Nancy Absland
Signature

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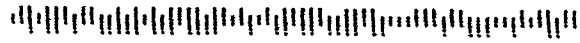
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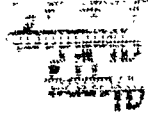
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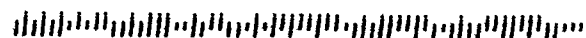
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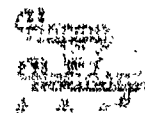
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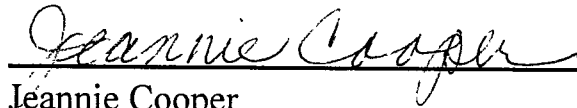
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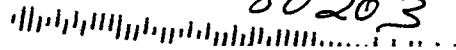
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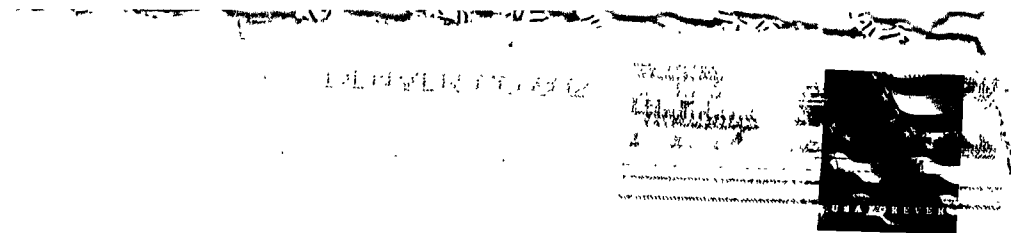
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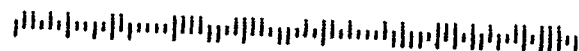
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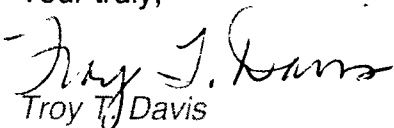
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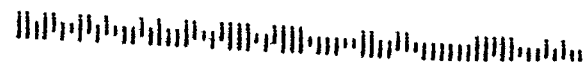
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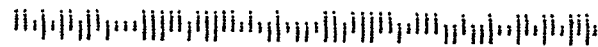
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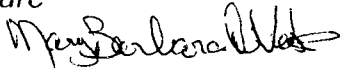
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Frances Durham
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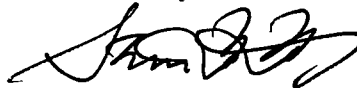
I am writing to strongly object to the Transit Mix proposed quarry, application number M2017-049, on Highway 115 at Hitch Rack Ranch, south of Colorado Springs. I am a homeowner who lives in the area affected by this proposed quarry.

The Transit Mix application jeopardizes the water resources of local residents, critical wildlife habitat, and violates easement rights of property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road. It proposes to merge into Highway 115 at a location known to those of us who live in the area as one the most dangerous sections of highway in the state. I have personally been parked on the highway for hours on several occasions awaiting the County Coroner's assessment of fatal accidents at that exact location.

My understanding is that Transit Mix is encouraging employees to write you letters of support. My suspicion is that none of them live in the affected area, which will see increased traffic density, increased personal auto damage from gravel, reduced property values and noise. All the while, three other existing quarries are still in use along the same highway, within a few miles of this proposed location.

I most strongly request the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny Transit Mix's application.

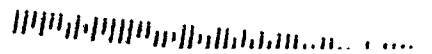
Sincerely,



Steven F. Firks

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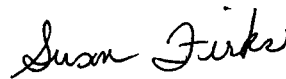
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I believe Transit Mix will say anything to get their objective, and they cannot be trusted to fairly assess the damage they will impose on our water, wildlife, traffic...and at the end of the day, our quality of life.

Highway 115 is a dangerous road and adding increased traffic of heavy vehicles will most clearly lead to accidents and possible loss of life. Transit Mix could care less about those of us who live here as long as they can make money off of the environment and our natural resources. Other quarries are available along the same highway, within a few miles of this proposed location.

I most strongly oppose, and request the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) deny Transit Mix's application.

Regards,



Susan Firks

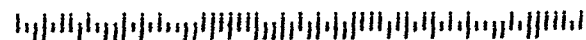
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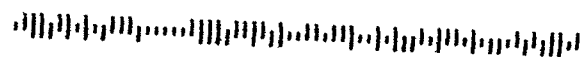
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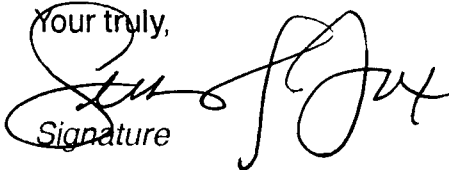
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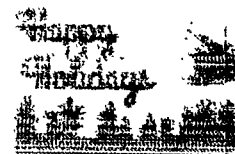
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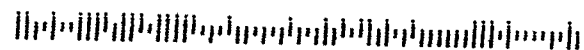
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Thu, Dec 14, 2017 at 11:01 AM

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Sincerely,

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Regards,

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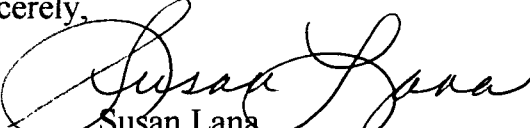
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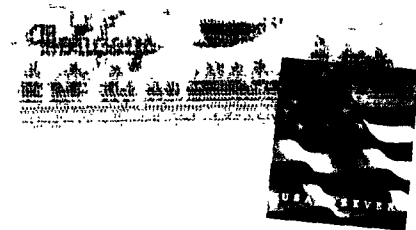
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COS, CO 80926

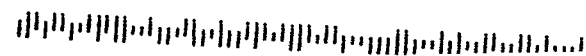
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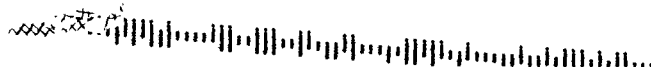
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Regarding Permit # M2017-049

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Dustin Larsen <dlarsen1@farmersagent.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Thu, Dec 14, 2017 at 9:12 AM

December 15, 2017

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Ms. Eschberger,

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Respectfully,

Signature: Dustin Larsen

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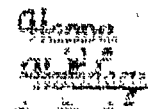
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Your truly,

Kathy Lutton
Signature

Your Name
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Your truly, *Jean Miller*

Signature *JEAN A MILLER*

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To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Thu, Dec 14, 2017 at 11:01 AM

Amy,

Attached are objection letters from my family and myself to the proposed Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry. I cannot express my objection to this strong enough but as a resident of Red Rock Valley, we all hope you understand and support us. Feel free to contact me if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

Jody Hakala
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Regards,

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Your truly,

Barbara Robinson
Signature

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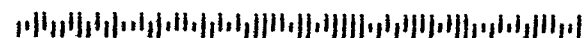
Your truly,


Signature

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Ms. Eschberger,

I do not represent nor am I a spokes-person for any organization or committee. I am a property owner and resident in the Southwest Highway 115 area, and this is a personal plea to stop the Transit Mix Concrete Company (TM) from mining on the proposed Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry.

Are we looking at another Flint, Michigan, out here south of Colorado Springs with the proposed Hitch Rack Ranch Quarry? Maybe yes; maybe no? Can we afford to take ANY risk with an aquifer already over-taxed by three other quarry-mining operations? No!

Are our lands, air, and life-sustaining water (aquifer or otherwise) for human and animal use or a commodity for the highest bidder to mine, pollute, exploit, or use as he, she, or they see fit? Dear God, no!

I am pleading for our aquifer, water, air, land, wildlife, lungs, peace of mind, vegetation, quality of life: please Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) do not approve the application for Hitch Rack Ranch M2017-049 for Transit Mix Concrete Company.

Do the Right Thing for God's Creation. Do the Right Thing for our children, for their children, for the future, for us All. Do the RIGHT THING: Deny this permit.

Sincerely With Hope,



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Colorado Springs, Colorado 80926
Home: 719-576-2273



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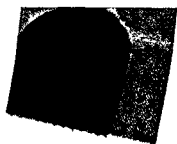
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Sincerely,



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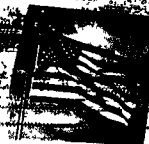


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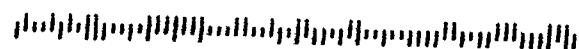
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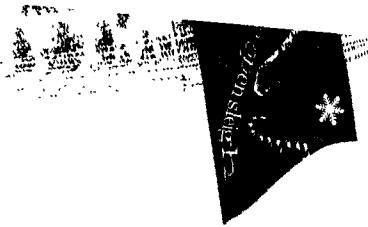
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Fwd: FW: Transit Mix App for El Paso County

Mojar - DNR, Camille <camille.mojar@state.co.us>
To: Amy Eschberger - DNR <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Thu, Dec 14, 2017 at 8:56 AM

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From: **Gary Bradley** <garybradley@qwestoffice.net>
Date: Wed, Dec 13, 2017 at 10:21 AM
Subject: FW: Transit Mix App for El Paso County
To: DMG_web@state.co.us

Good Morning. Please find attached my letter in support of Transit Mix's application for a new aggregate quarry in El Paso County. Hard Copy has been sent.

Gary L. Bradley

3760 Camels View

Colorado Springs, CO 80904

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Camille Mojar
Executive Assistant/MLRB Secretary
Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety
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December 13, 2017

State of Colorado
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Via email: DMG_web@state.co.us

Re: Transit Mix Concrete Application for aggregate quarry
Southwestern El Paso County, Colorado.

To Whom It May Concern:


I am writing on behalf of the Colorado Mountain Reclamation Foundation (CMRF) as past president and director in support of Transit Mix/Castle Concrete's application for a new aggregate quarry in El Paso County. CMRF was a public/private partnership created in 1994 from a City/County Advisory Committee study to implement enhanced reclamation and community vision for the Snyder, Queens Canyon and Pikeview quarries in El Paso County. The partnership between Transit Mix and a board of concerned citizens developed and implemented the successful reclamation of the Queens Canyon quarry scar and oversaw reclamation on Snyder and Pikeview.

CMRF was a community-wide organization funded and endorsed by the State, County, City and the public to reclaim the mining scars beyond state required base reclamation on Transit Mix/Castle Concrete properties. Transit Mix/Castle Concrete was a partner and major supporter providing financing, equipment, labor and in-kind contributions to underwrite the CMRF's work on the quarries. The Queen Canyon quarry reclamation is now complete and the site was turned over to the US Forest Service in 2004. The most noteworthy aspect of the Transmit Mix and CMRF's joint efforts was the eventual transformation of the community's attitude toward the quarries. Transit Mix/Castle Concrete transitioned from being the "bad guy" to being recognized as a partner in restoring our community's scenic mountain backdrop.

I have not studied in detail Transit Mix's Application for a new quarry in El Paso County; However, I can vouch on behalf of CMRF for Transit Mix's attentiveness to neighbor's issues, safe environmental business practices and their interest in the well being of the Colorado Springs Community at large.

I have been publicly involved in Front Range protection since serving on Governor Romer's Colorado Commission on Mountain Scars in 1989.

Thank you for your consideration.....


Gary F. Bradley
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As a member of the Transit Mix family, I write this letter in support of Transit Mix's application to open a quarry on the privately owned Hitch Rack Ranch in southwestern El Paso County.

Transit Mix has long been an integral part of the El Paso County community and economy. Since 1945 we have proudly provided much of the concrete that built the Air Force Academy, Fort Carson, NORAD, and other iconic structures, as well as countless businesses and private homes. We have been operating locally under the same ownership for more than 60 years. We take pride in being a part of the Colorado Springs and El Paso County communities, and continue to support local causes through monetary or personal time donations.

Transit Mix needs a new quarry in El Paso County. As the years of operation at Pikeview Quarry have increased, so has the number of homes in its vicinity. By looking for a new quarry location, we are making a business decision for the overall good of the community to make our city even more beautiful. The reclamation process cannot be completed when there is no other rock source available to us.

In Hitch Rack Ranch we have found the most ideal location for this endeavor. It is more secluded than any other viable site within economical range of Colorado Springs, with only 13 residences within one mile of its permit boundary. In comparison, there are 1500 residences within one mile of the Pikeview Quarry. In addition, unlike Pikeview, the quarry would only be minimally visible from any public road. The quarry would be a very small portion of a very large piece of private property, disturbing only 239 acres of the 1,432 acres total.

I understand that the quarry has been designed to minimize impacts to water resources and wildlife. The existing water resources in the Little Turkey Creek drainage are controlled by the creek, and these creek flows will continue during and after mining. By staying south of Little Turkey Creek, wildlife corridors are maintained throughout the operation of the quarry, and the reclamation plan has been specifically designed to create wildlife habitat.

A permit for Hitch Rack Ranch would not only secure the future of Transit Mix as a business, but also help secure my future and the futures of the over 200 employees that are part of our team. Many of us have been members of the Colorado Springs, Pueblo and other surrounding communities for many years. Transit Mix Concrete Company's stability has afforded me with both the ability of taking care of my family's basic needs, and also with the small luxuries in life.

For these reasons among others, I urge the Mined Land Reclamation Board to please approve Transit Mix's application, not only for Colorado Springs, not only for Transit Mix as a whole, but for me and my family.

Sincerely,

Shane Callan
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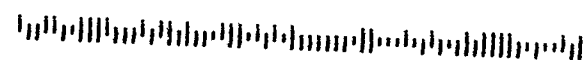
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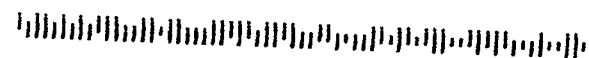
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HRR Quarry Application

1 message

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Fri, Dec 15, 2017 at 1:25 PM

To: "amy.eschberger@state.co.us" <amy.eschberger@state.co.us>

Dear Amy Eschberger, CDMRS - Hello

This letter/email is sent to Object To the new application, Application # M2017-049, for the HRR Quarry for the reasons that it's a very real threat to the water resources/watershed of the area, to the wildlife habitat of the same area, and infringes on the easement rights of numerous property owners along Little Turkey Creek Road.

I live just north of the area that will be affected, off of Keeton Ranch Road, and as a licensed water operator with two State of Colorado Water Operator Certificates, I not only have the concerns listed above, with emphasis on the damage to the watershed that will definitely occur, but also realize the increased truck traffic along Hwy 115 would be ridiculous to deal with – it's already a nightmare as it is – especially as most of the proposed route is a mere two lanes.

Please add my voice of objection to the numerous ones already speaking out, and know that while they may not write to you, there are many more who feel the same as we –

Thank You for Your Time And Level Headed Consideration –

Sincerely, and Signed: A Scott Bandalos

Andrew Scott Bandalos

10475 S State Hwy 115

Colorado Springs, CO 80926

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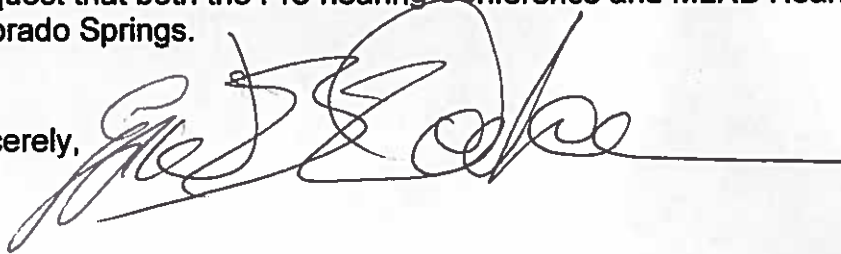
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Sign: Naomi Ens

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Lynna Koehn <lkoehn83@gmail.com>
To: amy.eschberger@state.co.us

Fri, Dec 15, 2017 at 10:36 AM

Objection letter attached, thank you!

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Carol Leed <leedcarol@gmail.com>
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Signed:

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