

Three Objection Letters for M2017-049

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Attached are three letters stating the objection to M2017-049, and the reasons of objection; each from an owner/occupant of: 3085 Little Turkey Creek Rd. Colorado Springs, CO 80926

Letters from: Victoria Spengler-Wekamp Douglas Lee Wekamp Ty C. Braley

Thank you for collecting and delivering these letters.

3 attachments

- Hwy 115 owner_resident letter-vw.docx
- Hwy 115 owner_resident letter DW.docx 18K
- Hwy 115 owner_resident letterTB.docx 18K

Nov 28, 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. I urge the Mine Land Reclamation Board (MLRB) to deny TM's application.

This neighborhood is one of mostly retired citizens, who have safed over a lifetime to be able to live in the beautiful and peaceful area. The dust and traffic and distruction of the very view we moved her for, are damaging to our health and well-being.

I suffer from COPD, as do many of the retired residents in this area, I could not live with the dust, however, I can not afford to move. Every cent we had went into our retirement home and with the threat of a quarry, our ability to sell our home and purchase another one in the foothills close to town in a similar neighborhood is highly impacted, if not impossible.

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

Your truly,

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