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Fwd: Permit #2018016

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I have grave concerns about the proposed strip mine operation in Clear Creek County. I am a Georgetown homeowner and am adamantly opposed to the development of a gravel pit on the last remaining plateau located outside of Empire. This operation would irrevocably damage vital wildlife habitat. It would contaminate the water table and destroy nearby wetland.

It would create clouds of unhealthy dust and other contaminants, endangering the health of residents and the kids at the Easter Seals Rocky Mountain Village.

Clear Creek County has offered to purchase this piece of property for open space development, a far more responsible land use.

Please put the good of Clear Creek Residents and a healthy environment at the forefront and not the special interests of a few people who would make money at the very high cost to everyone else! We see enough of this, and it's time to step in and do the right thing, please. Thank you.

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