

**COLORADO** Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

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

September 7, 2018

Jodi Schreiber All-Rite Paving & Redi-Mix, Inc. 30783 East Hwy 50 La Junta, CO 81050

## Re: Hancock Gravel Pit, Permit No. M-1981-279 Approval of 30-Day Extension to Corrective Action Deadline

Ms. Schreiber:

On September 7, 2018, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your request to extend the Corrective Action deadline for the following problem identified at the Hancock Gravel Pit in the inspection report sent to the operator on August 7, 2018:

## 1) **PROBLEM:**

The operation has disturbed more than the approved maximum allowed disturbed area at any time. The current mining plan needs to be updated and clarified pursuant to C.R.S. 34-32.5-112 (1)(c)(VI) and (VII), and Rule 6.4.4. The operator must provide sufficient information to describe or identify how the operator intends to conduct the operation, specifically the size of the area to be worked at any one time.

## **CORRECTIVE ACTIONS:**

The operator shall submit a Technical Revision, with the required \$216 revision fee, to update and clarify the current approved mining plan to reflect existing and proposed activities by the corrective action date. Specifically, the revision must increase the maximum allowed disturbed area at any time from the current approved 20 acres to at least the existing 34.3 acres disturbed.

The Division has approved a 30-day extension of the Corrective Action deadlines from September 6, 2018 to **October 6, 2018**.

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

Sincerely, Amy Exchberger

Amy Eschberger Environmental Protection Specialist

