

December 19, 2018

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**COLORADO**  
Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety  
Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215  
Denver, CO 80203

***RE: Surface Rock Pit, File No. M-1984-001 , Technical Revision (TR-2) Adequacy Review***

Dear Mr. Doody:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) is in the process of reviewing the above referenced Technical Revision in order to ensure that it adequately satisfies the requirements of the Colorado Land Reclamation Act (Act) and the associated Mineral Rules and Regulations for the Extraction of Construction Materials (Rules). During review of the material submitted, the Division determined that the following issue(s) of concern need to be adequately addressed before the Technical Revision can be considered for approval. Please provide the following:

1. The permit boundary delineated on the submitted map is estimated to be approximately 13-14 acres. Your current permit boundary is 18 acres.
  - a. The Division notes that the 1994 annual report map delineates an area of approximately 18 acres however at the time prior to the approval of AR-1 the Division records have the permit boundary set at 28 acres. Referenced map is enclosed
  - b. Throughout the permit file several phases and site A & B areas have been referenced. Please clarify how the phases are labeled for future reference. Note that AM-2 specified that the quarry area will have a maximum of 6.5 acres of disturbance and the stockpile area would be limited to 3.5 acres.
2. All maps must meet the requirements of Rule 6.2.1
3. The Division needs two separate maps, one for mining plan and one map for final reclamation plan, Rules 6.4.3 and 6.4.6 respectively.

Since Kilgore is the new operator to this site you are encouraged to review the approved mining and reclamation plans and make changes as you see fit. Note that changes to the mining and reclamation plan maps might also require changes to have narrative portions of the permit as well.

Please submit your response(s) to the above listed issue(s) **by Monday, January 07, 2019** in order to allow the Division sufficient time for review. If you cannot address the above issues by January 07, 2019 please request an extension to the decision due date to ensure adequate time for the Division to review materials. A decision due date of January 09, 2019 has been set.

The Division will continue to review your Technical Revision and will contact you if additional information is needed.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. Amy Yeldell at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman St., Room 215,



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Sincerely,



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