



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

August 12, 2019

Jodi Schreiber  
Fremont Paving & Redi-Mix, Inc.  
PO Box 841  
839 Mackenzie Ave  
Canon City, CO 81215

RE: State Pit; DRMS File No. M-1990-112; Notice of Citizen Complaint

Dear Ms. Schreiber,

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received a complaint against the above referenced operation on August 3, 2019. A copy of the complaint letter has been enclosed for your records. The Division is currently reviewing the permit and will contact you if it is determined that an inspection is warranted.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me at Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8114**, or by email at [patrick.lennberg@state.co.us](mailto:patrick.lennberg@state.co.us).

Sincerely,

Patrick Lennberg  
Environmental Protection Specialist

Enclosure (1)

CC: Michael Cunningham, DRMS  
EC: Jodi Schreiber, Fremont Paving & Redi-Mix, Inc., [jodi@arycorp.com](mailto:jodi@arycorp.com)





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**State pit**

2 messages

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**Wendi Kern** <wkern63@gmail.com>  
To: Dmrs <patrick.lennberg@state.co.us>

Sat, Aug 3, 2019 at 3:28 PM

Dear patrick,  
These were all taken last week.  
When it dries up were ate facing a very dangerous fire year.  
Also a terrible tumble weed year. They are so bad in this area some years that they block roads and can even cover houses.

Fremont has not been using water at the crusher which along with every bad weed year. Could raise the fire danger even more.

Could you also tell me where in the permit I can find an APEN or Storm water permit.  
Neither of these can be found on the county permit, and I can not seem to locate them on the DRMS permit either.

They seem to be missing on the  
"State Pit" and Evan's at #2 pit. These are both run by Fremont Paving.  
In the Avondale Area.  
One on 36th lane  
One on hwy 96.  
Also I could not find a current SWSP for Evans #2.

I did find on the DRMS site that the Evans pit had a name change last year.  
From: East Evans #2  
To: Evens at #2

It appears that Mr. Evens is operating part of the pit and Fremont Paving is operating part of the pit??  
As far as I know Mr. Evens is not a gravel operator.  
If Mr. Evens did not go thur the permit process has is he operating part of a pit.  
I have checked with pueblo county and none of this has been approved at the county level.  
As well as the plans to create large recreational lakes at this site.  
Could you please explain what is taking place at this location.  
I was told by pueblo planning the the FAA would have to sign off on large lakes that close to the airport because if migratory birds (water fowl )

Thank you for you help in this matter.

Sincerely,  
Wendi Kern

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**2 attachments**

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**Lennberg - DNR, Patrick** <patrick.lennberg@state.co.us>  
To: Wendi Kern <wkern63@gmail.com>

Mon, Aug 5, 2019 at 4:36 PM

Hi Wendi,

I am out on vacation and will return to the office on August 12.

I do know that the Evans Pit recently submitted an updated SWSP plan that carries through until 2020. Additionally, the SEO approved the leak test of the Evans Pit lined pond.

I can research your other questions when I return to the office on Monday.

Than you,  
Patrick

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**Environmental Protection Specialist**



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