

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

November 14, 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 November 10, 2019. A copy of the complaint letter has been enclosed for your records. The Division requests that the Operator submit an updated acreage accounting by revising the annual report questions #8 through #13. The accounting can be submitted to the Division on company letterhead.

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 <u>patrick.lennberg@state.co.us.</u>

Sincerely,

Patrick Lennberg Environmental Protection Specialist

Enclosure: Citizen Complaint – Annual Report Acreage Accounting

cc: Jared Ebert, DRMS

ec: Jodi Schreiber, Fremont Paving & Redi-Mix, Inc., jodi@arycorp.com



Lennberg - DNR, Patrick <patrick.lennberg@state.co.us>

M1990-112 state pit pueblo county

Wendi Kern <wkern63@gmail.com> To: Dmrs <patrick.lennberg@state.co.us> Sun, Nov 10, 2019 at 10:19 AM

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RE: Actual land left to mine at the state pit location.

Dear Patrick,

I spent some time this morning going thur the file for the state pit (m1990-112) I review all of the available annual reports for the pit going back the original years it does appear that a few are missing.

It also appears that the reports were changed over the years a little confusing.

This is what I came up with and would like your confirmation of my numbers.

The total permitted land was - 1046 acres

The total permitted mining area was - 755 acres

The last reported affected land in the 2019 annual report from Fremont Paving was - 420 acres

By my calculations of reclaimed land over all the years of annual reports is - 302 acres

By my calculations, the state pit as of now should have a remaining, 33 acres left to mine.

Could you confirm these calculation, I started to question the numbers because every year they seamed to be reporting very similar numbers.

Is there a method to do a physical on site calculation. Between the changing annual reporting documents and the succession of operators over the years, it appears that the numbers seem to be misleading or off.

If need be I am asking or requesting at this time. That a current and accurate accounting of the total number of acres used, total numbers of acres reclaimed and the total number of acres that remain for mining be calculated.

Thank you for your time in this matter,

I await to hear from you.

Wendi Kern

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