

August 19, 2020

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Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety
Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
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RE: Stone Gravel Pit, Permit No. M-1997-089, Surety Release Request (SL-01), Approval

Dear Mr. Stone:

On July 28, 2020 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received a request for release of further reclamation responsibility for the above referenced site. Division staff inspected the site on August 14, 2020 and determined that the Operator has successfully complied with the requirements of the Act, Rules and Regulations, and the approved Reclamation Plan, and that the site is ready to be released from any further reclamation responsibility. The Division approved the full surety release, SL-01, for permit no. M-1997-089.

On July 9, 2020 the Division received correspondence from the Bureau of Land Management concurring that reclamation was complete and adequate.

According to Rule 1.4.11(1)(b), the Division must wait 30 days from the date of this letter, before releasing the financial warranty, in order to address any comments or objections to this decision. If you have not received the financial and performance warranties by September 28, 2020, please contact Jeffrey Thompson at (303) 866-3567, ext. 8138 or jeffreyc.thompson@state.co.us.

If you require additional information, or have questions or concerns, please contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office.

Sincerely,

Dustin Czapla

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