

Application of Peak Ranch Resource

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RE: Application by Peak Ranch Resource (File No. M2020041)

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to seek Party status to testify about the above-mentioned application by Peak Materials to establish a gravel mining operation at the site designated as Peak Ranch Resource.

I am specifically aggrieved by this proposed project for the following reasons: My family owns over 1,000 ft of Highway 9 frontage which will be directly impacted by the estimated 230 semi loads daily to and from the mine. We live at this property and have small children whose schedule will be disrupted significantly by the noise of the semi trucks and their use of air brakes in front of our property. Our right of peaceful enjoyment of our property will be significantly diminished due to the excess traffic created by the mine on a public road.

The Blue River Valley is a pristine location with abundant wildlife, and is also a migratory path for many herds of elk, deer and also moose. This mine will directly impact the wildlife in this location and disrupt migration patterns.

The cleanliness of the Blue River and its status as a gold medal fishery will be directly impacted by the run of this mine will no doubt create.

I wish to be heard at the public hearing of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board when the Board takes up this application. Please add me to your email distribution list notifying interested parties of the date, time, location and format for this meeting.

Sincerely,
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