



September 21, 2020

High Plains Bank
PO Box 220
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**RE: RWT Excavating and Demolition, LLC
Thomas Gravel Pit #4, Permit M1981-286
Notice of Enforcement Hearing for Forfeiture of Financial Warranty**

Dear Financial Warrantor:

On June 24, 2020, the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board (Board) determined the financial warranty held for the Thomas Gravel Pit #4, Permit M1981-186 is subject to forfeiture in accordance with C.R.S. 34-32.5-118(1)(b) (see enclosed Board Order, dated September 2, 2020). Pursuant to C.R.S. 34-32.5-118(1)(2), the Board is required to notify the operator and all financial warrantors that a financial warranty is subject to forfeiture. The pertinent information for the financial warranty is:

Financial Warrantor: High Plains Bank
Bond Type: Letter of Credit
Bond No.: 01-2010
Amount: \$25,000.00
Date Received: December 9, 2010
Expiration Date: March 12, 2021

An Enforcement Hearing will be held during the October 21-22, 2020 Board meeting for consideration of forfeiture of the financial warranty for Permit M1981-286. Due to the impacts of the COVID-19 virus on the availability of State facilities and Division resources, notice is hereby given that the October 21-22, 2020 Board hearing will be held by a virtual ZOOM hearing. All exhibits and materials you wish for the Board to consider related to this notice of financial warranty forfeiture must be submitted via email to the Board administrator, Camie Mojar at Camille.Mojar@state.co.us no later than 5:00pm on October 9, 2020. Additionally, in order to receive an authorization code to attend the hearing please contact Camie Mojar via telephone at 303-866-3567 ext. 8136 or by email at the addresses above. Please note, only Parties and those who will be testifying may attend the meeting via ZOOM. All other interested persons may attend the hearing via the Board's YouTube Channel at: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCDrAO8bIPFIOWce-yH1fWA>.

This hearing format is in support of Governor Jared Polis's direction and the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment recommendations to limit meetings as part of the social distancing objectives set out by the State of Colorado to help control the spread of COVID-19.



The Board's agenda may not be finalized until the week of the Board meeting. Therefore, we recommend you contact the Board Secretary, Camille Mojar on the Monday prior to the Board meeting to confirm exactly which day this item will appear before the Board.

If you have questions about this letter or the hearing, you may contact me by telephone at (303) 229-9414, or by email at eric.scott@state.co.us

Sincerely,



Eric Scott
Environmental Protection Specialist

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Return Receipt Requested

Encl: Board Order for Permit M1981-286, Violation MV-2020-007, dated September 2, 2020.

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