



Peak Ranch Resource Allocation

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

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my dismay 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:

1. The air quality will be severely diminished, and my husband has asthma, plus we are both in our midsixties and enjoy having the ability to breath extremely clean air, one of the reasons we moved here from Denver in 1989.
2. Route 9 north of Denver is very dangerous already with much more traffic than when we moved here. In fact, my husband had a serious rollover accident on Route 9 north of Silverthorne in 1999, causing a traumatic brain injury, so the addition of 230 more trucks per day will only make this road much more dangerous than it already is. Slow trucks will continue to cause people to pass on double-yellow lines as occurs on a daily basis.
3. This is a peaceful agrarian valley with a lot of wildlife calling it home that will be disturbed only for the almighty dollar. And the noise pollution will be what displaces the wildlife forever, not to mention the disturbing of the Blue River. Even after 10 (or more) years, this valley will never be the same, so this project should be denied in its entirety in order to protect our peaceful way of life that we have known for decades.

Sincerely,

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