

STOP PEAK MATERIALS SILVERTHORNE, CO

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Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

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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:

As a resident of Summit Sky Ranch and a 15 year homeowner in Silverthorne, I recognize that this new Peak mine development is unneeded in Summit County. When I bought this home from Tom Everest's property, I asked Tom specifically, what will be happening to his Everest Material's company. He told me he is moving the operation and equipment to Grand Junction. Which pleased me to hear. Unfortunately, Tom sold his mining business to Peak Material who wants to expand. This will cause more traffic into Peak Material. Traffic that is unneeded. Peak material likes to work through the night. I can see the extra bright flood lights into my bedroom window when Peak works overnight hours. We do not need this to happen. I do not need to be woken up in the night by bright lights when they increase their operations. Also, this mining cannot be good for the water table and the Blue River. I can see the water color of their current mining operations. And my neighborhood wants to make the hole in the ground a swimming beach. I am not sure if that would be healthy for my family, the wildlife, the Blue River or our community. I do not care who owns it, just don't make our beautiful Lower Blue a mine pit. Unnecessary, unwanted and unsightly to our beautiful landscape and river. Bring back the GOLD MEDAL RIVER credibility.

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 and location for this meeting.

Sincerely,

Ryan Janaes

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Number of people in your household___2-4___