



**COLORADO**  
**Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety**  
Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman St. Room 215  
Denver, CO 80203

November 19, 2020

Rudolph Fontanari  
3316 E 3/4 Road  
Clifton, CO 81520

RE: Western Slope Flagstone Quarry No. 2 - File No. M-1996-076,  
Acreage Release Request Application (AR-1)

Dear Mr. Fontanari:

On November 19, 2020, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety received your 112c Construction Materials Reclamation Permit Acreage Release Request application for the Western Slope Flagstone Quarry No. 2, which is located in Mesa County. Preliminary review of the information received determined that the additional information must be received before the Division can consider your application complete and technical review can begin. Thus, your application is incomplete for the purposes of filing as of November 19, 2020.

Rule 4.17.1 (2) - No name(s), address(es) or phone number(s) of owners of record to the affected land were included with the request.

Rule 4.17.1 (3) - The request submitted to the Division was not separate from other types of communication.

You have sixty (60) days from November 19, 2020 to submit all necessary documents that the Division needs for the application to be considered filed. If, at the end of the sixty day period, the application has not been determined to be complete and filed, the Division will deny the application and terminate the application file.

The referenced acreage reduction form, legal description and plat maps were not included with the cover letter. Attached is the acreage reduction form. Prior to approving the request the Division will require both a map of the area which is requesting to be released. AND updated mining and reclamation plan maps that will accurately depict the new permit boundary if the release is approved.

This letter shall not be construed to mean that there are no other technical deficiencies in your application. The Division will review your application to determine whether it is adequate to meet the requirements of the Act after submittal of all required items.



If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Amy Yeldell". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Amy C. Yeldell  
Environmental Protection Specialist

cc:

Travis Marshall, DRMS

John R. Henderson, Attorney for Operator

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**REQUEST FOR FULL OR PARTIAL RELEASE OF PERMIT AREA/SURETY REDUCTION**

Please indicate if you are requesting:

FULL/FINAL RELEASE OF ENTIRE PERMITTED AREA (per Rule 4.17)

\_\_\_\_\_

ACREAGE REDUCTION (PARTIAL RELEASE per Rule 4.17)

\_\_\_\_\_

I wish to release \_\_\_\_\_ acres at this time.

You will need to submit with this request: a map showing the acreage to be released from the current permit and updated mining and reclamation plan maps that will accurately depict the new permit boundary if the release is approved.

SURETY (Bond) REDUCTION (per Rule 4.14)

\_\_\_\_\_

If you are requesting a surety (bond) reduction you will need to include with this request a new estimate of the actual cost to reclaim the site based on what it would cost an independent contractor to complete reclamation, including unit costs for reclamation activities as appropriate to the operation to comply with the provisions of Rule 3.1 and the Permit's approved Reclamation Plan.

File No.: M \_\_\_\_\_

Site Name: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Permittee: \_\_\_\_\_

Permittee Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(State)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip)



Operator (If Other than Permittee): \_\_\_\_\_

Permittee Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

Certified Mail # \_\_\_\_\_

In accordance with Rule 4.17.1(2) the Operator shall include the names, addresses and phone numbers of all owners of record to the affected land. Please attach additional sheets for this information if required.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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In accordance with Rule 4.17.1(4), if requesting a partial acreage release the Operator or their agent MUST sign that they have complied with the following statement: “All applicable portions of the Reclamation Plan requirements have been satisfied in accordance with these Rules and all applicable requirements under the Act.”

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Permittee, Operator or their authorized agent      Date

*Important: In accordance with Rules 4.14.2(a) and 4.17.1(3) This release request must be submitted to the Division via certified mail and separate from any other correspondence to the Division.*