

May 10, 2021

Leslie Jakoby La Plata County 1365 S Camino Del Rio Durango, CO 80130

Re: Crader Pit, Permit No. M-1981-114, Technical Revision, TR-4 Adequacy Review

Dear Ms. Jakoby,

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) is in the process of reviewing the above referenced Technical Revision to ensure that it adequately satisfies the requirements of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Act for the Extraction of Construction Materials and the associated Construction Materials Rules and Regulations. During the review of the materials submitted, the Division determined that he following issues of concern need to be addressed before a decision can be rendered on the revision. Please address the following;

- 1. The revision requests that the fenced storage yard, approximately 3 acres, to be surfaced with asphalt to ease maintenance and weed control. Please clarify if the asphalt yard, as well as the associated structures shown in the map of the storage yard are to be considered post reclamation features that will remain on site.
- 2. The revision also requests the construction of a 45 x 110 foot sand storage shed adjacent to the storage yard. Please indicate if the sand storage shed will be a permanent structure or if it will be reclaimed.

Please submit your responses to the above listed issues by Tuesday June 1, 2021 to allow sufficient time for the Division to review. If you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me at the Division's Grand Junction Field Office, by phone at 303-866-3567 Ext. 8187 or by email at lucas.west@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Lucas West

Environmental Protection Specialist Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety

Ec: Leslie Jakoby, La Plata County

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