

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

June 18, 2021

Mr. Jerald Schnabel Castle Concrete Aggregates 7250 Allegheny Drive Colorado Springs, CO 80203

Mr. Dan Tucker CWPDA 200 South Main Street Fowler, CO 81039

Re: Letter of Groundwater Monitoring Compliance, Pueblo East Groundwater Monitoring; Pueblo East, Permit No. M-1986-015

Dear Messrs. Schnabel and Tucker:

On March 26, 2021, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your responses to the Division's request to provide the missing groundwater monitoring data for 2019 and 2020. While it was noted that monitoring ceased in early 2019 and no monitoring occurred in 2020, this was due to personnel changes as a result of the splitting up of assets of the parent company. Mining had stopped before monitoring ceased and groundwater levels are returning to pre-mining levels. Upon review of the responses the Division has no additional comments on the report. Please note that groundwater level monitoring data are to be submitted yearly with the annual report, map and fee in accordance with the commitment made in TR-5.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me at Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8114**, or by email at <u>patrick.lennberg@state.co.us</u>.

Sincerely,

Patrick Lennberg Environmental Protection Specialist

cc: Jared Ebert, Division

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