

June 21, 2021

Jason McGraw General Shale Brick, Inc. 1845 W. Dartmouth Ave. Denver, CO 80110

Re: DDD, Permit No. M-1984-076, Approval of Corrective Action Date Extension

Mr. McGraw:

On June 21, 2021, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received your request to extend the corrective action date for the following problem identified in the Division's April 20, 2021 inspection report:

INSPECTION TOPIC: Financial Warranty

PROBLEM #2: The financial warranty is not adequate to reclaim the site in accordance with the approved reclamation plan. This is a failure to maintain the proper financial warranty amount to complete reclamation of the affected lands pursuant to C.R.S. 34-32.5-117(4)(b) and Rule 4.2.1(1). **CORRECTIVE ACTIONS:** The Division has re-evaluated the required financial warranty for reclaiming the site in accordance with the approved reclamation plan (see enclosed bond estimate). Any comments regarding the Division's bond estimate and/or evidence demonstrating reclamation work has been completed shall be submitted by the corrective action date. If, by the corrective action date, no comments or additional information has been received, a notice of surety increase will be mailed to the operator for the amount shown in the enclosed bond estimate. The operator will have 60 days from the date on the surety increase notice to post the additional financial warranty. **NEW CORRECTIVE ACTION DUE DATE**: July 2, 2021

The Division has approved your extension request, giving the new corrective action due date listed above. If you have any questions, you may contact me by telephone at 303-866-3567, ext. 8129, or by email at amy.eschberger@state.co.us.

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Amy Eschberger Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Harold Stickler, General Shale Brick, Inc. Michael Cunningham, DRMS

