

August 17, 2022

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## Re: Problem Citation Abated, Inspection May, 18, 2022, Barnhart Pit, Permit File No. M-1984-008

Mr. Ferrero:

On May 18, 2022, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) performed an inspection of the Barnhart Pit, Permit File No. M-1984-008. During the inspection the Division determined the Operator no longer had a current proof for the legal right-to-enter, and cited a problem. On August 17, 2022 the Division received a letter from CWPDA stating Continental Materials Corporation now has the legal right-to-enter until no later than August 2027. Therefore the Division has abated the problem cited in the inspection report.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8114**, or by email at <u>patrick.lennberg@state.co.us</u>.

Sincerely,

Patrick Lennberg Environmental Protection Specialist

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