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**Follow up from inspection in 2022 - Durham weeds**

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**Zuber - DNR, Rob** <rob.zuber@state.co.us>  
To: Garrett Varra <gvarra@raptormaterialsllc.com>

Mon, Jun 19, 2023 at 1:41 PM

Hi, Garrett -

I am checking my To Do list and noticed that the corrective action for weeds (Russian olive and tamarisk) for permit M1978-056 was due on Friday. Can you send me a letter with photos showing that your staff has removed these weeds from the site and discussing the tasks that were performed (for example, were the stumps treated and with what chemical)?

If you guys have not performed this work, please request an extension via email. You have a better idea than I do regarding the time frame, but you should try to get this work done by the beginning of August.

Thanks,  
Rob

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**Garrett Varra** <gvarra@raptormaterialsllc.com>  
To: "Zuber - DNR, Rob" <rob.zuber@state.co.us>

Mon, Jun 19, 2023 at 2:20 PM

Hi Rob,

With the rains just now receding we are on track to begin full blown treatment of this work item. I would like to request an extension to July 31, 2023.

I also owe you some additional information from your email last week. I will respond to that email directly.

Thanks,

Garrett Varra  
720-272-2857

On Jun 19, 2023, at 1:41 PM, Zuber - DNR, Rob <[rob.zuber@state.co.us](mailto:rob.zuber@state.co.us)> wrote:

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**Zuber - DNR, Rob** <rob.zuber@state.co.us>  
To: Garrett Varra <gvarra@raptormaterialsllc.com>

Mon, Jun 19, 2023 at 2:35 PM

Thanks, Garrett. I will extend the date to July 31, 2023.

As for the other information, that is great if you can respond, but I will be in the field most of the week anyway, so it can wait if necessary.

Rob

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**Zuber - DNR, Rob** <rob.zuber@state.co.us>  
To: Garrett Varra <gvarra@raptormaterialsllc.com>

Fri, Jul 28, 2023 at 6:05 AM

Good morning, Garrett.

The deadline for the corrective action for weeds at Durham is Monday. Can you get me documentation that you all have addressed this problem, or ask for another extension? If you can do that this morning, great. By tomorrow morning is ok.

I am on leave next week.

Thanks,  
Rob

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**Garrett Varra** <gvarra@raptormaterialsllc.com>  
To: "Zuber - DNR, Rob" <rob.zuber@state.co.us>

Fri, Jul 28, 2023 at 8:33 AM

Good morning, Rob.

Please extend the deadline an additional 3 weeks. The typical weeds are taken care of, but the tree species have been challenging.

Thank you,

Garrett Varra  
720-272-2857

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**Zuber - DNR, Rob** <rob.zuber@state.co.us>  
To: Garrett Varra <gvarra@raptormaterialsllc.com>

Fri, Jul 28, 2023 at 8:37 AM

Thanks, Garrett. I will set the new date to August 18, 2023.

Good luck with the work removing the trees.

Regards,  
Rob

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