

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

November 1, 2023

Raul Vasquez Blue Mountain Stone, Inc. 4168 Ute Hwy. Longmont, CO 80503

Re: Adequacy Review No. 4, Conversion Application (CN-1), Phillips Stone Company, Permit No. M-1981-075

Mr. Vasquez:

On November 1, 2023, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division/DRMS) received your responses to items in the Division's Adequacy No. 3 letter dated October 3, 2023. After review of your responses the Division has identified additional items that need to be addressed.

EXHIBIT C – Pre-Mining and Mining Plan Map(s) of Affected Lands (Rule 6.4.3):

1. Please confirm the following acreages are correct. If they are not correct please provide the correct acreage amounts.

Permit Area = 25.42 acres Affected Area = 25.42 acres Maximum disturbance at any one time = 12 acres

2. Please provide the coordinates of the six corners that define the proposed permit boundary.

EXHIBIT L – Reclamation Costs (Rule 6.4.12):

3. The Reclamation Cost Estimate provide by the Operator/Permittee of \$21,600.00 has been accepted by the Division. This represents an increase in the required Financial Warranty of \$4,420.00 from the currently held amount of \$17,180.00. While the Division will recommend approval of CN-1 the revision will not become final until the outstanding financial warranty amount has been accepted by the Division. Please acknowledge the increase in the required financial warranty for the site.



Other:

4. Pursuant to Rule 1.6.2(2), please demonstrate that the Applicant's response to this adequacy letter (Adequacy #4) and the responses to Adequacy #3 have been placed with the application materials previously placed with the County Clerk or Recorders Office, and made available for public review.

Please provide your responses as soon as you are able.

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

- cc: Jared Ebert; DRMS
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