



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

January 23, 2024

Curt Houchin
Charles W Houchin
P.O. Box 85
Green Mountain Falls, CO 80819

Re: Houchin Gravel Pit - File No. M-1980-249
Charles W Houchin
Surety Increase (SI-2)
Update Financial Warranty with Current Unit Costs

Dear Curt Houchin:

On January 23, 2024 the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety increased the current Financial Warranty for this permit to \$7,177.00, in accordance with Rule 4.2.1 of the Rules and Regulations. This is an increase of \$3,677.00.

Please see the December 14, 2022 inspection report for details regarding why this surety increase is required.

The Division ordered amendment of the current Financial Warranty, or submittal of a new Financial Warranty reflecting the increase, within 60 days from the date of this letter (January 23, 2024).

Please make arrangements with Sara M. Stevenson-Benn at the Division's Denver office for submittal of the financial warranty. Any other questions regarding completion, execution and/or submittal of financial warranty forms should also be directed to Sara M. Stevenson-Benn by telephone at (303) 866-3567 (8148), or by email at Sara.stevenson-benn@state.co.us.

The Permittee for this site may be scheduled for a Formal Board Hearing for possible revocation of the permit after March 23, 2024, if the amount of any increased Financial Warranty has not been provided.

Bond Held:	\$3,500.00
Prior Liability:	\$3,500.00
Change in Liability:	\$3,677.00
Revised Liability:	\$7,177.00
Prior Permit Acreage:	3.00
Change in Permit Acreage:	0.00



Revised Permit Acreage:	3.00
Prior Affected Acreage:	3.00
Change in Affected Acreage:	0.00
Revised Affected Acreage:	3.00

If you have any questions, please contact me by telephone at (303) 866-3567 x 8169, or by email at Tim.cazier@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tim Cazier".

Timothy A. Cazier, P.E.
Environmental Protection Specialist