

June 11, 2024

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RE: Bernhardt Sand and Gravel Pit, File No. M-2023-025,

112c Permit Application, Third Adequacy Review

Dear Mr. Zuber,

WW Clyde & Co. (WW Clyde) has received the Division's Second Adequacy Review letter dated June 6, 2024. Below are the comments and the corresponding responses that we have provided to address the comments.

Comments

6.4.7 Exhibit G – Water Information

17) To ensure that the Bernhardt Pit does not impact the hydrologic balance of the river, the application needs to include a water quality monitoring plan, specifically for the alluvium. The groundwater monitoring plan should be developed in accordance with Rule 3.1.7(7)(b) and should include a Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for the collection of groundwater samples. The plan should provide mitigation steps if there is an exceedance at a groundwater or surface water monitoring location. Potential impacts to quality and/or quantity of nearby domestic wells should also be addressed. A copy of the Division's enclosure to this letter for your reference.

Maps showing the groundwater drain (including but not limited to Exhibit F) need to clearly show that they will be constructed. The words "if required" must be removed from the maps. Response: Acknowledged. See Updated Exhibit F maps.

WW Clyde appreciates your consideration of this adequacy review response.

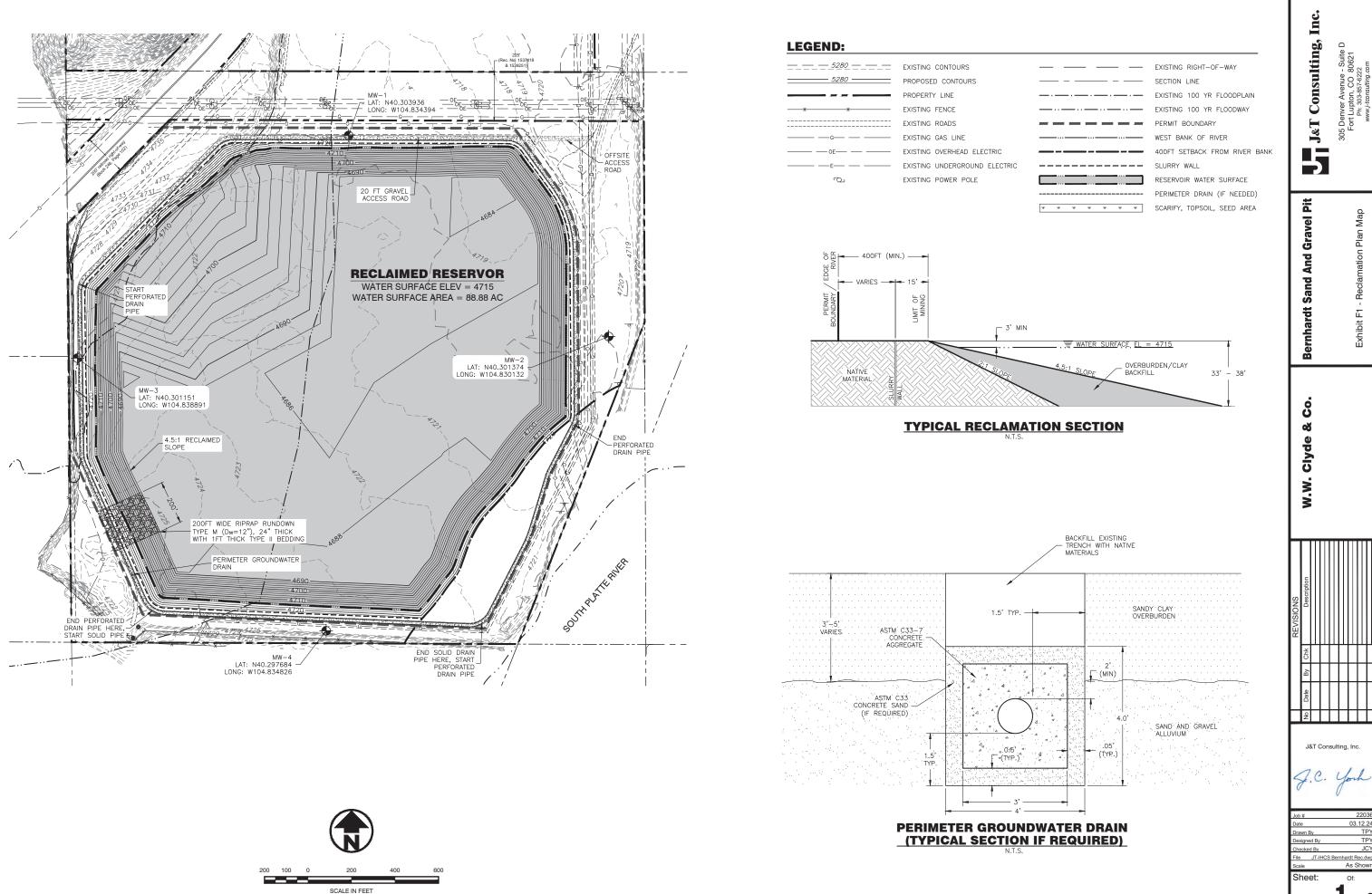
Please feel free to contact me with any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

J&T Consulting, Inc.

Attachments:

1. Updated Exhibit F-1 and F-2 Maps



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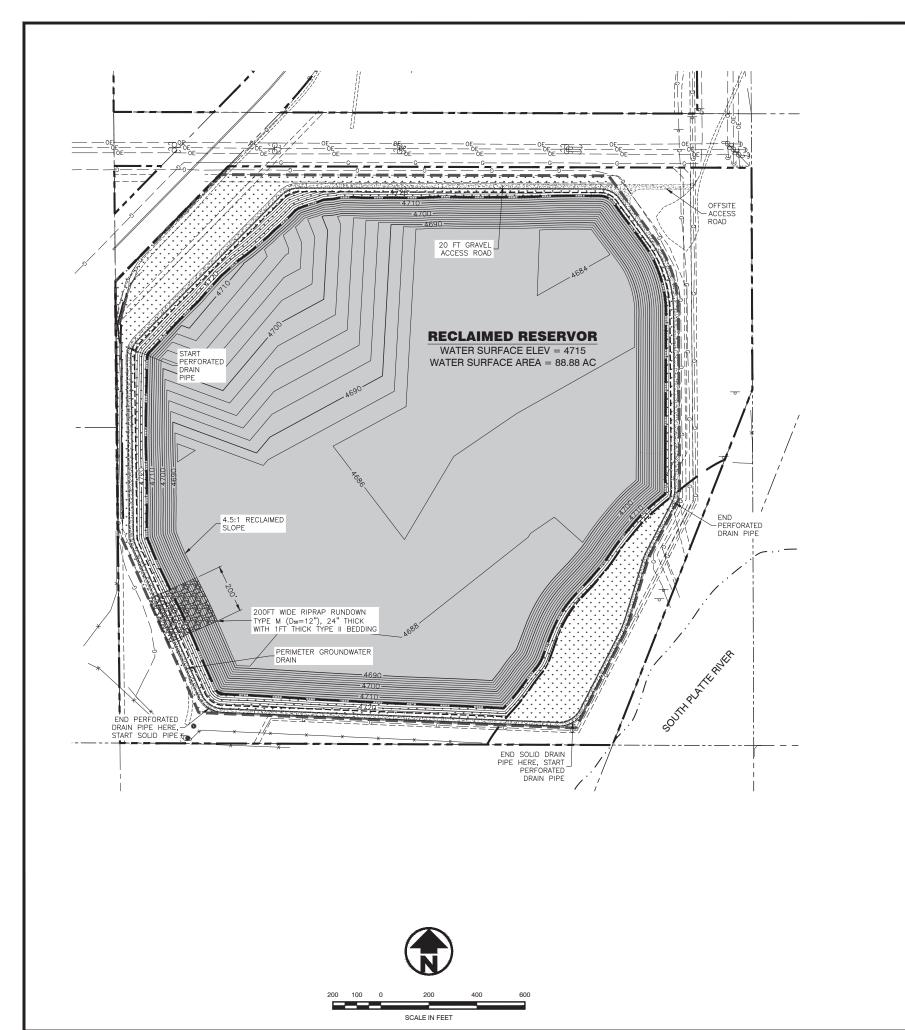
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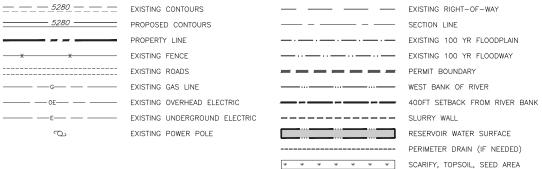
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NOTE:

ALL DISTURBED AREAS OUTSIDE OF THE WATER SURFACE WILL BE SEEDED AND MULCHED, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE ACCESS ROAD, WHICH WILL BE GRAVEL SURFACED.

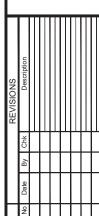
RECLAIMED AREA TABULATION:

WATER SURFACE = 92.35 AC GRAVEL ACCESS ROAD = 3.59 AC SCARIFY, TOPSOIL, SEED AREA = 15.07 AC TOTAL AREA = 111.01 AC

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