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RE: King Pit, M1987012- Inspection Problems Corrective Actions

1 message

Katie Todt <katie@lewicki.biz>

Fri, Feb 7, 2025 at 10:33 AM

To: "Girardi - DNR, Chris" <chris.girardi@state.co.us>

Cc: Jared Ebert - DNR <jared.ebert@state.co.us>, Paul Bottini <paul@southwayco.com>, Ben Miller <ben@lewicki.biz>

Good morning, Chris:

Please see the attached letter regarding the outstanding items at the King Pit - King Pit Corrective Action Request Response 2 250206.pdf. We'll send over the receipt of disposal once that action is completed.

Secondly, I intend to reply to your February 3, 2025 email regarding the King Pit surety increase next week. Thanks for your patience. Have a great weekend.

Cheers,

Katie Todt

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From: Girardi - DNR, Chris <chris.girardi@state.co.us>**Sent:** Tuesday, January 28, 2025 12:08 PM**To:** Paul Bottini <paul@southwayco.com>**Cc:** Katie Todt <katie@lewicki.biz>; Jared Ebert - DNR <jared.ebert@state.co.us>**Subject:** King Pit, M1987012- Inspection Problems Corrective Actions

Hello,

Attached to this email is the Division's response letter to the document submitted by Lewicki & Associates on behalf of the Operator on 1/24/2025 regarding the inspection problems noted in the September 2024 Inspection Report.

A hard copy will not be mailed unless requested. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Chris Girardi

Environmental Protection Specialist Intern



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February 6, 2025

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**RE: Notice of Outstanding Corrective Actions, King Pit, Permit No, M-1987-012, Division
Response dated January 28, 2025**

Mr. Girardi:

On behalf of the Southway Constriction Company, Inc. ("Southway") please allow the following information to serve as response to your January 28, 2025 dated Notice of Outstanding Correction Actions at the King Pit. This notice is associated with the Division's September 5, 2024 periodic inspection of the site.

Signs and Markers

The Division noted that the mine identification sign included a misprinted permit number. Southway has replaced the sign; please see the photo below as proof.



Figure 1. King Pit site sign. Photo captured February 4, 2025.

Acid and Toxic Materials

All three noted drums are disposed of in the site's roll-off dumpster – see associated photos. The clean-up area, that included drums shown in Photos 11 and 13 of the Division's September 2024 Inspection Report, was graded with mobile equipment and all contaminated soils were properly disposed. Once the site's roll-off dumpster is emptied – tentatively scheduled for February 2025 – a receipt will be submitted to the Division validating final appropriate disposal.

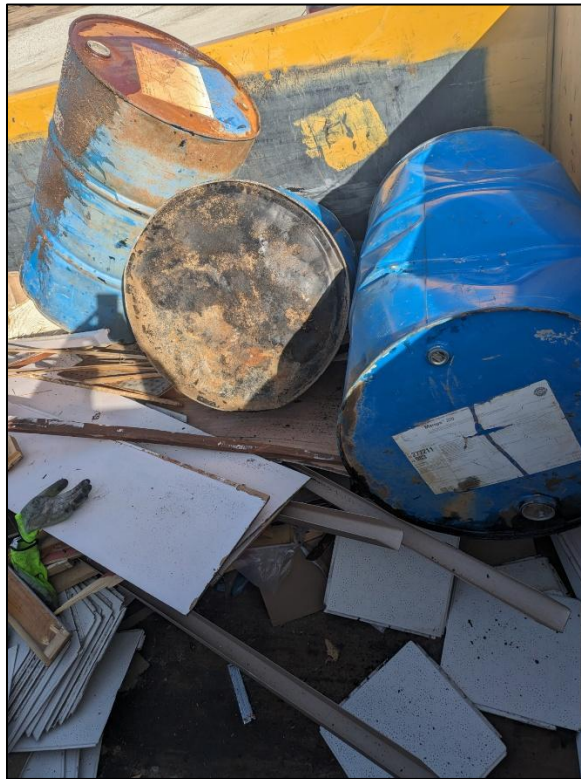


Figure 2. Drums disposed of and contained in the King Pit sitewide dumpster. Note: contaminated soils were added after photo capture. Photo captured February 4, 2025.

Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Katie Todt".

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EC: Paul Bottini, Southway Construction; Ben Miller, Lewicki and Associates