



July 3, 2025

Philip Courtney
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Rocky Mountain Materials and Asphalt, Inc.
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RE: Coyote Ridge Permit No. M-2000-052, Technical Revision (TR-2) Adequacy Review

Dear Mr. Courtney,

On June 27, 2025, the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (Division/DRMS) received the Technical Revision (TR-2) application requesting to establish intermittent status for the Coyote Ridge, Permit No. M-2000-052, in Fremont County. A review of the TR-2 application and the permit file was completed. There are some items that need to be addressed prior to the Division issuing a decision on the TR-2. Please see the following items and provide a cover letter addressing each item along with any other supplemental document(s) that may be required.

1. The TR-2 application indicates that the operation is active at least once a year. According to the permit file review, the operation is in a second five (5) year term of Temporary Cessation (TC-2), which began September 26, 2021. The most recent annual report, submitted on September 11, 2024, also indicates that the last date of activity was on December 1, 2023, and confirmation of the temporary cessation status was given. A written request to end the temporary cessation needs to be submitted to the Division. A decision cannot be made by the Division on the TR-2 application until the status of the permit changes to "active". Please note that when the Division receives the written request to end the temporary cessation, a Change Status (CS) revision will be initiated by the Division. The CS process will require a physical inspection of the permit area within sixty (60) days, and an updated reclamation cost estimate will need to be calculated. If an increase to the financial warranty is necessary, a Surety Increase (SI) will be issued, and the applicant will have sixty (60) days to post the additional bond amount. A decision will then be issued on the CS revision and there will be a thirty (30) day appeal period.
2. Given the process to bring the permit back to active status and move forward with the TR-2 application, it is highly recommended that an extension of the decision date is requested to allow for the CS and SI processes to be completed.

This concludes the adequacy review of the TR-2 application. **The decision date is July 27, 2025.**

Please contact me with any questions or concerns via email at Jocelyn.carter@state.co.us or phone at (720) 666-1065.



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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jocelyn Carter", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jocelyn Carter
Environmental Protection Specialist
Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety

Ec: Amy Eschberger, DRMS