



DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

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Response to Reclamation Permit Conversion Application Consideration

DATE: March 20, 2012
TO: Timothy A. Cazier, Environmental Protection Specialist
CC: Division 2 Office; District 12 Water Commissioner
FROM: Caleb Foy, E.I.T. *CRF*
RE: Mica White Pit, File No. M-1992-058
Operator: Colorado Quarries, Inc.
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Sec. 6, Twp. 48N, Rng. 11E, N.M.P.M., Fremont County

CONDITIONS FOR APPROVAL

- ☒ The proposed operation does not anticipate exposing groundwater. Therefore, exposure of ground water must not occur during or after mining operations. If stormwater is contained on-site, it must infiltrate into the ground or be released to the natural stream system within 72 hours, or all work must cease until a substitute water supply plan, or augmentation plan approved by water court, is obtained. Reclamation plans must ensure water will not be retained onsite for more than 72 hours unless an augmentation plan approved by water court is obtained.

COMMENTS: The 10th Prime Meridian referred to in the Notice is also known as the New Mexico Principle Meridian.

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