Consideration of a 112c Application with Objections

Rocky Mountain Aggregate and Construction, LLC

Uncompahgre Pit

M-2013-007

Staff Overview of the Application August 14, 2013

Application Type:	112c
File No.:	M-2013-007
Applicant:	Rocky Mountain Aggregate and Construction, LLC
Operation Name:	Uncompahgre Pit
Location:	SE ¼ of Section 27, T 47 N, R 9 W, NMPM, Montrose County
Permit Area:	253.25 acres
Method of Mining:	conventional excavation
On-Site Processing:	crushing, screening, washing, and production of asphalt and concrete
Reclamation:	phased mine plan in 20-acre increments with contemporaneous reclamation
Post-Mining Land Use:	rangeland, wildlife habitat and industrial/commercial
Proposed Bond:	\$99,409.04
Objections:	33 timely letters of objection, received from 25 parties
Letters of Support:	one
Agency Comments:	State Historic Preservation Officer and Colorado Parks and Wildlife timely,
	Division of Water Resources (August 1, 2013)















Imagery Date:June 19, 2012View Elevation:9,000 feet above ground surface



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> View north, taken nearby the southern property boundary on the mesa top, showing portions of the proposed excavation and processing area. Material extraction will result in a reduction of the elevation of the mesa top by approximately 30 feet. The reclamation seed mix includes a variety of grasses, forbs and shrubs, which will enhance the rangeland value and provide superior wildlife habitat over the existing sage brush dominated vegetative cover.

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