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August 29, 2013

Julie Mikulas
Martin Marietta Materials, Inc. - Rocky Mountain Division
1800 N Taft Hill Road
Fort Collins, CO 80521

**Re: Site Cortner Pit, Permit No. ~~M-1985-218~~ M-1986-159,
Corrective Action Due Date Extension**

Dear Ms. Mikulas:

On August 28, 2013, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (DRMS) received a request to extend the due date for the two Corrective Actions cited in the July 25, 2013 inspection report. The DRMS hereby grants the requested extensions as follows:

INSPECTION TOPIC: Revegetation

PROBLEM/POSSIBLE VIOLATION: Problem: Tamarisk (salt cedar) trees are present within or have volunteered into the permit area and are becoming established. This is a problem for failure to employ weed control methods for a state listed noxious weed species within the permitted area, and to reduce the spread of weeds to nearby areas as required by Section 3.1.10 (6) of the rule.

CORRECTIVE ACTIONS: The operator shall either implement the existing weed control plan, or develop a weed control and management plan in accordance with Section 3.1.10 (6) of the Rule. This plan should be developed in consultation with the county extension agency, or weed control district office and should include specific control measures to be applied, a schedule for when control measures will be applied and a post-treatment monitoring plan. This weed control plan shall be submitted to the Division as a Technical Revision to the approved plan with the appropriate Technical Revision fee of \$216.00 by the corrective action date.

REVISED CORRECTIVE ACTION DUE DATE: 12/31/13

INSPECTION TOPIC: Signs & Markers

PROBLEM/POSSIBLE VIOLATION: Problem: The mine identification sign posted at the entrance of the mine site does not include the permit number. This is a problem for failure to post a mine identification sign as required by Section 3.1.12(1) of the rule.

CORRECTIVE ACTIONS: The operator shall, at the entrance of the mine site, post a sign which shall be clearly visible from the access road with the following: the name of the operator, a statement that a reclamation permit for the operation has been issued by the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board; and the permit number. The operator shall submit photo documentation that a proper sign has been posted by the corrective action date.

CORRECTIVE ACTION DUE DATE: 9/30/13

If you have any questions, please contact me at (303)866-3567, ext. 8169

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Timothy A. Cazier".

Timothy A. Cazier, P.E.
Environmental Protection Specialist

cc: Tom Kaldenbach, DRMS