

Exhibit B-30: Cover Letter (September 14, 2018)



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**Subject: PL16-0097 Mining Special Use Permit
Concrete Nor'West/Miles Sand and Gravel
Grip Road Mine**

Dear Julie:

Following is a summary of the materials and reports we are submitting in response to the letter to you from William T. Lynn, May 11, 2018.

1. We have prepared a revision to Sheets C3, C4, C5, and C6 to show an Alternate 300 Foot Buffer. We are submitting both 22x34 and 11x17 copies of this Alternate to our preferred original application with the proposed 200-foot buffer. Map set is Digital Exhibit No. 1.
2. We are submitting the Updated Noise and Vibration Study, July 18, 2018, prepared by Ramboll US Corp. Digital Exhibit No. 2.
3. On traffic, we look forward to the review being completed by your consultant, Gibson.
4. We are submitting a revised narrative discussion of how our projects meets the special use criteria. This narrative also includes references to the new reports and studies. Narrative is Digital File No. 3. We have included supporting documents referenced in the Narrative under Digital Files 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.
5. The Site Management Plan for the DOE Sand and Gravel General Permit has been updated. Digital File No. 11
6. In response to our meeting with the County Engineer, we have surveyed and prepared a map documenting the current built condition of the private internal haul road. We have also provided for his review a possible signage plan for the bridge crossing area. Digital File No. 12.

We look forward to your review of our submittal material as well as your consultant Gibson beginning their review of the traffic study. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional copies of the submittal information.

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