

**BEFORE THE SKAGIT COUNTY HEARING EXAMINER**

<b>CONCRETE NOR'WEST/ MILES SAND AND GRAVEL,</b>	)	
	)	
Appellant,	)	PL18-0200
	)	
v.	)	<b>REVISED SCHEDULE</b>
	)	<b>FOLLOWING AUGUST 7, 2019</b>
<b>SKAGIT COUNTY</b>	)	<b>CONFERENCE</b>
	)	
Respondent.	)	
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A conference was held on August 7, 2019 at the County's offices in Mount Vernon, Washington, to determine the state of the case. The Appellant was represented by William Lynn, Attorney at Law. The County was represented by Julie Nichol, Deputy Prosecuting Attorney. Members of the public were present as observers.

After discussion, it became apparent that settlement at this moment remains elusive and, with the agreement of all, it was decided that a hearing on the matter in its present posture should be scheduled. That posture is that the County has issued a denial for failure to complete the application.

The parties did show a willingness to engage in face to face discussions at the staff level and some hope was held out that this might produce a resolution of the matter of application completeness. It is anticipated that the meeting between the parties scheduled hereby may be merely the first of several such contacts.

The following schedule is set should discussions be unsuccessful.

- 1) August 14, 2019 – 9 a.m. meeting between representatives of the parties at the County Planning Department offices.
- 2) October 9, 2019 – Deadline for prehearing motions.
- 3) October 16, 2019 – Deadline for response to any motions.
- 4) October 18, 2019 – Hearing examiner renders decision on any motions made.
- 5) October 23, 2019 – Hearing – at County conference room commencing at 9 a.m.

If the case remains in its present posture, the Examiner announced an intent to revisit his earlier decision and to allow the intervention of citizens who applied for same,

The Examiner urges the present parties to engage in open, good faith discussions in the effort to resolve the issue of completeness of the application. Should a resolution of this issue be achieved, the Examiner will establish a new schedule leading to a hearing on the merits of the application.

**SO ORDERED**, this 19<sup>th</sup>, day of August, 2019

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Wick Dufford, Hearing Examiner