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R & J WASSINK FAMILY TRUST 1
Attn: Ryan Wassink
777 BECKERINK RD
CLYMER NY 14724

March 31, 2020

RE: MINE NAME: RAWJAW GRAVEL MINE
MINE ID#: 90492
NYSDEC PERMIT ID#: 9-0642-00009/00001

Notice of Change to Financial Security Requirements

Dear Mr. Wassink:

This letter serves as notification of a change in the mined land reclamation financial security (FS) amount for the above-referenced mine site. Department staff have completed the review of your mining permit application and are prepared to issue the permit once we have received and approved the replacement and revised FS amount **in the name of R & J Wassink Family Trust 1**.

Based on the information provided in the application materials, the revised **FS amount is \$265,228**. The current FS amount on file to ensure the reclamation of this facility is \$160,057. This equates to an increase of \$105,171. Financial security is determined based on several factors including the type of mine, the amount of land to be affected during the permit term, current affected land, current year construction cost figures, and other factors.

Typical types of FS accepted by the Department include surety bonds, letters of credit, or assignment of certificates of deposit. For information on acceptable forms of financial security, as well as template letters with the necessary language, consult the Department's website at <http://www.dec.ny.gov/lands/25001.html> or request copies from the Department. Changes in FS amount to existing financial security instruments can be made via amendments or riders. Please note that **the name and address of the permittee used on the FS must be identical to that which was provided on the Mining Permit Application and Organizational Report forms or it will not be accepted by the Department**.

In order to expedite processing, please mail the original FS documentation within 60 days of the date of this letter, **by Friday May 29, 2020**, to the following address:

Attn: Ms. Jeannine Coons
NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
Division of Mineral Resources, 3rd Floor
625 Broadway
Albany, New York 12233-6500



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The financial security obligation can be reduced upon Department approval of any concurrent reclamation as there is no FS requirement for areas approved as reclaimed. Additionally, reclaimed acreage may result in a reduction of the annual regulatory program fee if sufficient reclamation is approved to reduce the affected acreage into a lower acreage category in the fee schedule.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact this office.

Sincerely,



Paula Barber
Program Aide, Division of Mineral Resources, Region 9

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