

MEETING

CITY OF WALKER

MINERAL MINING REVIEW BOARD

Wednesday, February 25, 2009

3:00 p.m.

Members present: Scott Conners, Frank Wash, Bonnie Broadwater, and Mark Koning. Member absent: Steve Versluis, Chairman. Also present: Jeff Nelson, Building Department; and Bonnie Antcliff, Recording Secretary.

DECISION AND ORDER

Gillisse Aggregates has requested approval for the renewal of their Mineral Mining license.

Legal Description

Property located at 1400 Maynard Ave., SW also known on the tax rolls as:
41-17-04-300-001, 41-17-04-100-002, 003, 007, 008, 009, 41-13-33-276-016

Applicant & Mining Cont:	Gillisse Aggregates Co. PO Box 278 Grandville, Mi. 49418	Owner: Kent County Parks Foundation 1700 Butterworth, SW Grand Rapids, Mi. 49534
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Finding of Facts

Jeff Nelson stated that the conditions from last year were that a new reclamation plan be submitted for the whole site, and a letter be obtained from the County in reference to material compaction on this site. Those have been submitted.

Dave Maas stated that they did finish the concrete crushing. There were some large stock piles and those have been used up except for about 2,000 tons left. He pointed out the site plan. This coming year they will fill in the last area to the 608 contour and then that will be done on this site.

Scott Conners stated that by September 30, 2009 your agreement says you will be out of here and closed. So all you have left to do is fill and reclamation, is that right?

Mr. Mass responded that is correct.

Bonnie Broadwater stated that everything out there looks good. A majority of the site is stable.

Frank Wash commented that in 2010, when you come in next year at this time , there is a punch list for permanent close out of all on- site activities in the Mineral Mining ordinance Section 34-308. We will close this site out next February. Your engineer should supply an application and plans that meet the punch list items.

Jeff Nelson stated that the applicant should get a hold of the Engineering Department prior to the meeting for an on- site inspection because that is part of the close out process.

Scott Conners stated it would be a good idea to do that, before the snow falls, probably in October.

Mr. Maas commented that some of this will depend on whether or not we get the material to end the fill operation on the site.

Motion

Mark Koning moved and Bonnie Broadwater supported the motion to open the public hearing.

Motion carried 4 to 0.

No one appeared with respect to this request.

Motion

Bonnie Broadwater moved and Mark Koning supported the motion to close the public hearing.

Motion carried 4 to 0.

Motion

Frank Wash moved and Bonnie Broadwater supported the motion to grant the Mineral Mining license for Gillisse Aggregates 1400 Maynard Ave. until February 28, 2010.

The Board imposed the following conditions:

1. All on site activity should be finished by October 1, 2009.
2. Applicant notify the City for an on- site meeting to close this site before snow falls.
3. February, 2010 the applicant and owners will apply to permanently close out all on site activities, per Section 34-308 of the Mineral Mining ordinance.

Motion carried 4 to 0.

Motion

Bonnie Broadwater moved and Mark Koning supported the motion to adjourn the Mineral Mining meeting at 3:15 p.m.

Motion carried 4 to 0.