

**BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL  
STATE OF WYOMING**

**In Re Bond Forfeiture Quality Landscape            )**  
**and Nursery, Inc. Stevens Mine                            )**  
**) Docket 22-4503**  
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**ORDER**

The Parties appeared for a scheduling conference on April 28, 2023 10:00 a.m. They appeared via Zoom at the Board of Equalization Board Room 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Hathaway Building, 2300 Capitol Ave. Cheyenne WY. Present at the hearing were the petitioner, Quality Landscape and Nursery, Inc. represented by James Salisbury. David Dewald counsel for the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), and Kyle Wendtland, Land Quality Administrator. Also present were Jim Ruby and Joe Girardin staff for the EQC.

Based on estimates by the parties the final hearing is set for one and one-half days. The final hearing is set for July 19 and 20, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. The exact location will be set at a later date.

The following timelines are.

All discovery, Requests for Production of Documents and Interrogatories, shall be served not later than May 26, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. Responses shall be served not later than June 26, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

The deadline for identifying all expert and lay witnesses is May 16, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. The parties must comply with Rule 26 of the Wyoming Supreme Court Rules of Civil Procedure for all expert witnesses.

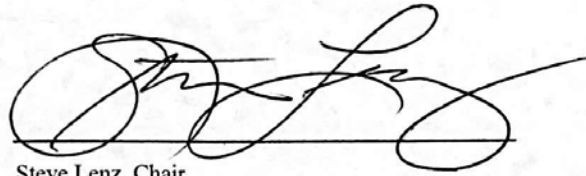
Any dispositive motions shall be filed no later than June 5, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. and responses shall be filed no later than July 5, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. The hearing on any motions filed will occur immediately prior to the final hearing on July 19, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.

Exhibits shall be filed with each party and with the Council by July 12, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.

The filing of all documents for the Council can and should be done on the e-file docket site. The e-file will name and number exhibits so you should not name and number the originals. When filing Exhibits identify them on e-file as final exhibits not pleading exhibits. Contact Mr. Girardin at 307-777-7170 for assistance prior to using the system if you have not used it before.

The final hearing will be held on July 19 and 20, 2023 beginning at 9:00 a.m. in Saratoga WY. The actual location will be set and the parties notified at a later date.

**DATED** this 1st day of May, 2023.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steve Lenz', written over a horizontal line.

Steve Lenz, Chair

Hearing Examiner