

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF WYOMING)
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) ss.
COUNTY OF FREMONT)

I, Steven R. Peck, do solemnly affirm that I am the Publisher of THE RANGER, a daily paper of general circulation, published five times a week at Riverton, Fremont County, Wyoming, that the notice attached hereto and which is a part of this affidavit, was published in said newspaper for 4 consecutive weeks (issues) the first publication having been on the 25th of February, A.D., 2009, and the last publication on the 18th of March, A.D., 2009, that said notice was published in the regular and the entire issue of every number of the paper during the period and times of publication, and that the notice was published in the newspaper and not in a supplement.

Steve Peck
Subscribed in my presence and affirmed to before me this 18th day of March, A.D., 2009.
R. Kelly

Notary Public.

My commission expires on the 24th day of June, A.D., 2010.



PUBLIC NOTICE

2M Construction of Riverton, Wyoming has applied for a mining permit from the Land Quality Division of the Department of Environmental Quality for the State of Wyoming. The mining permit area for mining for sand and gravel will be located in Section 13, T.1N., R.4E, and Section 18, T.1N., R.5E., Fremont County, Wyoming. The proposed permit area is located approximately 2 miles northeast of Riverton, Wyoming. The proposed operation is scheduled to begin in May 2009 and is estimated to continue until 2019. Information regarding the proposed mining operation and reclamation procedures may be reviewed in the Office of the Land Quality Division of the Department of Environmental Quality in Cheyenne and Lander, the office of 2M Construction in Riverton or the Fremont County Clerk's Office, Lander, Wyoming. Written objection must be received by the Administrator of the Land Quality Division of the Department of Environmental Quality, Herschler Building, 122 West 25th Street, Cheyenne, WY 82002, before close of business April 17, 2009. If an objection is submitted a public hearing shall be held within twenty (20) days after the final date for filing objections, unless a different period is stipulated to by the parties. The Council or Director shall publish notice of the time, date and location of the hearing or conference in a newspaper of general circulation in the locality of the proposed operation once a week for two (2) consecutive weeks immediately prior to the hearing or conference. The hearing shall be conducted as a conducted case in accordance with the Wyoming Administrative Procedure Act (W.S. §6-3-101 through §6-3-115), and the right of judicial review shall be afforded as provided in that act. All parties as given in W.S. §35-11-406(j) will be mailed a copy of this notice. The Wyoming Oil and Gas Commission will be mailed a copy of the application mine plan map as required in W.S. §35-11-406 (j).

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