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November 30, 2022

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Eric Holm
Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources
Minerals and Mining Program
Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-3182

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Re Longview Minerals, LLC GPNA File No. 16461,0002

Mr. Holm:

On behalf of our client, Longview Minerals, LLC ("Longview") we are submitting this Exploration Notice of Intent (EXNI) and supplemental information.

At this time, the application for the EXNI only includes private land in Custer County, South Dakota. Longview may expand this project in the future. If that occurs, we will provide you with the necessary documentation.

Included in this Exploration Notice of Intent are the following:

- The EXNI application form SD form 0429
- A Plan of Reclamation Pursuant to Section 8
- A Topographic Map Pursuant Section 9
- A fee of \$250.00 pursuant to Section 17 in check form
- A completed Certification of Applicant form for Longview Minerals, LLC
- Confidential Exhibits C-G

All reasonable efforts have been made to verify the accuracy and validity of information regarding the proposed activities for exploratory drilling and associated reclamation.

If there are any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you in advance for your time and attention.

Richard M. Williams

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Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources Minerals and Mining Program 523 East Capitol Avenue Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3182 605 773-4201; Fax: 605 773-5286

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO CONDUCT
MINERAL EXPLORATION OPERATION
(Excluding Uranium)

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Pursuant to SDCL 45-6C

Operator's name: Longview Minerals, L.L.C.	
Mailing Address: Level 1, 26 Beatty Avenue	
Armadale 3143 Melbourne, Victoria Australia	Telephone:
Resident agent (if out-of-state corporation): Gunderson Palmer	Registered Agents, LLC
Resident agent address: 506 6th Street	
Rapid City, SD 57701-2726	Telephone:
Legal description of area to be explored by Section, Township, Sections 7 and 18, T4S, R5E, Black Hills Meridian	and Range:
County: Custer County	
Give a brief description of the type of exploration to be condescription of methods (e.g. drill rig type, number of holes to be for each test hole, length of existing access roads and/or new access roads.	drilled, number of drill pads to be constructed, proposed depth
Longview Minerals, LLC proposes to conduct explorat	ory drilling for pegmatite minerals, particularly
spodumene, on land owned by Longview Minerals, LL	C. The exploration will be by means of reverse circulation
drilling. Longview Minerals, LLC proposed to drill up	to 100 holes. Each hole will be drilled on a separate drill
pad site. The holes may be up to 850 feet in depth dep	pendent on geology and test results. Existing roads will be
utilized to access the drill sites. Any new access points	s will be reclaimed in accordance with the reclamation plan
Date exploration will commence: Pursuant to SDCL 45-6C-13 the Notice of Intent or upon receipt of the written restrictions pro	, exploration will commenced thirty pages after filing ovided for in SDCL Sections 45-6C-10 to 45-6C-12 inclusive.
What legal authority does the operator have to conduct exploration	on on the apove-described land? Include a conv if available
X Deed Lease US Forest Service Pern See Exhibits A (Beecher) and B (Longview), attached	
Will the operator conduct uranium exploration?Yesobtained.	X No If yes, a permit pursuant to SDCL 45-6D must be

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

Please reference SDCL 45-6C. This Notice of Intent must be accompanied by:

- 1. A plan of reclamation pursuant to Section 8.
- 2. A topographic map pursuant to Section 9.
- 3. A fee of \$250 payable to the Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources pursuant to Section 17.
- 4. A surety in an amount to be determined by the department pursuant to Section 19.
- 5. Any written landowner consultations giving alternative preferences for the reclamation of the affected land pursuant to Section 16.

Applicant affirms that the surface owner has been notified of the proposed mineral development and that said surface owner is aware of his rights to compensation for damages to property pursuant to SDCL 45-5A. Applicant hereby affirms that the mineral exploration will be conducted pursuant and subject to the provisions of SDCL 45-6C, and all regulations promulgated thereunder, that he will grant access to the SD Board of Minerals and Environment or its agents to the area under notice from the date of the notice and thereafter to assure compliance with the provisions of SDCL 45-6C.

I declare and affirm under the penalties of perjury that this claim (petition, application, information) has been examined by me, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, is in all things true and correct. Signature November before me personally appeared who acknowledged himself to be the and that he is authorized to execute the Notice of Intent for the purposes contained therein. My Commission Expires: \_\_ FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY DATE APPROVED: BOND AMOUNT: **EXNI NUMBER:** Chairman, SD Board of Minerals & Environment

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#### STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

#### BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF

#### THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF	)
Longview Minerals, LLC	) CERTIFICATION OF
STATE OF South Dakota	) APPLICANT
COUNTY OF _Custer	)
I, _Chris Connell sworn upon oath hereby certify the fol	, the applicant in the above matter after being duly lowing information in regard to this application:
I have read and understand South Dak	ota Codified Law Section 1-41-20 which provides:
"The secretary may reject an applicati including any application by any conc	ion for any permit filed pursuant to Titles 34A or 45, entrated swine feeding operation for authorization to

operate under a general permit, upon making a specific finding that:

(1) The applicant is unsuited or unqualified to perform the obligations of a permit holder based upon a finding that the applicant, any officer, director, partner, or resident general

manager of the facility for which application has been made:

(a) Has intentionally misrepresented a material fact in applying for a permit;

(b) Has been convicted of a felony or other crime involving moral turpitude;

(c) Has habitually and intentionally violated environmental laws of any state or the United States which have caused significant and material environmental damage;

(d) Has had any permit revoked under the environmental laws of any state or the United States; or

(e) Has otherwise demonstrated through clear and convincing evidence of previous actions that the applicant lacks the necessary good character and competency to reliably carry out the obligations imposed by law upon the permit holder; or

(2) The application substantially duplicates an application by the same applicant denied within the past five years which denial has not been reversed by a court of competent jurisdiction. Nothing in this subdivision may be construed to prohibit an applicant from submitting a new application for a permit previously denied, if the new application represents a good faith attempt by the applicant to correct the deficiencies that served as the basis for the denial in the original application.

All applications filed pursuant to Titles 34A and 45 shall include a certification, sworn to under oath and signed by the applicant, that he is not disqualified by reason of this section from obtaining a permit. In the absence of evidence to the contrary, that certification shall constitute a prima facie showing of the suitability and qualification of the applicant. If at any point in the application review, recommendation or hearing process, the secretary finds the applicant has intentionally made any material misrepresentation of fact in regard to this certification,

consideration of the application may be suspended and the application may be rejected as provided for under this section.

Applications rejected pursuant to this section constitute final agency action upon that application and may be appealed to circuit court as provided for under chapter 1-26."

I certify pursuant to 1-41-20, that as an applicant, officer, director, partner, or resident general manager of the activity or facility for which the application has been made that I; a) have not intentionally misrepresented a material fact in applying for a permit; b) have not been convicted of a felony or other crime of moral turpitude; c) have not habitually and intentionally violated environmental laws of any state or the United States which have caused significant and material environmental damage; (d) have not had any permit revoked under the environmental laws of any state or the United States; or e) have not otherwise demonstrated through clear and convincing evidence of previous actions that I lack the necessary good character and competency to reliably carry out the obligations imposed by law upon me. I also certify that this application does not substantially duplicate an application by the same applicant denied within the past five years which denial has not been reversed by a court of competent jurisdiction. Further;

(SEAL)

PLEASE ATTACH ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION NECESSARY TO DISCLOSE ALL FACTS AND DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO SDCL 1-41-20 (1) (a) THROUGH (e).
ALL VIOLATIONS MUST BE DISCLOSED, BUT WILL NOT AUTOMATICALLY RESULT IN THE REJECTION OF AN APPLICATION

July 19, 2024

My commission expires:



### OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

MONAE L. JOHNSON, SECRETARY OF STATE THOMAS J. DEADRICK, DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE

#### **Filing Information**

Name: Longview Minerals, LLC

#### **General Information**

**SOS Business ID** 

DL233325

Filing Type:

Limited Liability Company - Domestic

08/25/2022

Status:

Good Standing

**Duration Term:** 

Perpetual

Managed By:

Member-Managed

Registered Agent Address

GUNDERSON PALMER REGISTERED AGENTS, LLC

506 6TH ST

RAPID CITY, SD 57701-2726

**Principal Address** 

LEVEL 1, 26 BEATTY AVENUE

**ARMADALE 3143** 

MELBOURNE, VICTORIA

**AUSTRALIA** 

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGE

Secretary of State 500 E. Capitol Ave Pierre, SD 57501-5070 (605) 773-4845 OF REGISTERED OFFICE OR REGISTERED

AGENT OR BOTH

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1. Business ID and Name:

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Longview Minerals, LLC

BUSINESS NAME

The name and address of the registered agent on file (Old Agent Name):

Street Address

Mailing Address

Brian S. Baczwaski 311 N 27TH ST SUITE 4 SPEARFISH, SD 57783 Brian S. Baczwaski 311 N 27TH ST SUITE 4 SPEARFISH, SD 57783

The NEW South Dakota Registered agent's name
 South Dakota law permits the registered agent to be either (a) a noncommercial registered agent or (b) a commercial registered agent.

(b) The South Dakota Commercial Registered Agent's name & CRA#

CRA#: 0000023

Street Address

Mailing Address

GUNDERSON PALMER REGISTERED AGENTS, LLC 506 6TH ST RAPID CITY, SD 57701-2726 GUNDERSON PALMER REGISTERED AGENTS, LLC PO BOX 8045 RAPID CITY, SD 57709

No person may execute this report knowing it is false in any material respect. Any violation may be subject to a criminal penalty (SDCL 22-39-36).

11/29/2022	Matthew E Naasz (Electronically Signed)
Dated	Signature of an Authorized Person
	Matthew E Naasz
Email (Optional)	Printed Name
	Attorney
	Title





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#### ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

Secretary of State 500 E. Capitol Ave Pierre, SD 57501-5070 (605) 773-4845

DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SDCL 47-34A-203, 212

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Article I

The name of the Company:

Longview Minerals, LLC

Article II

The address of the initial designated office in or out of the State of South Dakota where the company conducts its business:

**Actual Street Address** 

**LEVEL 1, 26 BEATTY AVENUE ARMADALE 3143** MELBOURNE, VICTORIA **AUSTRALIA** 

Mailing Address

**LEVEL 1, 26 BEATTY AVENUE ARMADALE 3143** MELBOURNE, VICTORIA **AUSTRALIA** 

Article III

SDCL 59-11-6

The South Dakota Registered Agent's Name:

South Dakota law permits the registered agent to be either (a) a noncommercial registered agent or (b) a commercial registered agent.

(a) The South Dakota Noncommercial Registered Agent's name

Name Brian S. Baczwaski

Actual Street Address in this State

311 N 27TH ST SUITE 4 SPEARFISH, SD 57783 Mailing Address in this State

311 N 27TH ST SUITE 4 SPEARFISH, SD 57783

Article IV

The name and address of each organizer

Name Address John R. Frederickson 311 N. 27th Street - Suite 4, Spearfish SD 57783

Article V

The duration of the company if other than perpetual is: Perpetual

If the document is not to be effective upon filing by the Secretary of State, the delayed effective date is:



#### Article VI

#### Article VII

Beneficial Owners (optional): A beneficial owner is a person who has or in some manner controls an equity security. Please consult an attorney for legal advice if you have any questions concerning this entry. Any question under this heading is considered a request for legal advice and the secretary of state's office is, by statute, not permitted, to provide legal advice.

Name

Address

JASDAK PTY LTD

Level 1, 26 Beatty Avenue, Armadale, 3143, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

#### Article VIII

OPERATING AGREEMENT - The manner in which this Company conducts its business and affairs, and the rights and obligations of its Members, to the extent not expressly required by or provided for in the South Dakota Limited Liability Company Act or in these Articles of Organization, shall be set forth in the Operating Agreement adopted by this Company. The Operating Agreement may be amended in accordance with the provisions contained therein.

#### Article IX

TRANSFERABILITY OF MEMBER'S INTEREST - A Member's interest in this Company may not be transferred, sold, pledged, hypothecated or assigned except as provided in the Operating Agreement.

#### Signature/Authorization

The Articles of Organization must be executed by the organizers.

No person may execute this report knowing it is false in any material respect. Any violation may be subject to a criminal penalty (SDCL 22-39-36).

John R. Frederickson

John R. Frederickson

Attorney

08/25/2022

PRINTED NAME

SIGNATURE

TITLE

DATED

# State of South Dakota

Office of the Secretary of State

### **Certificate of Organization**

Domestic Limited Liability Company

I, Steve Barnett, Secretary of State of the State of South Dakota, hereby certify that the ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION for

#### Longview Minerals, LLC

**BUSINESS ID# DL233325** 

with an effective date of: August 25, 2022, duly signed and verified, SDCL 47-34A-203, 212 has been received in this office and is found to conform to law.

**ACCORDINGLY**, and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, I hereby issue this Certificate of Organization and attach hereto a duplicate of the ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this day, August 25, 2022.

Steve Barnett

08/25/2022 10:37 AM

Steve Barnett Secretary of State Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources Minerals and Mining Program 523 East Capitol Avenue Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3182 605 773-4201; Fax: 605 773-5286

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Pursuant to SDCL 45-6C-8 and 45-6D-9

**EXPLORATION RECLAMATION PLAN** 

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In preparing this reclamation plan, please address each item in detail, referencing SDCL 45-6C-8 and 45-6D-9. Please refer to the reclamation standards outlined in SDCL 45-6C-27 through 45-6C-34, SDCL 45-6D-33 through 45-6D-39, and the state's hole plugging regulations as detailed in ARSD 74:11

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1.	Describe the type of reclamation the operator proposes to achieve in the reclamation of the affected land.  See attached - Reclamation Plan
2.	Provide a proposed timetable for seeding and replanting indicating when and how the reclamation plan will be implemented. Such timetable shall be developed in consultation with the County District Conservationist as to the nature of the soils and native vegetation in the area of the proposed operation. These recommendations shall be followed, if any are provided, and copies of all correspondence shall be provided to the Department.
	See attached - Reclamation Plan

3. Describe how the reclamation plan will rehabilitate the affected land. See attached - Reclamation Plan

4.	Describe the anticipated temporary and permanent plugging and capping procedures to be used. Please refer to SDCL 45-6C-28 through 45-6C-30, SDCL 45-6D-33 through 45-6D-35, and the state's hole plugging regulations as detailed in ARSD 74:11.
	See attached - Reclamation Plan
5.	Provide the estimated cost of implementing and completing the proposed reclamation, and, the estimated cost of plugging and sealing each test hole.
	See attached - Reclamation Plan
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Longview Minerals, L.L.C. Level 1, 26 Beatty Avenue Armadale 3143 Melbourne, BVictoria Australia

Longview Minerals, L.L.C. Exploratory Drilling Program

#### Reclamation Plan

# (1) A description of the type of reclamation the operator proposes to achieve in the reclamation of the affected land;

The proposed exploratory drilling project will be conducted entirely on private land in Custer County, South Dakota on land owned by Longview Minerals, LLC. All surface reclamation (regrading, contouring, travel route rehabilitation, seeding, etc.), travel restrictions, and timing will be as directed by Longview Minerals, LLC in accordance with SDCL 45-6C-16.

Longview Minerals, LLC and its contractors will strive to minimize the surface impact of the exploratory drilling program by minimizing the disturbed area and maintaining open communication with DANR. Seeding mix will be approved by the Custer County NRCS office or as otherwise directed by DANR. Reclamation will continue during the course of the project following completion of drilling.

Longview Minerals, LLC will construct all roads and trails developed for the exploration project to minimize sedimentation and erosion by the placement of water bars and similar structures, road placement on the contour, revegetation of roadwork and embankment slopes, or by using other methods in accordance with SDCL 45-6C-32.

Topsoil will be salvaged and stockpiled for later use in reclamation.

In the event that bones, artifacts, foundation remains, or other evidence of previously unrecorded past human use is uncovered during exploration, the area will be avoided and the South Dakota Archeological Research Center will be contacted.

(2) A proposed timetable for seeding and replanting indicating when and how the reclamation plan will be implemented. Such timetable shall be developed after consulting the local conservation district as to the nature of the soils and native vegetation in the area of the proposed exploration operation. The recommendations of the local conservation district shall be followed if any are provided;

Replanting and reseeding will take place following recontouring and regrading of disturbed areas as seasonally acceptable. All reclamation processes, seed mixes, seasonal constraints and timing and guidance will be based on Custer County NRCS or DANR guidance and requirements. To the extent not otherwise controlled by DANR, the land will be reclaimed as directed by Longview Minerals, LLC pursuant to SDCL 45-6C-16.

# (3) A narrative description of how the reclamation plan will rehabilitate the affected land;

The goal of the reclamation process will be to restore surface impacts of the proposed exploratory drilling program to pre-project conditions, or as near as possible. Any deviation from this objective will be guided by Longview Minerals LLC, as the surface and mineral owner, and DANR. Reclamation actions will include recontouring to conform with surrounding topography where practical. Stockpiled topsoil will be used where available. Seeding with local native species will occur as guided by the local conservation district or as directed by DANR. Stabilizing and/or growth medium may be used to encourage regrowth of native species, the use of which will be directed by DANR

# (4) A narrative description of the temporary and permanent plugging and capping procedure to be used;

Plugging, capping, and sealing of test holes will be consistent with ARSD 74:11:08. Pursuant to ARSD 74:11:08:04, test holes that encounter no water or only low-permeability formations such as clays, shales, and till will be backfilled to restore natural conditions as nearly as possible. Except as provided in §§ 74:11:08:05 to 74:11:08:07.02, inclusive, the test hole plugging method will return the excess drill cuttings to the drill hole to a point not less than eight feet below the ground surface. Backfill material will be free of contamination and have a permeability equal to or less than the permeability of the formations encountered in the borehole. A nondegradational, nonslip plug will be placed at a point not less than eight feet below the ground surface, and a five-foot column of cement grout will be placed above the plug. Topsoil or material representative of the undisturbed surface material will be tamped into the upper three feet of the drill hole. Longview Minerals, LLC, may use bentonite chips as an alternative to cement grout in the top eight feet of the test hole if bentonite grout or bentonite chips are used to plug the test hole.

In the unlikely event that a drill hole needs to remain open for more than 30 days for downhole data collection purposes, Longview will apply in writing to DANR for permission to temporarily keep the test hole open.

# (5) The estimated cost of implementing and completing the proposed reclamation and the estimated cost of plugging and sealing each test hole pursuant to the provisions of §§ 45-6C-28 and 45-6C-29.

Longview Minerals, LLC will place a statewide surety bond of \$20,000 in lieu of drill program specific surety bonds with the State of South Dakota prior to project commencement (SDCL 45-6C-19).

#### CONFIDENTIAL

- 1. The Longview drilling holes are represented in attached Exhibits D and E.
- 2. The Beacher West and East holes are represented in attached Exhibits C, F, and G.
- 3. A topographic map is attached hereto as Exhibit H.



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RECEIVED DEC 2 1 2022 MINERALS & MINING PROGRAM

Re: Longview Minerals, LLC GPNA File No. 16461.0002

Dear Ms. Hudson:

I am in receipt of your correspondence of December 8, 2022. Thank you for your assistance. As noted in the EXNI application, Longview Minerals, LLC owns the surface and mineral rights in the proposed exploration area. In response to your letter, I will address each paragraph as follows:

- 1. SDCL 56-6C-8(2) we have contacted the Custer County Conservation District and will be working with them on developing a timetable for seeding and replanting. We will provide additional information as this plan progresses.
- 2. SDCL 45-6C-9 we are attaching as Exhibit 1 to this correspondence, a Google Maps view of the proposed exploration site. The site itself is shown by a red border. As noted in the application for the EXNI, Longview Minerals, LLC ("Longview") owns the surface and mineral rights in the exploration area. The map further shows the access roads, trails, and buildings in the area.

Exhibit 2 is the GIS view of the Water Well Completion Reports. This shows the known water wells in the vicinity of the exploration area. The only well that is within the exploration area is in the northwest corner of Section 18. This well is within the boundaries of the Beacher East site but is not near the proposed exploration holes. The well is further defined in the South Dakota Water Well Completion Report of well owner Wally Steel attached as Exhibit 3.

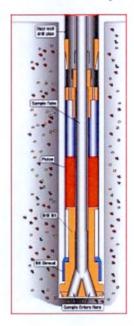
Exhibit 2 also shows a water well directly south of Beacher East. This well is not within the proposed exploration site. Exhibit 4 is the South Dakota Well Completion Report of well owner, Ryan Tennyson.

Offices in Rapid City and Pierre, South Dakota

Exhibit 5 is the Beacon GIS for the proposed exploration area known as Longview. One wetland appears on the map. That wetland, however, is merely an accumulation of water in an old mining site. Exhibit 6 is the same map showing the Beacher exploration area. No wetlands appear on this map.

There are no other known springs, lakes, ponds, reservoirs, earthen dams, buildings or infrastructures, other than those illustrated in Exhibits 1-6.

3. Longview intends to use reverse circulation drilling. This method of drilling will not utilize water. The method proposed by Longview uses dual wall drill rods that consist of an outer drill rod with an inner tube. These hollow inner tubes allow the drill cuttings to be transported back to the surface in a continuous, steady flow.



Unlike diamond drilling, it compiles sample rock cuttings instead of rock core. The drilling mechanism is most often a pneumatic reciprocating piston called a hammer, which in turn is driving a tungsten-steel drill bit, specifically made to be able to crush hard rock.

The hammer is used to remove rock samples which are pushed through the machine with compressed air. When air is blown down the annulus (ring-shaped structure) of the rod, the pressure shift creates a reverse circulation, bringing the cuttings up the inner tube. When the cuttings reach a deflector box at the top of the rig, the matter is moved through a hose attached to the top of the cyclone.

The drill cuttings will travel around the cyclone until they fall through the bottom opening into a sample bag. These bags are marked with the location and depth of the

place where the sample was collected and can be transported directly to the assay lab for analysis.

#### **Technical Comments:**

- Chris Connell, member of Longview Minerals LLC, and the Technical Director, will be
  the contact person for Longview. He is currently in the process of relocating from
  Australia to South Dakota. If allowed, paperwork may be emailed by DANR to Mr.
  Connell. Mr. Connell's email address is <u>cconnell@ccgeological.com</u>. DANR may also
  use our firm's address, if needed, to provide hard copies of documents. Once Mr.
  Connell establishes his South Dakota address, we will update DANR with the most
  current contact information for Mr. Connell.
- 2. Paragraph 4 of the reclamation plan's reference to White Rock is a typographical error. Attached to this letter is an updated reclamation plan for Longview.
- 3. Attached as Exhibits 7 and 8 to this letter are location maps that do not show the locations of the test holes.
- 4. We will contact Lisa Lang with the Archeological Research Center to determine if additional steps are required under SDCL 45-6C-11. Once that contact is made, does DANR need any confirmation of contact or reports from Ms. Lang?

Additionally, in response to your email of December 7, 2022, regarding the surface disturbance of the proposed drilling patterns, Longview has modified its proposed drilling pattern. As noted above, the drilling will be accomplished by reverse circulation drilling with air. Some water will be used for dust suppression, but it will be minimal and captured if necessary.

The revised drilling locations for Beacher West, East, and Longview are attached as Exhibits 9, 10, and 11. Overall, the number of proposed holes has been reduced from 96 to 42. We believe this will help minimize the damage to the surface.

Thank you for your assistance. Please let me know if you have any additional questions or comments. We are happy to provide any additional information.

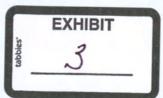
Richard M. Williams

RMW:lf Enclosures

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WAS A PASIFFE OF SEAL HOUSE.	74 [7]11.	This well	was drille	ed under license #	363	
WAS A PACKER OR SEAL USED?	Yes ✓ No	And this	report is t	rue and accurate.		
If so, what material?  Describe packer(s) and location				owe Well Drilling & Exc	cavating Inc	<b>3</b> .
Describe packet(s) and location			_	se Representative:		
DISINFECTION: Was well disinfected upon co	mpletion?		1			
	Chlorine Tablets	C.	rur	les Bowe		
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#### SOUTH DAKOTA WATER WELL COMPLETION REPORT 11-02

Location SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec 18 Twp 4S Rg	5E	Well Owner: Ryan Tennyson	
County		Business Name:	
County North	_	Address: 12419 Miners LAn	
Custer		City, State, Zip: Custer	SD 57730
\\ \tau \tau \tau \tau \tau \tau \tau \t		WELL LOG:	DEPTH
		FORMATION	FROM TO
Please mark well W location with an "X"	E	Dirt and Clay	0 10
Control Will all X	1	Broken Shist Rock and Gravel	10 40
Well Completion Date		Mica Shist	40 11
8/1/2012	7		
1 Mile	4		
Distance to nearest potential pollution source (Septic tank, abandoned well, feed to 2 150.0 ft from Sewer (identify s			
(Addition)	source)		
PROPOSED USE:  ✓ Domestic/Stock	les		
Imgation Industrial Institutional Monitoring		STATIC WATER LEVEL	16.0 FEET
METHOD OF DRILLING:		If flowing: closed in pressure	PSI
Rotary		GPM flow 30.0 through	Inch pipe
			Other
	Other	Reduced flow rate	GPM
other describe  IPEWEIGHT DIAMETER FROM TO HOLE DIAMET		Can well be completely shut in?	
	75 IN	. + 6"	
LB/FT IN FT FT	IN	WELL TEST DATA:	
LB/FT IN FT FT	IN	Pumped Describe:	
GROUTING DATA:		Bailed	
Grout Type No. of Sacks Grout Weight From To ort Cement 6 16.0 Lb/gal 0.0 Ft 44		Other	
ort Cement 6 16.0 Lb/gal 0.0 Ft 44	4.0 Ft	Pumping Level Below Land Surface	
Describe grouting procedure		Ft. After Hrs. pump	ed GPM
		Ft. After Hrs. pump	ed GPM
		If pump installed, pump rate:	GPM
CREEN: Perforated pipe Manufactured			RECEIVED
	eet	REMARKS	OCT 12 2012
MaterialSet From Feet to Feet	t		OCT 1 2 2012
Other information			WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM
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		This well was drilled under license #	363
VAS A PACKER OR SEAL USED? Yes No		And this report is true and accurate.	
so, what material?		Drilling firm: Howe Well Drilling &	Excavating
escribe packer(s) and location		Signature of License Representative:	
ISINFECTION: Was well disinfected upon completion?			
Yes, How? Chlorine Tablets		Charles Howl	
ab sample sent to for No, Why Not?		Signature of Well Owner or Equitable Property	Holder:
RECEIVED EXHIBIT			
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#### MILLBORN NATIVE MIXES

# WESTERN NATIVE RECLAMATION MIX™

Millborn's Western Native Reclamation Mix<sup>™</sup> is broadly adaptable and quick establishing. It contains both cool and warm-season native grasses as well as native forbs that will flourish in low to mid-elevations. The purpose of this mix varies from revegetating disturbed soilds to regenerating vegetation after

#### **MIX RATIO**

**10% TRITICALE** 

slash piles are removed.

**10% WESTERN WHEATGRASS** 

**8% GREEN NEEDLEGRASS** 

**8% SLENDER WHEATGRASS** 

**6% BLUEBUNCH WHEATGRASS** 

**5% BLUE GRAMA** 

**5% CANADA WILDRYE** 

**5% IDAHO FESCUE** 

**5% LITTLE BLUESTEM** 

**5% PRAIRIE JUNEGRASS** 

**5% PRAIRIE SANDREED** 

**5% SIDEOATS GRAMA** 

**5% THICKSPIKE WHEATGRASS** 

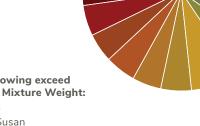
**4% SAND DROPSEED** 

**4% SANDBERG BLUEGRASS** 

**3% INDIAN RICE GRASS** 

None of the following exceed 2% of the Total Mixture Weight:

- › Buffalograss
- Black-eyed Susan
- › Blanketflower
- > Prairie Coneflower
- > Rocky Mountain Bee Plant
- Western Yarrow



Comparable substitutions may be necessary depending on species availability.

#### **VARIETY PROFILE**

Drilled Seeding Rate	7–10 lbs/acre
Broadcast Seeding Rate	14–18 lbs/acre
Planting Depth	1/4"-1/2"



<sup>\*</sup>These amounts are based on percentage of population.