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April 28, 2022

Landowner:

This notice is to inform you that Riverside Contracting, Inc. has applied for an Opencut Mining Permit and this notice is being sent pursuant to Section 82-4-432[5-6], MCA. The proposed operations will be located within 0.5 miles of your property. The site, referred to as the Marvin Rehbein Site, is located on 157.1 acres in Section 31, T17N, R19W, Missoula County (see attached map).

The site will operate a crusher for processing of gravel, and an asphalt plant will be on site during paving operations. We are permitting the site for removal of up to 1,000,000 cy of gravel.

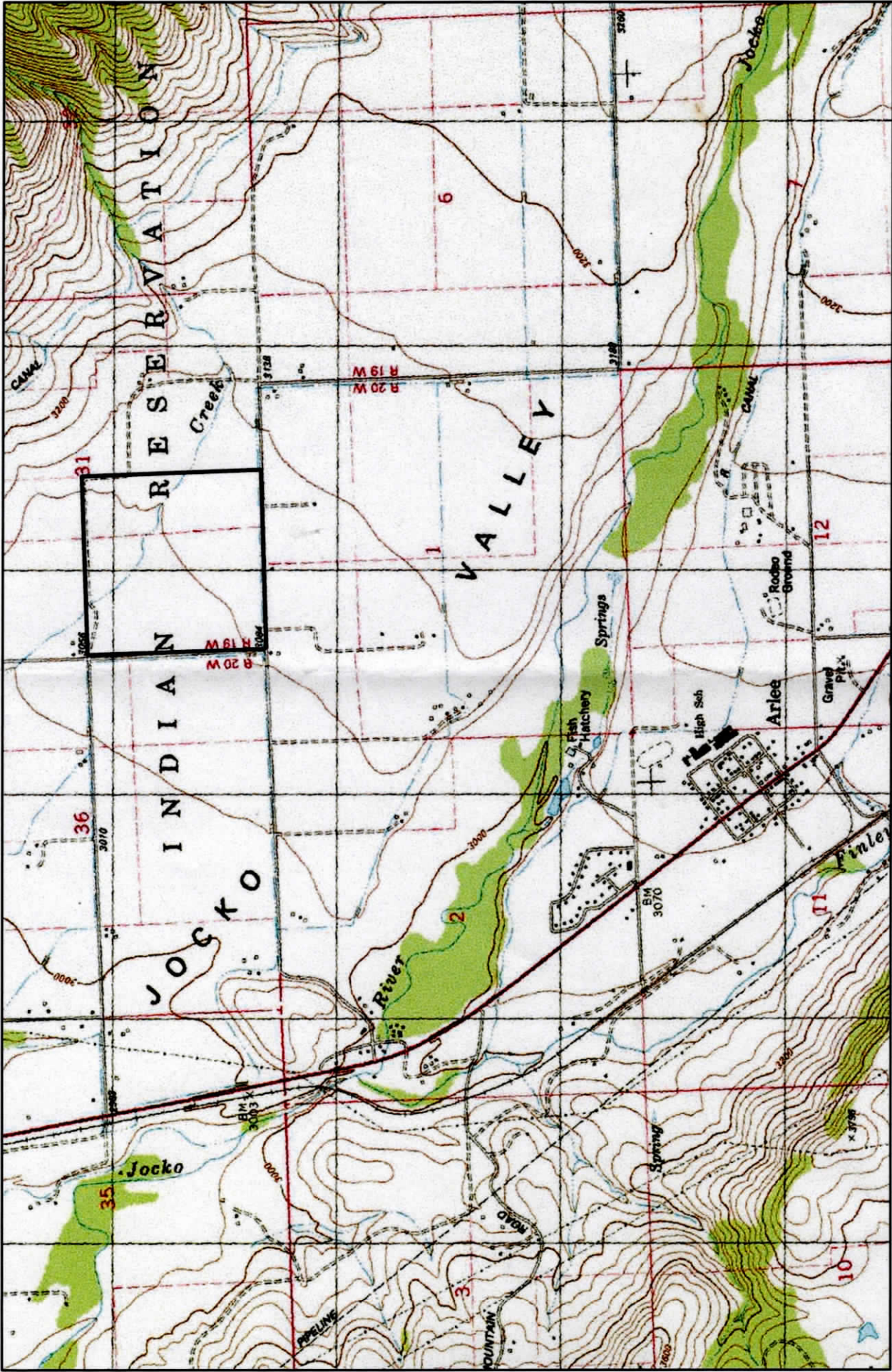
Currently, there is no planned start date for operations to begin. Access for the site will be near the intersection of Martz Dr. and White Coyote Road. A copy of the permit application and associated documents can be obtained online at the following web site, <https://deq.mt.gov/mining/Programs/opencut>

If you have further questions, feel free to contact myself or the Montana Department of Environmental Quality – Opencut Mining Program.

Sincerely,
Riverside Contracting, Inc.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Cale Fisher", is written over a light blue circular stamp.


Cale Fisher



**Marvin Rehbein
Location Map**

**Riverside Contracting, Inc.
September 2021**

Legend

 Boundary

2,000

 Feet

1 inch = 2,000 feet

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC MEETING

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is accepting requests for a public meeting on the following proposed Opencut operation in your area:

DEQ SECTION

Operator: Riverside Contracting, Inc. **Site:** Marvin Rehbein **County:** Lake **Opencut #:** 3415

Legal Description: Section 31, Township 17 N, Range 19 W

Public Meeting Request Period: The DEQ will accept requests for a public meeting until May 30, 2022.

SURFACE LANDOWNER SECTION

1. When determining the number of surface landowners eligible to request a public meeting:
 - a. Multiple parties owning the same parcel of land are counted as 1 landowner.
 - b. A party owning multiple parcels of land is counted as 1 landowner, regardless of the number of parcels owned.
2. If you wish to request a public meeting, complete the following and submit to:
DEQ Opencut Mining Program, PO Box 200901, Helena, MT 59620-0901; Fax: (406) 444-4988;
Email: DEQOpencut@mt.gov

YES or NO (Check one) I request that DEQ conduct a public meeting about this proposed Opencut operation.

Landowner: Name (print or type)

Address

Email

City, State, Zip

Signature

Date

Phone Number

NOTE: Landowners can also submit written comments about the proposed operation to the DEQ using the contact information listed below.

The following information applies to requests for a public meeting:

- A copy of the application for the proposed operation can be viewed at <http://deq.mt.gov/mining/programs/opencut>. If additional information about the proposed operation is needed, please contact the operator at the address or phone number listed in the public notice provided to you by the operator.
- In accordance with MCA 82-4-432[9], the DEQ must hold a public meeting in the area of the proposed operation if requested by the applicant, or at least 30% of the property owners or 10 property owners, whichever is greater.
- Prior to holding a public meeting, DEQ will send notice of the meeting by first-class mail to surface owners of land located within one-half mile of the boundary of the proposed permit area.
- The public meeting will be held within 30 days of the closing date of the public meeting request period indicated above.

For DEQ use only:

The landowner is on the list provided with the application pursuant to MCA 82-4-432[2](e).

The landowner is on the list provided for the public notice pursuant to MCA 82-4-432[6](d).

The landowner has previously submitted a *Request For Public Meeting* form.

YES NO

YES NO

YES

Initials ___ Date ___