NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION - Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation

Web Posting: 07/05/2022
Deadline for Comment: 08/04/2022

The Administrator of the Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) gives notice that an application for the renewal of a Water Pollution Control Permit for the Ruby Hill Project, a mining and beneficiation facility, has been properly filed with NDEP in Carson City. The Applicant for renewal of Water Pollution Control Permit NEV0096103 (Permit) is:

Ruby Hill Mining Company, LLC
5190 Neil Road, Suite 460
Reno, NV  89502

The facility is located on public and private land in Eureka County, within Sections 3-5, 9-11, and 14-16, T19N, R53E; and Sections 32, 33, and 34, T20N, R53E, MDB&M, approximately 01 miles west of the town of Eureka.

The Project consists of an open pit mining and chemical processing facility, pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 445A.394.

The Administrator is constrained to either issue the renewed Permit or deny the application. The Administrator has made the tentative decision to issue the renewed Permit.

Persons wishing to comment on the proposed Permit, recommend terms and conditions for consideration of incorporation into the Permit, or request a public hearing pursuant to NAC 445A.403, must submit their written comments, objections, or requests by hand delivery, U.S. Postal Service, facsimile, or e-mail transmittal, no later than 5:00 PM on the 30th day following the date of publication of this notice (submittal end date 04 August 2022) to:

Nevada Division of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation
901 South Stewart Street, Suite 4001
Carson City, NV  89701-5249.

All comments, objections, or requests received during the public notice period will be considered in the final determination regarding the Permit. If NDEP determines that written comments or requests indicate a significant degree of public interest in this matter, the Administrator shall schedule a public hearing in accordance with the requirements of NAC 445A.405.

The draft Permit and all application documents are on file at NDEP and are available for public inspection and copying pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 445A.665. For more information, contact Matthew Schulenberg at (775) 687-9409 or visit the NDEP public notice website at www.ndep.nv.gov/posts/category/land.