Oregon Dept. of Geology & Mineral Industries Mineral Land Regulation & Reclamation Program 229 Broadalbin St. SW Albany OR 97321-2246 (541) 967-2039

OPERATING PERMIT -- New ISSUED SUBJECT TO ANY LISTED CONDITIONS

Tidewater Contractors, Inc.

PO Box 1956

Brookings OR 97415

ID No.:

08-0100 Curry

County: Section:

16

Twp:

36S 14W

Range: Tax Lot:

14W 302

Site Name:

GBIP Gravel Mine

This permit shall be in effect, unless revoked or suspended for cause, from the date of issuance and shall remain in effect so long thereafter as the Permittee pays the annual fee to renew the permit, complies with the provisions of ORS 517.750 through 517.955 as applicable, the Rules as promulgated to administer the Oregon Mined Land Reclamation Act, the approved reclamation plan, and any conditions attached to this permit, and maintains a performance bond as required by the Act.

Issuance of this permit is not a finding of compliance with state-wide planning goals or the acknowledged comprehensive plan. The applicant must receive land-use approval from local government before using this permit.

NOTE: Reclamation plans may be modified per ORS 517.830(4) and OAR 632-(30) and (35)-035.

CONDITIONS:

(Conditions may be appealed per OAR 632-030-0056. If an appeal is made, this permit is invalid until the condition(s) appealed is/are resolved and the permit reissued.)

The Permittee must:

- 1. schedule an on-site inspection with DOGAMI and ODFW, before mining begins and repeated on an annual basis, to locate leave areas within the proposed excavation area.
- 2. clearly mark and survey the boundaries for that year's excavation area and the leave areas in the field every year.
- 3. coordinate with DOGAMI and ODFW to determine the mining season for that year. The areas to be scalped will be identified on an aerial photo of the site and submitted to DOGAMI each year.
- 4. conduct stadia level surveys for the proposed excavation area on an annual basis.
- 5, coordinate with ODFW every year and implement an ODFW-recommended fish salvage plan, if standing water is noted within past mined areas that are capable of stranding fish.
- 6. obtain a DEQ NPDES 1200-A permit and implement BMP's before mining begins.
- 7. obtain written approval from DOGAMI prior to conducting any pit dewatering.
- 8. agree that if mining operations disturb any area outside of the permit area or area designated for active mining in the reclamation plan, including but not limited to disturbances caused by landslide, erosion or fly rock, the operator must restore the disturbed area to a condition that is comparable to what it was prior to the disturbance. Further, if areas outside of the permit boundary or outside of the area proposed for active mining in the reclamation plan area disturbed, DOGAMI may increase the amount of the required financial security to cover the cost of such restoration.

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RENEWAL IS REQUIRED BY APRIL 30, 2011

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