

February 11, 2016

Albemarle County Board of Supervisors
ATTN: Ms. Ella Jordan, Clerk of the Board
401 McIntire Road, 4th floor
Charlottesville, VA 22902

***RE: Erosion and Sediment Control for South Rivanna WTP - GAC Upgrades
(WPO-2014-00073- Permit Effective Date July 17, 2015) – Albemarle County, Virginia
Request for Extension of Time Limit for Permanent Seeding***

Dear Ms. Jordan,

In regards to WPO-2014-00073, please consider this a request for an extension of the time limit for permanent seeding in accordance with Section 17-207(B)3b of the Zoning Ordinance. The project has been under construction since July 2015 with no requests for extensions to date.

The by-right nine-month time limit for WPO-2014-00073 will expire on April 17, 2016. Ongoing work includes excavation and preparation of the GAC Facility and Liquid Lime Facility foundations, construction of multiple structures, installation of process pipelines and electrical duct banks, backfilling excavations, and installation of pavement. Although some permanent seeding will be possible with ongoing construction, the complete final seeding will be performed during the final month of the project. **We feel that a 20-month time limit extension from April 17, 2016 will be sufficient to complete the project.**

It is our understanding that this request meets the criteria by which the board may grant the time extension in accordance with the following:

(i) the additional time is necessary due to factors beyond the control of the owner;

RESPONSE: Based on the size and complexity of this project, it is certainly not feasible to complete the project within a nine-month time frame.

(ii) the owner had made good faith efforts to comply with the time limit; and

RESPONSE: Continuous work has been performed on this project in good faith and under strict contractual obligations.

(iii) the owner has plans to effectively control or has effectively controlled erosion and sedimentation on the property during the land disturbing activity.

RESPONSE: We are aware of no concerns that the Albemarle County E+S Inspectors have had with the ongoing construction operations.



We trust the above adequately justifies our request for a 20-month extension of the time limit for permanent seeding for WPO-2014-00073. Please let me know if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Frank Pesce
Project Manager

c: Douglas March, P.E., RWSA Senior Civil Engineer