

AI: 82044

MSR32 2984

(NUMBER TO BE ASSIGNED BY STATE)

APPLICANT IS THE:  OWNER  OPERATOR

**OWNER CONTACT INFORMATION**

OWNER CONTACT PERSON: Norman Ford  
OWNER COMPANY LEGAL NAME: Green Brothers Gravel Company  
OWNER STREET OR P. O. BOX: P.O. Box 239  
OWNER CITY: Crystal Springs STATE: MS ZIP: 39059  
OWNER PHONE #: (601) 892-3611 OWNER EMAIL: nford@greenbrothersgravel.com

**OPERATOR CONTACT INFORMATION**

OPERATOR CONTACT PERSON: Ken McCarley  
OPERATOR COMPANY LEGAL NAME: Hammett Gravel Company, Inc  
OPERATOR STREET OR P. O. BOX: P.O. Box 209  
OPERATOR CITY: Lexington STATE: MS ZIP: 39095  
OPERATOR PHONE #: (601) 955-4791 OPERATOR EMAIL: ken.mccarley@hammett-gravel.com

**MINE INFORMATION**

MINE NAME: Crusher Mine

MINE SITE ADDRESS (If the physical address is not available, please indicate nearest named road.)

Street: Harmony Road  
City: Crystal Springs State: MS County: Copiah Zip: 39059

SW /4 OF SW /4 OF SECTION 14, TOWNSHIP 1N, RANGE 1W

MINE SITE TRIBAL LAND ID (N/A If not applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

ATTACH A USGS QUAD MAP, EXTENDING 1/2 MILE BEYOND FACILITY, OUTLINING THE MINE BOUNDARIES  
(Maps can be obtained from the Mississippi Office of Geology. For information call 601-961-5523).

LATITUDE: 31 degrees 55 minutes 17 seconds LONGITUDE: 90 degrees 16 minutes 39 seconds

LAT & LONG DATA SOURCE (GPS (Please GPS Entrance Gate) or Map Interpolation): GPS

TOTAL ACREAGE: 7.6 MATERIAL TO BE MINED: no mining/crushing gravel only

WILL HYDRAULIC DREDGING BE USED?  YES  NO

WASHING OF SAND/GRAVEL?  YES  NO

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ESTIMATED START DATE: 2022-08-18  
YYYY-MM-DD  
SIC CODE 1442

ESTIMATED END DATE: 2022-05-15  
YYYY-MM-DD  
NAICS CODE \_\_\_\_\_

**RECEIVING STREAM INFORMATION**

NEAREST NAMED RECEIVING STREAM: Little Copiah Creek

IS RECEIVING STREAM ON MISSISSIPPI'S 303(D) LIST OF IMPAIRED WATER BODIES? (The 303(d) list of impaired waters and TMDL stream segments may be found of MDEQ's website: [http://www.deq.state.ms.us/MDEQ.nsf/page/TWB\\_Total\\_Maximum\\_Daily\\_Load\\_Section](http://www.deq.state.ms.us/MDEQ.nsf/page/TWB_Total_Maximum_Daily_Load_Section))  YES  NO

HAS A TMDL BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR THE RECEIVING STREAM SEGMENT?  YES  NO

**COMPLETE IF STORM WATER DISCHARGE IS PROPOSED *NA***

ATTACH A STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN (SEE PERMIT FOR REQUIREMENTS)

IDENTIFY THE ASSOCIATION OR GENERIC SWPPP ON FILE AT MDEQ: \_\_\_\_\_

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**COMPLETE IF WASTEWATER RECIRCULATION SYSTEM WITH NO DISCHARGE IS PROPOSED *NA***

DISTANCE BETWEEN RECIRCULATION POND(S) AND PROPERTY LINE: \_\_\_\_\_ (FT)  
(MUST BE AT LEAST 150 FEET)

NUMBER OF RECIRCULATION POND(S): \_\_\_\_\_

STORAGE CAPACITY OF EACH RECIRCULATION POND(S): \_\_\_\_\_ (FT<sup>3</sup>)

**COMPLETE IF MINE DEWATERING IS PROPOSED *NA***

ESTIMATED DEWATERING VOLUME: \_\_\_\_\_ (GAL/DAY)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE RECIPIENT OF THE DISCHARGE MONITORING REPORTS (DMRs), IF DIFFERENT FROM SIGNATORY: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**DOCUMENTATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER REGULATIONS/REQUIREMENTS**

Coverage under this general permit will not be granted until all other required MDEQ permits and approvals are addressed.

**WILL THE CONSTRUCTION OR OPERATION OF THIS MINE INVOLVE THE RE-ROUTING, FILLING OR CROSSING OF A WATER CONVEYANCE OF ANY KIND?**  YES  NO

If yes, contact the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Regulatory Branch for permitting requirements. If the mine requires a Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit, provide appropriate documentation with this MNOI that:

- The mine has been approved by individual permit, or
- The work will be covered by a nationwide permit and NO NOTIFICATION to the Corps is required, or
- The work will be covered by a nationwide or general permit and NOTIFICATION to the Corps is required.

LIST ANY NPDES PERMIT NO(s). \_\_\_\_\_ GEOLOGY APPLICATION/PERMIT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

LIST OTHER GEOLOGY PERMIT NUMBERS THAT APPLY TO COVERAGE AREA \_\_\_\_\_

**IS THE MINE LESS THAN 4 ACRES AND GREATER THAN 1320 FEET FROM ANOTHER MINE?**

- YES A "Notice of Exempt Operations" Form must be included with the MNOI or proof of prior submission, if previously submitted to the Office of Geology.
- NO A "Notice of Intent to Mine Class I or Class II Materials" Form must be filed before coverage will be granted under the Mining General Permit. For information on Office of Geology requirements, call 601-961-5515.

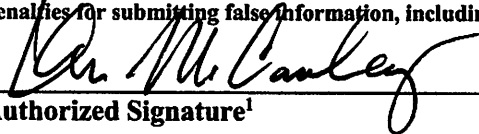
LIST ANY LOCAL STORM WATER ORDINANCES WITH WHICH THE OPERATIONS MUST COMPLY AND SUBMIT ANY ASSOCIATED APPROVAL DOCUMENTATION. \_\_\_\_\_

**IF IMPOUNDMENTS WILL BE CONSTRUCTED ABOVE NATURAL SURFACE ELEVATIONS, INDICATE WHICH, IF ANY, OF THE FOLLOWING APPLY.**

- The impoundment will be constructed with a peripheral dam or levee 8 feet or greater in height, measured from the lowest elevation of its toe.
- The impoundment will have a maximum storage volume greater than 25 acre-feet.
- The impoundment will impound a watercourse with a continuous flow.
- The impoundment has the potential to threaten downstream lives or man-made structures.

If any of the impoundments meet any of the above criteria, the applicant will be required to obtain written authorization from MDEQ, Dam Safety Division before coverage will be granted under the Mining General Permit.

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gathered and evaluated the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

  
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Authorized Signature<sup>1</sup>

07/15/2022  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Ken McCarley  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

Director/Compliance & Safety  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

<sup>1</sup>This application shall be signed according to the General Permit, Act 15, T-4 as follows:

- For a corporation, by a responsible corporate officer.
- For a partnership, by a general partner.
- For a sole proprietorship, by the proprietor.
- For a municipal, state or other public facility, by either a principal executive officer, the mayor, or ranking elected official.
- Duly Authorized Representative

Please submit this form to: Chief, Environmental Permits Division  
MDEQ, Office of Pollution Control  
P.O. Box 2261  
Jackson, Mississippi 39225

# *Hammett Gravel Company, Inc.*

PHONE 662-834-1867

SINCE 1941

P.O. DRAWER 209

*Lexington, Mississippi*

39095

July 18, 2022

Chief, Environmental Permits Division  
Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality  
Post Office Box 2261  
Jackson, Mississippi 39225-2261

REFERENCE: STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN (SWPPP)  
MINING NOTICE OF INTENT (MNOI)  
CRUSHER MINE  
SOUTH HARMONY ROAD  
COPIAH COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a SWPPP and MNOI for Hammett Gravel Company's Crusher Mine in Copiah County. If you need an electronic copy of the SWPPP or the MNOI let me know and I'll be glad to send to you. Should you have questions or require additional information, please contact me at (601) 955-4791.

Sincerely,



Ken McCarley, RPG  
Hammett Gravel Company, Inc.  
Director/Compliance & Safety

Enclosure

**RECEIVED**  
JUL 18 2022  
DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



**Michael Watson**  
SECRETARY OF STATE

Office of the Secretary of State  
Jackson, Mississippi

### Certificate of Good Standing

I, MICHAEL WATSON, Secretary of State of the State of Mississippi, and as such, the legal custodian of the records as required by the laws of Mississippi, to be filed in my office, do hereby certify:

That on the 31st day of December, 1956, the State of Mississippi issued a Charter/Certificate of Authority to:

**HAMMETT GRAVEL COMPANY, INC.**

That the state of incorporation is Mississippi.

That the period of duration is perpetual.

That according to the records of this office, Articles of Dissolution or a Certificate of Withdrawal have not been filed.

That according to the records of this office, a current Annual Report has been delivered to the Office of the Secretary of State.

I further certify that all fees, taxes and penalties owed to this state, as reflected in the records of the Secretary of State, have been paid and that the corporation is in existence or has authority to transact business in Mississippi.

That insofar as the records of this office are concerned, the said HAMMETT GRAVEL COMPANY, INC. is in good standing at this time.

Given under my hand and seal of office  
the 3rd day of May, 2021

*Michael Watson*

Certificate Number: CN21109879

Verify this certificate online at <http://corp.sos.ms.gov/corpconv/verifycertificate.aspx>



MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

**MINING NOTICE OF INTENT (MNOI)  
FOR COVERAGE UNDER  
MINING STORM WATER, DEWATERING AND NO DISCHARGE  
GENERAL PERMIT MSR32 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number to be assigned by State)**

**File at least 30 days prior to the commencement of mining; 15 days if a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) is already on file and mine dewatering is not proposed. Lateral expansion of an existing mine that has general permit coverage requires the submittal of the Major Modification Form, not a new MNOI. However, modification of the existing SWPPP to include the expansion is required. Discharge of storm water or impounded water associated with mining or the operation of a wastewater recirculation system with no discharge without written notification of coverage from MDEQ is a violation of State Law.**

**If the company seeking coverage is a corporation, a limited liability company, a partnership, or a business trust, attach proof of its registration with the Mississippi Secretary of State and/or its Certificate of Good Standing. This registration or Certificate of Good Standing must be dated within twelve (12) months of the date of the submittal of this coverage form. Coverage will be issued in the company name as it is registered with the Mississippi Secretary of State.**

**Please indicate the activities to be covered by this MNOI (check all that apply).**

- Storm Water Discharges Associated with Mining       Mine Dewatering  
 Wastewater Recirculation System with No Discharge

**The appropriate section of the MNOI must be completed if the applicant proposes to discharge storm water, discharge impounded mine water (dewatering) and/or operate a wastewater recirculation system with no discharge.**

**A site-specific Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) developed in accordance with ACT5 of the General Permit and a United States Geological Survey (USGS) quadrangle map or photocopy, indicating the site location and outfalls must be included with the MNOI submittal. The name of the quadrangle map must be shown on all copies. Quadrangle maps can be obtained from the MDEQ, Office of Geology at 601-961-5523. Additional submittals may include the following (check all that apply).**

- Section 404 Documentation       Notice of Exempt Operations Form  
 Dam/Reservoir Safety Permit or Written Authorization

**ALL INFORMATION MUST BE COMPLETED (indicate "N/A" where not applicable)**