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July 25, 2012

CYPRUS AMAX MINERALS COMPANY **BARBARA K NIELSEN** 333 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE PHOENIX, AZ 85004

RE: Approval for coverage under Ohio EPA General Permit: OHC000003 STORM WATER ASSOCIATED WITH CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY



Dear Applicant:

The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency has received a Notice of Intent (NOI) for coverage under the above referenced general permit for:

Facility Name: CYPRUS AMAX MINERALS COMPANY, INC Facility Street / Location: **COUNTY ROAD 74 (GOULD ROAD)**

County: **JEFFERSON**

City(ies) and Township(s): 4 MILES SOUTH OF STEUBENVILLE; CROSS CREEK TOWNSHIP

Ohio EPA Facility Permit Number: 0GC01828*AG

This site/facility is approved for coverage under the above referenced Ohio EPA construction general permit (CGP). You shall implement your Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWP3) which was approved on July 24, 2012. Please use your Ohio EPA facility permit number in all future correspondences. Please familiarize yourself with your permit and approved SWP3. The permit contains requirements and prohibitions with which you must comply. Coverage remains in effect until a renewal general permit is issued and Ohio EPA has contacted you in writing instructing you to request continuing permit coverage.

Be aware that if more than one operator, as defined in the permit, will be engaged at a site, each operator shall seek coverage under the general permit. One operator shall submit an NOI and the additional operator(s) shall submit a Co-Permittee NOI. Co-Permittees are covered under the same facility permit number. There is no fee associated with the Co-Permittee NOI form.

Please be aware that this letter only authorizes discharges in accordance with the above referenced Storm Water Construction General Permit. The placement of fill into regulated waters of the state may require a 401 Water Quality Certification and/or Isolated Wetlands Permit from Ohio EPA. For further information on the 401/Isolated Wetlands Program please contact Mr. Jeff Boyles at: (614) 644-2012 or at: Jeffrey.Boyles@epa.state.oh.us. Also, a Permit-To-Install (PTI) is required for the construction of sanitary or industrial wastewater collection, conveyance, storage, treatment, or disposal facility; unless a specific exemption by rule exists. For more information on the PTI Program please contact the appropriate Division of Surface Water district office (the district within which the project is to be constructed) staff. Failure to obtain the required permits in advance is a violation of Ohio Revised Code 6111 and potentially subjects you to enforcement and civil penalties.

You may obtain additional information, copies of general permits and current forms/instructions from our web site at: http://www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/storm/stormform.aspx

If you have any further questions, you should contact one of the following:

OHC000003 (Statewide CGP)

Mike Joseph (614) 752-0782

michael.joseph@epa.state.oh.us

OHCD00001 (Big Darby CGP) and OHCO00001 (Olentangy Permit)

Jason Fyffe (614) 728-1793 jason.fyffe@epa.state.oh.us

Or by calling (614) 644-2001 and asking to speak with a member of the Storm Water Unit.

Sincerely,

Scott J. Nally Director

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