

PLANS:

Item 2: Please verify the vertical datum and identify the location of any associated benchmarks on the construction plans. Note that if the elevations shown are in NGVD 1929, it will also be required to include the site specific conversion factor to NAVD 1988 on the construction plans. [Section E, Part 2.1(b), ERP Application]

Response:

Please refer to the Survey dated November 23, 2022 and prepared by Rogers Engineering & Associates, Inc. and included within the revised Engineering Plans referencing the NAVD 1988 benchmark in Levy County and the two (2) field benchmarks placed on the two (2) existing 10-inch wells located on the property.

The following comment(s), although not required by District Rule, is(are) provided for your consideration and information:

Item 3: It appears that the material extracted as a result of the mining/borrow operation will be exported off-site. Chapter 378, F.S., requires the reclamation of lands disturbed by the operation of a borrow pit where the extracted materials will be used offsite for commercial, industrial or construction use. You are advised to contact DEP's Mining and Mitigation Program concerning the reclamation requirements. Mine operators are to provide to DEP either a conceptual Reclamation Plan or a Notice of intent to Mine or Mining Other Resources unless exempt by Section 378.804, F.S. [Subsection 1.3.5, ERP Applicant's Handbook (A.H.) Volume I.

Response:

Noted.

We trust the information provided is sufficient to complete the proposed environmental resource permit request, however, if you have any questions or require any additional information, please feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

Douglas VanDeursen

Douglas A. VanDeursen, P.E.

cc: Ryan Thomas, Owner (via. email: rbthomas75@gmail.com)

Attached:

- 1) Affidavit of Publication
- 2) Revised Engineering Plans