



**ROCKYDALE**  
QUARRIES CORPORATION

December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Development Service/Planning & Community Development  
1255 Franklin Street Suite 103  
Rocky Mount, VA 24151

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am submitting this Letter of Application on behalf of Rockydale Quarries Corporation, to amend our Special Use Permit, U94-01-05, as it pertains to our Jacks Mountain Quarry located in Franklin County. Our current hours of operation as stated in the Special Use Permit, show the hours to be Monday through Friday from 7:00am to 6:00pm and on Saturday from 7:00am to 3:00pm. Rockydale has operated since August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017 on a special exception extension of hours from 7:00am to 10:00pm, Monday through Saturday. This has enabled the Jacks Mountain Quarry to fulfill increased demands and as such are asking to permanently change our hours of operation for Monday through Thursday to 7:00am to 10:00pm. The Jacks Mountain Quarry will only perform blasting activities during daylight hours. Rockydale does not intend to utilize the extended hours on a consistent basis, rather the intent is to utilize these hours only as needed to meet demand.

The request for the special exception was due to the increased demand for our product by our customers, some of whom are doing VDOT work. In forecasting the expected business opportunities for the next several years, we anticipate needing additional hours of production. This expected demand for the next several years includes the new Summit View Business Park and ongoing VDOT road resurfacing and repairs. We feel that with the resurgence of the Smith Mountain Lake area and the progressive development initiatives that Franklin County has taken on, this growth will continue for many years to come.

We greatly appreciate your consideration of this request and will answer any questions you may have regarding this Letter of Application to amend the operating hours as specified in our current Special Use Permit.

Respectfully,



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