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Planning & Zoning Commission  
Town of Andover  
17 School Road  
Andover, Ct. 06232

Re: Application for Gravel Pit  
Map 33 block 36 Lot 23 and 24  
Johnathon Trumbull Highway  
Andover, Ct.

Dear Commissioners,

On behalf of the applicant William Genovese, I am requesting a 6 month extension to our Special Permit approval. The covid 19 pandemic has affected our ability to market the sand/gravel thus has greatly hindered our effort to complete the removal and restoration of the site.

A site inspection was attended by Jim Hallisey, Joe Wagner, Hank Gruner, and myself on April 15, 2021 at 3 pm.

We acknowledge the following issues that need to be addressed at the site noted at the field inspection:

1. The stump located at the southwest corner of the final phase need to be removed as soon as possible. The removal shall proceed from the east so as not to disturb the existing silt fence.
2. The western silt fence has a 20' long area where the graded stones piled adjacent to the fence have toppled over the fence. These stones need to be removed and the fence repaired.
3. There are 3 locations along the western fence where a 6" to 12" break has occurred. These areas need to be repaired.
4. Along the silt fence just south of the detention pond the stone and gravel pile has washed away leaving the silt fence vulnerable to being over topped with surface silt during rain events. This area needs to be repaired.
5. Upon the completion of grading of the back phase, a field meeting is to be held with the same attendees as the 4/15/21 meeting to discuss the restoration means and schedule.

The current schedule for removal is targeted at 5 months with the completion of all restoration within the 6 month time frame.

I would like to report at this time that items 2,3 & 4 were completed on Friday April 16, 2021. We anticipate the stumps will be completely removed within 3 weeks. The back phase will be graded and ready for the afore mentioned restoration meeting a week after the stump removal.

I invite anyone to call me at 860-345-7337. If you have any further comments.

Thank for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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