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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the Inyo County Planning Commission will hold a public hearing Wednesday May 26, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. to consider the following:

Amendment to Conditional Use Permit 1978-09; amendment to Reclamation Plan 78-02.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: In order to minimize the spread of the COVID-19 virus, Governor Newsom has issued Executive Orders that temporarily suspend certain requirements of the Brown Act. Please be advised that the Planning Commission will be conducting its hearing exclusively via videoconference by which Planning Commission Members and staff will be participating. The videoconference will be accessible to the public by computer, tablet or smartphone at https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82363071790?pwd=eDRaN21McjlGYnkvU0dlRzdkTG5BUT

You can also dial in by phone at 1-669-900-6833 and then enter Access Code: 052711. Public Comment may be provided by emailing the comments prior to the meeting. All emailed comments will be read into the record, and the Planning Commission will take that feedback into consideration as it deliberates. Please send comments to: inyoplanning@inyocounty.us

The applicant has applied for amendments to Conditional Use Permit (CUP)1978-09 and Mining Reclamation Plan 78-02 (Plan). The amendments are for a cinder mine located off Highway 395 south of Coso Junction. The proposed changes - include updating the mine's current plans for the completion of mining in the main quarry and extending the mining operations to the northeast away from US 395, in order to utilize the on-site cinder reserves. Approximately 10,714,286 cubic yards of material will be extracted from the site over a 100-year time span. A Mitigated Negative Declaration of Environmental Impact has been prepared and publicly noticed pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act.

Comments can be made regarding this project via U.S. Mail (PO Drawer L, Independence, CA 93526), Fax [(760) 878-0382], or by email (inyoplanning@inyocounty.us). If you have any questions, please contact the Planning Department at (760) 878-0263. Project materials are posted on the Planning Department website at: www.inyoplanning.org under "Current Projects."