

**RESOLUTION OF THE BURNET COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT REGARDING ITS OBJECTION TO THE
ISSUANCE OF A TCEQ AIR QUALITY STANDARDS PERMIT FOR A ROCK AND CONCRETE CRUSHER
FACILITY TO BE LOCATED AT 3221 FM 3509, BURNET COUNTY, TEXAS**

Whereas, The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has provided notice that an Air Quality Standards Permit application for a rock and concrete crusher facility at 3221 FM 3509 in Burnet County has been made (TCEQ permit #176835); and

Whereas, such application will comprise of a quarry operation to be located within a population area that will be negatively affected. Such area includes recreation and tourism locations, business locations, and natural resource locations; and

Whereas, a quarry operation negatively affects the health and safety of those in the immediate vicinity as pollutants and particles are emitted into the air, damaging air quality; and

Whereas, the proposed quarry operation will utilize groundwater located in a geographic area in which groundwater is limited, especially under drought conditions currently affecting Burnet County; and

Whereas, the proposed quarry operation will generate a large amount of heavy truck traffic in a general rural area, negatively affecting tourism to the business and recreation areas in the immediate vicinity, cause further air pollution as such vehicles move quarried material in the area, and deteriorate roadways; and

Whereas, the proposed quarry operation truck traffic will overwhelm existing roadways in the immediate vicinity and pose a safety risk to others operating on such roadways; and

Whereas, the Burnet County Commissioners Court wishes to express its deep concern to an approval of the applied Air Quality Standard Permit and wishes to ensure that TCEQ fully understands its opposition to this permit application.

NOW THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE BURNET COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT:

The Burnet County Commissioners Court is opposed to the issuance of an Air Quality Standards Permit for a rock and concrete crusher facility proposed to be located at 23221 FM 3509 in Burnet County (TCEQ permit #176835).

The Burnet County Commissioners Court authorizes any of its members to appear before any hearings of the TECQ, any hearings that may arise by the Texas Office of Administrative Hearings, or before other associated entities to convey its opposition to this specific permit application (TCEQ permit #176835).

APPROVED on this ____ day of _____, 2024.

Jim Luther, Pct. #3
Commissioner

Damon Beierle, Pct. #2
Commissioner

Billy Wall, Pct. #3
Commissioner

Joe Don Dockery, Pct. #4
Commissioner

James Oakley
County Judge

ATTEST:

Vicinta Stafford
Burnet County Clerk