

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

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MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

GARY C. RIKARD, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

June 20, 2019

Mr. Paul Gilman Plant Manager Tronox LLC PO Box 180 Hamilton, MS 39746

Dear Mr. Gilman:

Enclosed is Mississippi Surface Mining Permit P19-011, which grants you permission for surface mining operation in Monroe County.

The new format of this permit is similar to other permits issued by the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality and is designed to state the general provisions of the Surface Mining and Reclamation of Land statute (law) and the Mississippi Surface Mining and Reclamation Rules and Regulations (regulations), to list the operator's rights and obligations, and list both general and site-specific conditions of this permit. This permit document does not impose any new conditions that did not previously exist under the law and regulations.

You must place a sign (at least 2 feet by 4 feet) adjacent to the nearest public road, stating:

Tronox, LLC 40034 Tronox Road Hamilton, MS 39746

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Tronox SW Borrow Area

Sincerely,

Ron Porter

Assistant Division Director

Mining and Reclamation Division

Enclosure