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Neil Soltis
City of Scandia
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Re: Third Quarter Reclamation Report, Zavoral Mining and Reclamation Project

Dear Neil,

The purpose of this letter is to provide the City of Scandia with an update on the status of reclamation activities for the Zavoral Mining and Reclamation Project. The Project consists of the mining and reclamation of a 64-acre site (Zavoral Site or Site).

Status of Reclamation: Third Quarter

With the mining completed during the third quarter of 2016, reclamation activity focused on completing the final grading, seeding and mulching for the balance of the Site. Reclamation activity also included the establishment of access through the Site for the property owner.

In order to accommodate the potential subsequent use of the Site as a solar garden, a cover crop was seeded within the area designated as the "solar footprint". The balance of the Site was seeded with the specified prairie seed mix. In order to promote the stabilization of soils prior to vegetation establishment, mulch was crimped into the soil and some areas received additional erosion control protection measures such as silt logs and silt fence. Due to the intensity of some of the rain events experienced during the third quarter, some areas within the Site will require continued maintenance to ensure soil stabilization and vegetation establishment.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call. I may be reached at (763) 425-4191.

Sincerely,

Tiller Corporation

Christina Morrison
Land Use and Permitting Coordinator