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Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that (Strack Excavating or Heartland Materials) has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

Concordia Lutheran and 25 churches have a multi-million dollar investment that was made for current and future students. Right now it is a growing vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the longterm livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum openly <sup>and</sup> honestly.

Sincerely,

Lillian D. Vogel  
P.O. Box 24  
Fronwa, Mo. 63748

To the Land Reclamation Board

It is with deep concern to us that Struck Excavation & Heartland Materials have applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to Satory Lutheran High School. That is why we are writing to request a public hearing on the issue.

We are members of St Paul Lutheran Church in Jackson, Mo. one of 25 churches in the area who formed the ownership association for Satory. It is with deep honor that our few grandchildren are choosing to attend Satory Lutheran High School within the next few years. We are so concerned as to how these quarries would effect the whole livelihood of the school. Many individuals have given so generously of the estates for the support of Satory.

First of all the road that must be traveled to school is a very dangerous road and adding more truck traffic along with many teenage drivers would make it even more treacherous.

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Our grandchildren are very involved in sports and are already practicing on the fields next to Salony. Our concern is how will all the dust which is created by these quarries effect the health of all children in the area that are involved in sporting events at Salony.

We request that you give Salony Luthuan High School a public hearing so that we can more fully explain the concern that this quarry would have on the future livelihood of this institution.

Sincerely

Ray & Julie Meyer  
6946 U.S. Highway 61  
Jackson, Ma  
63755

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Kathy Schlichting  
233 Lakewood Drive  
Frohna, MO 63748

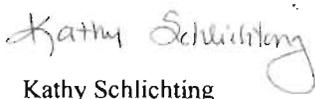
To the Land Reclamation Board;

I'm writing out of concern about the (Strack Excavating or Heartland Materials) quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My grandson is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Kathy Schlichting

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November 4, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Pocahontas, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, and investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. We have a daughter that graduated from Saxony in 2008 and we were pleased with the location of the school. Even though it was fairly close to Interstate 55, it was still far enough away from I-55 that there was little traffic by the school and the surroundings were quiet, with little outside distractions to the students. There is already one dangerous spot for drivers leaving Saxony and turning left onto Highway 61 and with the quarries there would be increased traffic. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger. We have another daughter in elementary school and the traffic concerns, along with noise and dust from the quarries will be an issue when deciding between Saxony and Jackson R-2 public school when she reaches high school level. These are concerns we did not have when enrolling our oldest daughter there.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,

Kenyon + Mary Reisertrickler  
10435 U.S. HWY. 61  
Jackson, MO 63755

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing to voice my opposition to the *Strack Excavating* quarry that has applied for a permit to operate in the Fruitland community. I live on five acres of land adjoining Stacks' proposed quarry, and this situation affects me directly. I have many concerns regarding this permit.

- 1) My wife has Asthma, which puts her at serious risk in this situation. Because I know that fugitive dust cannot be completely controlled in every situation, I have grave concerns about how her health will be affected. Currently her Asthma is under control, but any extra irritants in the air could seriously affect her future health and daily quality of life. My home will be 30 feet from Stacks' proposed roadway in and out of his quarry. Also my home will be less than a hundred feet from his proposed quarry.
- 2) I have 19 grandchildren that come to visit me. As you know, my property is right next to Stracks' proposed quarry. This puts my grandchildren at risk because of the big trucks that will be driving right beside my yard where they play. Also from the blasting that Strack will do.
- 3) I have a private well on my property. I'm very concerned about the risk to my water supply. I understand that mining in a Karst type geography is unpredictable at best. My family depends on a safe and steady water supply. I urge you to study the potential affects to people like me very carefully, before granting this permit.
- 4) My home is an earth contact home. The majority of my home is underground. I am concerned about the basting so close to my home. I am fearful that the blasting will cause my concrete walls to crack and leak. In this case it would cause my home to be unlivable.

As a citizen with a right to protect my safety, health and livelihood, I adamantly oppose this Quarry. I respectfully ask that an informal public hearing take place to discuss these issues. I also request that a formal courtroom hearing be granted so that further evidence could be presented to the Land Reclamation Board.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Anthony G. Sample  
211 Computer Dr  
Jackson, MO 63755  
(573)243-1635

**Zeaman, Bill**

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**From:** Larsen, Mike  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 08, 2010 8:08 AM  
**To:** Zeaman, Bill  
**Subject:** FW: Strack Excavation Quarry Permit  
**Attachments:** Doc1.doc

Mike Larsen, Staff Director  
Land Reclamation Program  
Division of Environmental Quality  
Missouri Department of Natural Resources  
(573) 751-4041  
mike.larsen@dnr.mo.gov

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**From:** Tony Sample [mailto:tgsample@mynutel.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 07, 2010 5:06 PM  
**To:** Larsen, Mike  
**Subject:** Strack Excavation Quarry Permit

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To The Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My brother is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

1. Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
2. I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
3. I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school. Which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



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To The Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My son is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

1. Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
2. I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
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I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Wayne Koenig  
Mary Koenig

Wayne + Mary Koenig  
3311 P.L.R. 316  
Perryville, Mo. 63775

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about ~~Stark~~ Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Dorney Lutheran High School. My granddaughter is a student at Dorney and that is why the situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons.

1. Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my granddaughter and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows consistently. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both students and visitors.
2. I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seem like a worst case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
3. I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association members churches have a multimillion dollar investment in the school which just last year went through another \$1.1M addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Dorney making our considerable investment a presumer to our location.

I respectfully ask that Dorney Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding the proposed quarry adjacent to our school grounds. Currently there are just too many unanswered questions or concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Norma Kuesing  
793 Windy Hill Ln.  
Perryville Mo 63775

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RE STRACK EXCAVATING  
P O BOX 176  
JEFFERSON CITY MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board:

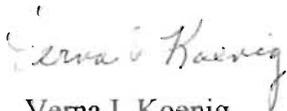
It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Salem Lutheran Church in Farrar, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. I am also a grandparent of two future Saxony students. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now, we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops, and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for, and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Verna I. Koenig  
2917 PCR 350  
Perryville, MO 63775

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Daxony Lutheran High School. My granddaughter is a student at Daxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons.

1. Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my granddaughter and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outdoors. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
2. I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seem like a worse-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that would exist given those unique circumstances.
3. I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. The quarry may very well deter future students from attending Daxony, making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Daxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to our school grounds. There are just too many unanswered questions and concerns.

Sincerely,

Eubie Koenig

793 Windy Hill Ln.

Perryville, Mo 63775

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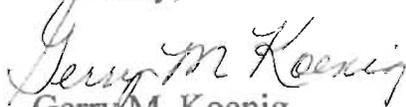
It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very closed to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Salem Lutheran Church, Farrar, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now, we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Gerry M. Koenig

654 PCR 332

Perryville, MO 63775

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November 4, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Salem Lutheran Church, Farrar, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now, we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

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Paul A. Koenig  
654 PCR 332  
Perryville, MO 63775

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It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the livelihood of our school.

I am member of Zion Lutheran Church, Longtown, MO, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have the chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

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I am member of Zion Lutheran Church, Longtown, MO, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have the chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,

*Eric and Theresa Boyfield*

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It has come to my attention that Strach Ekw. has applied for a Permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saryn Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Christ Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership/association for Saryn. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a Permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the presence of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saryn. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this Permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any

Decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxon High School hearing about this Permit so that all areas of its Potential impact can be discussed in a Public forum, openly and honestly

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Sincerely  
Robert P. Wilson

RR1 Box 93

Marion, Mo 63655

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November 17, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My granddaughter and grandson are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my students and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
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I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Harlan Perr  
1530 Woodland Drive  
Jackson, MO 63755

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November 10, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board

We have become aware that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. We are writing because we are very concerned about this situation and the negative impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of our school.

We are members of St. Andrew Lutheran Church , one of 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. Our concern is for the future livelihood of our school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our school grounds.

Our congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, we fear that the school's future may be impaired irreparably by this proposed development. At present, we are a growing, vibrant school; but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from attending Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood will look more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for so we believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. We respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Thank you very much for your consideration,.

Sincerely,


Melvin and Doris Schmidt  
608 Chesley Drive  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63703-7510

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I am writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My cousins, Brandon and Brianna Lueders are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

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Sincerely,



Melody Hamm  
7914 Main Street  
Altenburg, MO 63732

November 1, 2010

Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

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Sincerely,



Shannon Mueller  
2045 PCR 520  
Perryville MO 63775

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P.O. Box 176

Jefferson City, Mo. 65102

Re: Strack Excavating

To Whom It May Concern:

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am extremely concerned about the impact this would have on the school and surrounding community.

As an employee of Saxony High School I feel like I have very valid concerns. I fear that allowing this quarry could jeopardize my job. Saxony is not a public school, therefore, the students here are not obligated to come here because they live in the district. We are a private high school. The families of our students pay tuition for their children to attend school here. If the parents fear for the safety of their children because of the dust and traffic, why would they want to pay for them to attend this school. If enrollment drops low enough the school can not operate.

Given the current state of our economy it is challenging enough for parents to be able to send their children here. I am afraid that having the quarry would be enough to sway them to send their children elsewhere. Losing the school would have a major impact on the lives of many people.

Our school has been here for almost 7 years, long before the thoughts of a quarry. Please allow us the opportunity to explain our feelings in a public hearing.

Respectfully,



Amelia Mansfield

982 County Road 651

Cape Girardeau, Mo. 63701

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November 3, 2010

Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

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Sincerely,



Reid and Priscilla Mabuice  
590 Cadmium Lane  
Cape Girardeau MO 63701

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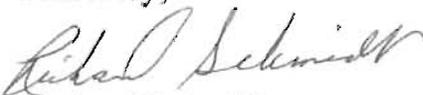
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Sincerely,



Richard Schmidt

469 PCR 328

Perryville, MO 63775

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November 17, 2010

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Sincerely,



Lavanda Perr  
1530 Woodland Drive  
Jackson, MO 63755

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November 13, 2010

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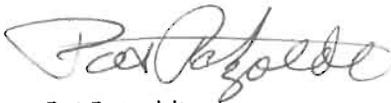
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I am a member of Concordia Lutheran Church in Frohna, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

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Sincerely,



Pat Petzoldt  
293 Lakewood Dr.  
Frohna, MO 63748

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## Letter from a Congregation Member with no family member at Saxony:

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Sincerely,

*Ruby Eicklon*  
(your name, address, etc.)  
110 Helen St.  
Chaffee, Mo  
63740

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November 4, 2010

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Sincerely,



Lisa Kaempfe  
1738 PCR 336  
Frohna, MO 63748

**To Whom It May Concern:**

**I am writing this letter to express our concern about the possible quarry which wants to locate to the north of Saxony Lutheran School in Fruitland, Missouri.**

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**Sincerely,**

**Kenneth Volkerding**

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**Sincerely,**

**Rebecca Volkerding**

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November 6, 2010

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To the Land Reclamation Board of the State of Missouri

As a pastor of two association congregations of Saxony Lutheran High School and as a parent of a past graduate and a current student of Saxony Lutheran High School, I am writing to you out of great concern for the Strack Excavating quarry, which I understand to be applying for permits to operate an open quarry next to the campus of Saxony High School. As a parent I am concerned for the health and safety of my own son, and as a pastor I am also concerned about the health and safety of all the sons and daughters of our 2 congregations that I have encouraged to attend Saxony.

My concerns center on the following points.

1. The health and safety of our students: Quarries generate a lot of dust. Because of the nearness of these quarries to Saxony grounds, where outdoor sports and social activities and outdoor physical education classes are held, I am concerned that the dust generated from the mine, which is breathed into the lungs of students, will present a health hazard to our students and also to any visiting sports teams that may be playing on Saxony's campus. Quarries also generate a lot of heavy industrial traffic. All of that traffic will exit the mine on U.S. Highway 61, where all of our students must enter into Saxony. I fear for the possible accidents that could take place, with the brunt of the injuries being sustained by the students in smaller vehicles than by the quarries large trucks. I am also concerned that the heavy industrial traffic could create further hazards by jamming traffic when events are held at Saxony.

2. The future of Saxony Lutheran High School. Quarries must blast to obtain their products. I am concerned that blasting so close to the structure of Saxony may cause damage to Saxony's buildings. I am also concerned that the dust generated may also over time bring harm to Saxony's building. Saxony has a beautiful campus that is attractive and peaceful. A quarry right next to Saxony will detract (if not destroy) that beauty and peace. This could have a two-fold affect on Saxony. First, it may deter some parents and students from choosing Saxony High School, thus jeopardizing future enrollment. Second, it will most certainly reduce the property value of Saxony's multi-million dollar facilities and campus, and should Saxony choose to relocate, make resale practically impossible.

Our congregations and compassionate individuals have invested millions of dollars in Saxony Lutheran High School because of the dream of a safe and beautiful place for our children to receive an excellent education in a religious atmosphere. I believe this mine threatens what we have long desired for our children and have finally achieved.

Please allow this letter to respectfully serve as a request for Saxony Lutheran High School to be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters of concern regarding the Strack Excavating quarry that has been proposed next to Saxony property.

Respectfully,

Rev. Roger Abernathy, pastor of Salem Lutheran Church, Farrar, MO. and Zion Lutheran Church, Crosstown, MO.

315 PCR 328

Farrar, MO. 63746

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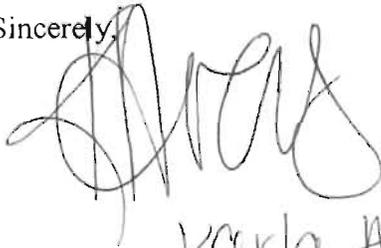
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Sincerely,



Karla Avers  
20 Stonebrook  
Highland IL 62240

To The Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102  
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Attention Board Members;

We are writing to your board because of our concern about the Stack Excavating quarry applying for a permit to operate a quarry adjacent to our Saxony Lutheran High School.

We will have eight (8) grandchildren plus many other nieces, nephews and friends attending Saxony Lutheran High School, near Fruitland and very near the proposed quarry site.

We are concerned for a number of reasons as follows:

1. Quarries are industrial sites therefore we are deeply concerned about the health of present students as well as all others of at least 200 students who will be enrolled during each of the school years ahead. Our Saxony School is located high on a beautiful setting where the wind will blow constantly, bringing dust to our campus. Numerous activities in our sports program are held outdoors. Surely you, as well as we, can imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the health of students, spectators and faculty.
2. We are extremely concerned about the students' safety. These students are inexperienced drivers, many having recently obtained their license. It seems a very dangerous scenario. Please give attention to the potential for serious accidents while many huge trucks will be on the same narrow road leading in and out of Saxony Drive. This is the same road that the quarry's trucks and many other trucks, hauling products from the quarry, will be using.
3. Our concern also, is that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. We, our church and many other congregations have a multi-million dollar investment in the school which recently added another \$1 million project to improve our school. Our school was built in 2004, years before there was any interest in a proposition for quarry industry. This quarry business may indeed deter future students from attending our special school of excellence in education.

We respectfully request that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and many other matters regarding the proposed quarry adjacent to the Saxony school property. We feel there are numerous unanswered questions concerning the quarry.

We thank you in advance for your consideration to our request.

Very Sincerely,

Concerned Grandparents and friends of Students at SLHS



Marvin and Aileen Petzoldt

7077 E. Main St.

General Delivery

Frohna, MO 73748

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Sincerely,



Katie Duvall  
9532 Sontag Lane  
St. Louis, MO 63123

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Jefferson City MO 65102

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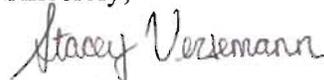
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Sincerely,



Stacey Versemann  
2010 Old St. Marys Road  
Perryville MO 63775

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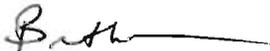
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Sincerely,



Brent Versemann  
2010 Old St. Marys Road  
Perryville MO 63775

November 7, 2010

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It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to Saxony Lutheran High School Campus. I am writing because I'm very concerned about the impact this would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Zion Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future of the school, if a quarry be granted a permit to operate to close to our school grounds.

My congregation, and all the association congregations, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students as well. Right now Saxony is a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school to close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one would be, would keep many students from attending Saxony, and then the growth would stop as the quarry became larger.

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Sincerely,  
Oleen Saffell

DEC 08 2010

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Connie Burroughs  
PO Box 28  
Frohna, MO 63748



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Sincerely,



Kristin Perr  
1730 Woodland Drive  
Jackson, MO 63755

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our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be  
granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters  
regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school  
grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered  
questions and concerns to go any further without one.

Thank you for your consideration

Sincerely

Arlan Steffens

252 P.C.R. 328

Farrar Mo 63746

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Land Reclamation Board  
P O Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

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RE: Strack Excavating

Dear Land Reclamation Board,

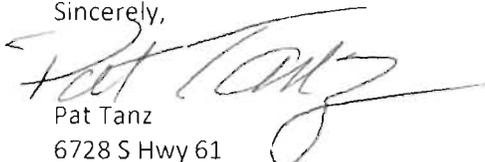
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I am a member of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church in Longtown, MO, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds. My children just missed the opportunity to attend Saxony but my grandsons are looking forward to the opportunity to attend Saxony Lutheran High School.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, has a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Pat Tanz  
6728 S Hwy 61  
Perryville, MO 63775

# STRACK EXCAVATING LIMITED

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

We are writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My daughter is a student at Saxony. She has exercise induced asthma. That is why this affects my family directly.

We are concerned for several reasons.

First, quarries are industrial sites that generate fine air particulate dust. This fine dust is not filtered well by the lungs. This will negatively affect the health of my daughter and every other student that participates in outside sports like she does in the spring and fall. Saxony sits on top of a hill and the wind blows constantly. Every north wind will bring the fine particulate dust right towards Saxony.

Second, we are concerned about the industrial traffic generated by the quarry combined with the teenage drivers. Trucks pulling out onto Hwy 67 at that site are going to be at a high risk for accidents. It is difficult to pull out at the gas stations now already and go south due to

a very limited sight distance.  
It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these circumstances.

Thirdly, We feel that the livability of the school may be jeopardized.  
Our church and 24 association churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school. Having a quarry so close to the school will deter future students from attending and will lower the property value of the school and all the surrounding houses. This will make our school a prisoner to its location.

We ~~respectfully~~ respectfully ask to be granted a hearing to discuss these concerns. Currently there are too many unanswered questions.

Thank you for your consideration  
Sincerely

Dan-Label Herrmann  
7093 St Hwy 66  
Jackson Mo 63755

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ALICE A. BIRK  
1036 COUNTY ROAD 341  
JACKSON, MO 63755  
573-243-4874  
November 7, 2010

Land Reclamation Board  
P O Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board:

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church, one of th 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds..

My grandson, who is a freshman at Saxony, has severe allergies; I am also very concerned about the effects all the dust will have on his health and ability to concentrate. He gets very sick when he is in a dust situation. I seriously doubt that he would be able to continue at Saxony if the quarry is granted a permit.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Alice A. Birk

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Land Reclamation Board,

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I am a member of Grace Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current & future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before

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P.S.

I am also concerned about the effect blasting would have on PWSO#1 wells & water lines located so close to the site. These wells, service over 2,400 homes. What happens if they <sup>are</sup> suddenly without water? Think about this before its too late.

Sincerely,  
 Earl Hacker  
~~Earl Hacker~~  
 Delores Hacker  
 Delores Hacker  
 81 PCR 409 Uniontown, MO 63783  
 Members of Grace  
 Lutheran Church  
 Uniontown, MO 63783

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Farrar Lutheran Church in Farrar, MO, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school and **my children's health and safety** should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, has a **multi-million dollar investment** in this school, an investment that was made **for current and future students, including my own four children**. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now God has richly blessed us to be a growing and vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony in the future. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here **long before** this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Mark Roth  
525 Omete Creek Ln  
Perryville, MO 63775

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October 31, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

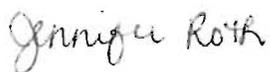
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I am a member of Farrar Lutheran Church in Farrar, MO, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school and **my children's health and safety** should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

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Our school was located here **long before** this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Jennifer Roth  
525 Omete Creek Ln  
Perryville, MO 63775

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Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Sapsy Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Concordia Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Sapsy. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposal.

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development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Sapony. Once this happens the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Sapony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,  
Erin Roth  
50 Birdsong Dr.  
Frohna, Mo 63748

**To Whom It May Concern:**

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**I am writing this letter to express our concern about the possible quarry which wants to locate to the north of Saxony Lutheran School in Fruitland, Missouri.**

**Many young people attend Saxony Lutheran School. I am very upset over all the traffic which would be potentially dangerous for the youthful drivers who attend the school.**

**I am also concerned about the pollution from the mining. To me it is hazardous for the health of the students and those around the school.**

**I am most concerned because the school is supported by our congregation. This is where our future pastors, teachers, and other church workers are being trained to follow the commission of Christ, "Go and tell . . .".**

**This is a very upsetting problem for the Missouri Synod, the 25 Lutheran churches in the area who support and send their youth to attend the school, and for all the Lutherans who have gone before and left money as well as for those who are currently supporting the school in word and deed.**

**Please do not let this group build the quarry.**

**Sincerely,**

**Kyle Volkerding**

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**Please do not let this group build the quarry.**

**Sincerely,**

**Allyson Volkerding**

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Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

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I am a member of the Salem Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Brad Mueller  
2045 PCR 520  
Perryville MO 63775

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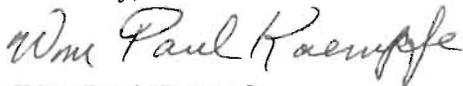
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Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I **respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit** so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Wm. Paul Kaempfe  
1845 PCR 336  
Frohna, MO 63748

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November 17, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My niece and nephew are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my students and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Travis Perr  
1730 Woodland Drive  
Jackson, MO 63755

November 4, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

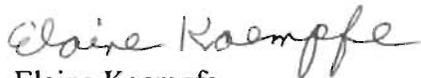
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Elaine Kaempfe  
1845 PCR 336  
Frohna, MO 63748

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I am writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My daughter is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my child and all other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the schools activities take place out of doors. I can only imagine the affect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health to both our students and visitors.
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- 4) I am also concerned about the noise generated by the quarry. As I understand it, hours of operation will be at the same time school is in session. The noise and vibrations that will occur during school hours will make it difficult for our students to learn. Not to mention the undue stress and anxiety it may well cause our young learners.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to our school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
Jayne Tiehes  
153 Timber Lane  
Jackson, MO. 63755



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LAND RECLAMATION BOARD  
RE STRACK EXCAVATING  
P O BOX 176  
JEFFERSON CITY MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board:

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I am a member of Salem Lutheran Church in Farrar, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. I am also a parent of two future Saxony students. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now, we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops, and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

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Sincerely,



Timothy L. Dreyer  
2913 PCR 350  
Perryville, MO 63775

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November 1, 2010

Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing in concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I a recent graduate of Saxony and I will have family members attending in the near future and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

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2. I am concerned about the student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with the inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
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Sincerely,



Kara Versemann  
881 Hwy U  
Perryville MO 63775

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the (Strack Excavating or Heartland Materials) quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My (daughter, son, granddaughter, grandson, niece, nephew, etc.) is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

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Sincerely,

(your name, address, etc.)

Willard and Glenda Hadler  
20537 Hwy C  
Perryville, MO. 63775

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November 15, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of St. Andrew Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony, and a past booster club president of Saxony Lutheran High School. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

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Sincerely,



Pamela L. Kluesner  
Mother of Two Alumni Students  
3039 Co Rd 316  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

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November 4, 2010

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Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,

Lillian Weber  
2096 State Hwy C  
Jackson, MO 63755

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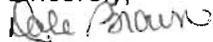
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Sincerely,



Dale and Betty Brown  
28051 Old Cape Rd  
McClure, IL 62957

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I am writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My wife's cousins, Brandon and Brianna Lueders are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

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Sincerely,

Jason Hamm  
7914 Main Street  
Altenburg, MO 63732



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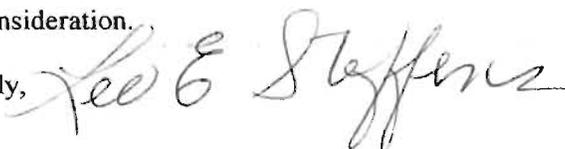
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Sincerely,



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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I am writing to you regarding the Strack Excavating Quarry which is currently applying for a permit to operate near Saxony High School. My wife and I currently do not have a child attending Saxony but next year our oldest daughter will enter her freshman year there, and there are several reasons why I am concerned.

First, with my occupation being a ~~glazier~~ glazier for a glass company I have been to several different quarries to install glass in heavy equipment (Tower Rock Stone, Brickley Stone, Mississippi Lime, Martin Marietta etc.)

I am concerned with the dust that will be created by the quarry. I know there are many things that can be done to control dust but there is no way you ~~can~~ can control it all. The dust is not healthy for people to breathe, and it is also very hard on the finishes of metal, of which our school has a considerable amount, and also vehicle finishes.

We are also very concerned with our daughters safety. With the increased traffic, and also the heavy truck traffic, and young inexperienced

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teenage drivers, it is not a good mix.

I also fear the future of our school might be jeopardized.

Our church, and the other 24 churches that support Saxony, have a multi million dollar investment in the school and land on which it sits. Having a quarry so close to our school, sure can't be good for our school and it might deter students from attending.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this quarry. There are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any ~~farther~~ further without one.

I thank you for your consideration and ask you, "Would you want a quarry next to your child's or grandchild's school?", I think not.

Sincerely,  
Brian Mueller  
Michelle Mueller  
117 Hwy AA  
Perryville Mo 63775  
Phone # 573-547-2575

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Land Reclamation Board,

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We are a member of Concordia Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. Our concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

Our congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that made for current and future students. However, we fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by the proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so we believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. We respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,

Dan & Kathy Schenker  
983 PCR 432  
Frohna, MO 63748

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Dear Sirs:

It has come to my attention that Strach Excavating or Heartland Materials has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the Campus of Dorsny Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Zion Lutheran Church at Pocahontas, Mo., one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership Association for Dorsny. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association have a multimillion dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably

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High School a hearing about this  
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Sincerely  
Mr. & Mrs. Dittman Starzinger

**To Whom It May Concern:**

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**I am writing this letter to express our concern about the possible quarry which wants to locate to the north of Saxony Lutheran School in Fruitland, Missouri.**

**Many young people attend Saxony Lutheran School. I am very upset over all the traffic which would be potentially dangerous for the youthful drivers who attend the school.**

**I am also concerned about the pollution from the mining. To me it is hazardous for the health of the students and those around the school.**

**I am most concerned because the school is supported by our congregation. This is where our future pastors, teachers, and other church workers are being trained to follow the commission of Christ, "Go and tell . . .".**

**This is a very upsetting problem for the Missouri Synod, the 25 Lutheran churches in the area who support and send their youth to attend the school, and for all the Lutherans who have gone before and left money as well as for those who are currently supporting the school in word and deed.**

**Please do not let this group build the quarry.**

**Sincerely,**

**Kent Volkerding**

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Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the livelihood of the school plus the possible damage blasting operation might have on our structure. Another concern is the sharing of the road of inexperienced drivers with heavy equipment at the same time. I think it is an accident waiting to happen.

I am a member of Trinity Lutheran Church of Shawneetown, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, has a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger. I am a grandparent and have several grandchildren and I would like to see them attend Saxony someday, but with quarries so close to the school, I will have to see what things look like when that day comes.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly. There are 25 churches and 10,000 members that are waiting to see what happens to the future of Saxony Lutheran High School.

Sincerely,

Jim Whaley  
10952 U.S. Hwy. 61  
Jackson, Mo. 63755

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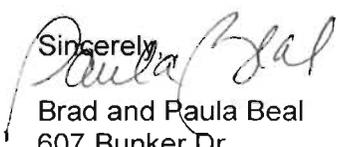
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Sincerely,

  
Brad and Paula Beal  
607 Bunker Dr  
Jackson, MO 63755

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November 3, 2010

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Sincerely,

  
Leon Laurentius

316 Elm

Jackson, MO 637655

Grandparent of a Saxony Lutheran High School Student

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November 4, 2010

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Sincerely,

*Jessica Ruedel*  
1824 Scott Street  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

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Helen Laurentius

316 Elm

Jackson, MO 637655

Grandparent of a Saxony Lutheran High School Student

Land Reclamation Board,

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Sincerely,  
Mr. + Mrs. Vernon Steffens  
10162 Hwy. D  
Frohna, Mo. 63748

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Sincerely,

Nelson Roth

58 Birdwing Dr.

Trobro, Mo. 63748

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November 17, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My niece and nephew are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

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Sincerely,



Kimberly Perr  
1530 Woodland Drive  
Jackson, MO 63755

December 2, 2010

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To the Missouri Land Reclamation Commission:

*I am writing to request a public hearing on the quarry being proposed by Strack Excavating in Fruitland, Missouri. I am very concerned about the health and safety of the students of Saxony Lutheran High School should this quarry be allowed to locate on the adjoining area, directly North of this school.*

*As it relates to health, several of our area students have asthma and my research shows that quarry dust is extremely detrimental to children with this condition. This dust would pose a health risk not just for Saxony students but Jackson R2 North Elementary, and numerous Day Cares also. I know that there are several adults/children in our neighborhood that have respiratory problems.*

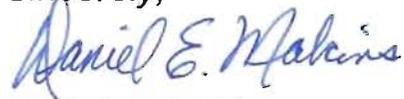
*I am very concerned about the heavy truck traffic which is standard at any quarry like the one being proposed. Common sense suggests that mixing this kind of heavy industrial traffic, in addition to P&G and Nordinia employee traffic, and several Trucking companies in this area, is a recipe for disaster.*

*I live about 1/4 mile (approx 1200 feet) from this proposed quarry and I believe Strack Excavating would be very detrimental for our area residences, the headwaters of Hubble Creek, air quality, and possible damage to our Public Water Supply District #1 Wells. There are two of these wells inside 2 miles of the proposed site. We are not resting well with the suggestion that; the blasting "won't bother septic tanks in our area or damage our houses." There is just too much at risk. The thought of allowing ANY quarries in this heavily populated area is utterly absurd!!*

*I know that I am just one voice but there are many others that deserve to be heard. A public hearing is the best way to allow that to happen. I would also request a formal courtroom hearing.*

*Thank you for your consideration.*

*Sincerely,*



Daniel E. Makins

226 Eli Drive

Jackson, MO 63755

(573) 243-4393

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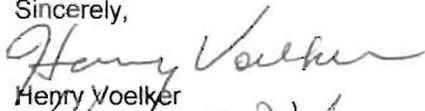
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We are members of Concordia Lutheran Church, one the the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony High School. Our concern is for the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate in such close proximity to our grounds. The health and safety of the students and faculty is also a concern.

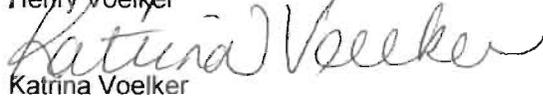
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Our school was located here long before the paperwork for the permit was filed. We believe that we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. We respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all of the potential impact can be discussed openly and honestly ia a public forum.

Sincerely,



Henry Voelker



Katrina Voelker

323 Vinyard St  
PO Box 93  
Frohna, MO 63748

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November 4, 2010

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I am a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Pocahontas, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, and investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Starzinger  
2372 State Hwy C  
Jackson, MO 63755

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November 13, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Concordia Lutheran Church in Frohna, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now, we are growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Stan Petzoldt  
293 Lakewood Dr.  
Frohna, MO 63748

P.O. Box 52  
Gordonville, MO 63752

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Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Christ Lutheran Church Gordonville Mo., one of 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony Lutheran High School. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to the school grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear the future of the school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from attending. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets larger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



John Renne

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December 1, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing to voice my opposition to the Strack Excavating quarry that has applied for a permit to operate in the Fruitland community. I live in the area and this situation affects me directly. I have many concerns regarding this permit.

I know that fugitive dust cannot be completely controlled in every situation, I have grave concerns about how my health will be affected.

I live in Fruitland and depend on the Public Water Supply for my family. Fruitland is a very populated area, and thousands depend on this supply daily. There are several public wells within a close proximity to the proposed quarry location. I urge you to complete the proper studies to determine how this could possibly effect out water supply in the future, especially considering the unpredictable Karst typography we live in.

I am also concerned about what a quarry in Fruitland will do to my property value and if the blasting from the quarry could potentially cause damage to the foundation of my home.

As a citizen with a right to protect my safety, health and livelihood, I adamantly oppose this quarry. I respectfully ask that a informal public hearing take place to discuss these issues. I also request that a formal courtroom hearing be granted so that further evidence could be presented to the Land Reclamation Board. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Charles Hughes  
110 Eli Drive  
Jackson, MO 63755

DEC 08 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I am writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My niece and nephew, Brandon and Brianna Lueders are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since the quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of the hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony....making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Ilmer Burroughs  
PO Box 28  
Frohna, MO 63748



DEC 08 2010

November 4, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Salem Lutheran Church, Farrar, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now, we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Karen Schmidt

469 PCR 328

Perryville, MO 63775

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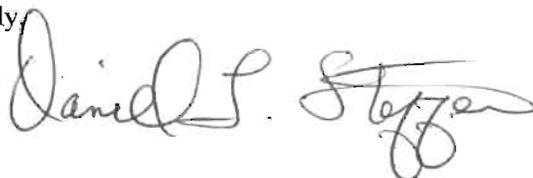
To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My daughter is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all other students at the school. As I understand, it quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative affect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
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- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which we have just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



DANIEL STEFFENS  
210 PINE HILL LN  
FROHNA MO 63748

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Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to our attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am concerned about this situation and the impact this would have to the livelihood of the school.

We are members of Grace Lutheran Church, Uniontown, Mo. one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. Our concern is about the future of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

Our congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. We fear that the future of our school may be harmed by this proposed development. This is a growing, vibrant school, but the school being so close to a dirty noisy quarry like this one will most likely keep many future students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth of this great high school will stop and the livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for,

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we believe that we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. We respectfully ask that you give Saxon Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely

Wm + Gail Linamen  
1940 County Rd 616  
Jackson, Mo.  
63755

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

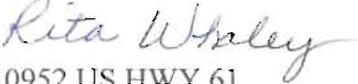
I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavation quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My niece is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. Also I am concerned that the quarry would have a negative impact on the livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Trinity Lutheran Church at Shawneetown, MO. My congregation, and all congregations in the association, has a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. I fear that the future of our school may be harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing school and I feel this development will keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony.

I am also concerned about the students' safety. The traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with the teenage drivers has the potential for accidents.

I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,

  
10952 US HWY 61  
Jackson, MO 63755

GLEN W. BIRK  
1036 COUNTY ROAD 341  
JACKSON, MO 63755  
573-243-4874

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November 7, 2010

Land Reclamation Board  
P O Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board:

I am concerned about the quarry permit application being made by Strack Excavating near Fruitland, Missouri.

The proposed quarry would be adjacent to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. Even under the best of management, quarries produce dust to the extent of being offensive to a school so near by. One of my Grandsons is in his first year at Saxony and has allergy problems severe enough that he can't be around many farming operations. I believe quarry dust would be very detrimental to his health and his learning experience. This would probably be true of some other students also.

Our school was well established at this location several years before this permit was applied for and I ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding the proposed quarry.

Sincerely,



Glen Birk

Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 174  
Jefferson City, Mo. 65102

Nov. 7, 2010

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Dear Sir,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the School.

I am a member of Good Shepherd Lutheran Chapel one of 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, growth stops and long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

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Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for, so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxon Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

I am also a resident of this area which also has 3 churches nearby plus an Elementary School, and Day Care Centers. There are also a number of businesses in this area.

Sincerely,

Ruth Ann Bordenfer  
532 Wellington Ave.  
Jackson, Mo. 63255

P.O. Box 52  
Gordonville, MO 63752

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Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.

I am a member of Christ Lutheran Church Gordonville Mo., one of 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony Lutheran High School. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to the school grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear the future of the school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from attending. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets larger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Mary Renne

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November 3, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My son is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside, such as my son's soccer games for the Saxony Crusaders. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my son's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Laura Klinkhardt  
800 N. West Lane  
Jackson, MO 63755  
Parent of a Saxony Lutheran High School Student

November 7, 2010

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Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to Saxony Lutheran High School Campus. I am writing because I'm very concerned about the impact this would have on the ongoing ~~livelihood~~ of the school.

I am a member of Zion Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future of the school, if a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our school grounds.

My congregation, and all the association congregations, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students as well. Right now Saxony is a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one would be, would keep many students from attending Saxony, and then the growth would stop as the quarry became larger.

Saxony was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of the potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,  
Linda Holt  
1637 PCK 330  
Perryville, MO 63775

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I am writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My family members, Brandon and Brianna Lueders are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since the quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of the hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony....making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

*Sto A Lueders*  
4553 Hwy. A  
Uniontown, MO  
63783

DEC 08 2010

November 4, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I **am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.**

I am a member of Salem Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the **ownership association for Saxony.** My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. **However, I fear that the future of our school may be reparably harmed by this proposed development.** Right now we are growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. **Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.**

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to **explain our case more fully before any decisions are final.** I **respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit** so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Mark Kaempfe  
1738 PCR 336  
Frohna, MO 63748

November 1, 2010

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Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing in concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My daughter is a recent graduate of Saxony and I will have grandchildren attending in the near future and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

1. Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of the students. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only image the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
2. I am concerned about the student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with the inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
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I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Roger Versemann  
881 Hwy U  
Perryville MO 63775

December 6, 2010

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Land Reclamation Board,

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It has come to our attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. We are writing because we are most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school. We have two granddaughters who are planning to attend Saxony in the not too distant future.

We are members of St. Andrew Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. Our concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

Our congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, we fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so we believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. We respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,  
Wayne and Marilyn Steffans  
1530 Reilm Dr.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 6370

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November 4, 2010

Land Reclamation Board,

It has come to my attention that Strack Excavating has applied for a permit to operate a quarry very close to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am writing because I **am most concerned about this situation and the impact a quarry would have on the ongoing livelihood of the school.**

I am a member of Salem Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. **However, I fear that the future of our school may be reparably harmed by this proposed development.** Right now we are growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

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Sincerely,



Renee Kaempfe  
1845 PCR 336  
Frohna, MO 63748

DEC 08 2010

November 17, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My daughter and son are students at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my students and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
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I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Kristine Coe  
905 Eagle Drive  
Jackson, MO 63755

November 6, 2010

Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

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RE: quarry hearing

Dear Land Reclamation Board,

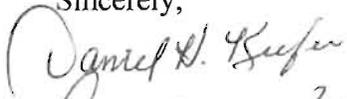
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We are members of Zion Lutheran Church, Longtown, Missouri, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association of Saxony. Our concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

Our congregations, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students, which will someday include our grandchildren. However, we fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so we believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. We respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,


Daniel H. Kiefer  
Darlene K. Kiefer

November 1, 2010

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Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City MO 65102

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Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Don Mueller  
2852 Hwy D  
Perryville MO 63775

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To the Land Reclamation Board,

I am writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My daughter is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my child and all other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the schools activities take place out of doors. I can only imagine the affect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health to both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church, along with the other 24 association churches have a multi million dollar investment in our school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony... making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.
- 4) I am also concerned about the noise generated by the quarry. As I understand it, hours of operation will be at the same time school is in session. The noise and vibrations that will occur during school hours will make it difficult for our students to learn. Not to mention the undue stress and anxiety it may well cause our young learners.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to our school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
Rick Tiehes  
153 Timber Lane  
Jackson, MO. 63755



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November 3, 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My son is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside, such as my son's soccer games for the Saxony Crusaders. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my son's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Gary Klinkhardt

800 N. West Lane

Jackson, MO 63755

Parent of a Saxony Lutheran High School Student

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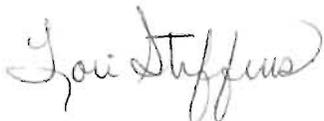
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- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my student and all other students at the school. As I understand, it quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative affect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
- 2) I am concerned about my student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
- 3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which we have just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Lori Steffens  
210 Pine Hill Lane  
Frohna MO 63748

November 1, 2010

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Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

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I am a member of the Salem Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future livelihood of the school should a quarry be granted a permit to operate so close to our grounds.

My congregation, and all congregations in the association, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students. However, I fear that the future of our school may be irreparably harmed by this proposed development. Right now we are a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school so close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one will most likely keep many students from choosing to attend Saxony. Once this happens, the growth stops and the long-term livelihood looks more bleak as each year passes and the quarry gets bigger and bigger.

Our school was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of its potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,



Alan Verseman  
121 Lost Creek Lane  
Frohna MO 63748

November 1, 2010

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Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City MO 65102

Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing in concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My daughter is a recent graduate of Saxony and I will have grandchildren attending in the near future and that is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

1. Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of the students. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outside. I can only image the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors.
2. I am concerned about the student's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with the inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
3. I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to the school grounds certainly does not bode well for a school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Karla Versemann  
881 Hwy U  
Perryville MO 63775

DEC 08 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. My wife is a teacher at Saxony and my son will attend Saxony in the future. That is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about the health of my wife and all the students, faculty and staff at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. My wife teaches physical education and health. Many of the activities she is involved in at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of all the students, teachers, staff and visitors. Not to mention the vehicle my wife drives and we try to keep clean out of respect for the talents the Good Lord has provided for us to be able to work and afford a nice vehicle.

2) I am concerned about my wife's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.

3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church (Concordia, Frohna) and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location and jeopardizing my wife's job.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Robert Birk  
75 Redbird Ln.  
Altenburg, MO 63732

DEC 08 2010

To the Land Reclamation Board,

I'm writing out of concern about the Strack Excavating quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. I am a teacher at Saxony and my son will attend Saxony in the future. That is why this situation affects me directly. I am concerned for several reasons:

1) Since quarries are industrial sites, I am concerned about my health and the health of all the students, faculty and staff at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. I teach physical education and health. Many of the activities I am involved in at the school take place outside. I can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of all the students, teachers, staff and visitors. Not to mention the vehicle I drive and we try to keep clean out of respect for the talents the Good Lord has provided for us to be able to work and afford a nice vehicle.

2) I am concerned about my safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.

3) I feel that the livelihood of the school may be jeopardized. Our church (Concordi, Frohna) and the other 24 association member churches have a multi-million dollar investment in the school, which just last year went through another \$1MM addition. Having a quarry so close to our school grounds certainly does not bode well for a new school which was built long before any quarry was proposed. This quarry may very well deter future students from attending Saxony...making our considerable investment a prisoner to our location and jeopardizing my job.

I respectfully ask that Saxony Lutheran High School be granted a hearing to discuss these and other matters regarding this proposed quarry adjacent to the school grounds. Currently, there are just too many unanswered questions and concerns to go any further without one. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Amy Birk  
75 Redbird Ln.  
Altenburg, MO 63732

November 7, 2010

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I am a member of Zion Lutheran Church, one of the 25 churches who together form the ownership association for Saxony. My concern is about the future of the school, if a quarry be granted a permit to operate to close to our school grounds.

My congregation, and all the association congregations, have a multi-million dollar investment in this school, an investment that was made for current and future students as well. Right now Saxony is a growing, vibrant school, but the perception of a school to close to a dusty, noisy industrial site like this one would be, would keep many students from attending Saxony, and then the growth would stop as the quarry became larger.

Saxony was located here long before this permit was applied for and so I believe we should have a chance to explain our case more fully before any decisions are final. I respectfully ask that you give Saxony Lutheran High School a hearing about this permit so that all areas of the potential impact can be discussed in a public forum, openly and honestly.

Sincerely,

Bill Helix

1657 PER 330 - Perryville MO 63775

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November 6, 2010

Land Reclamation Board  
P.O. Box 176  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

This letter is written out of concern about Strack Excavating Quarry currently applying for a permit to operate right next to the campus of Saxony Lutheran High School. Our grandson is a student at Saxony and that is why this situation affects us. Next year we will have another grandson attending there.

We are concerned for several reasons.

- 1) Since quarries are industrial sites, there is a concern about the health of our grandson(s) and all the other students at the school. As I understand it, quarries generate quite a lot of dust. Our school sits on top of a hill where the wind blows constantly. Many of the activities at the school take place outdoors. We can only imagine the negative effect the potential dust would have on the enjoyment and health of both our students and visitors. We also attend a number of student activities that are held outdoors (soccer, baseball, softball, etc.).
- 2) Another great concern is our grandson's safety. Industrial traffic generated by the proposed quarry combined with our inexperienced teenage drivers seems like a worst-case scenario. It seems that this situation should warrant a study relative to the potential for accidents that will exist given these unique circumstances.
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Sincerely,

  
Cletus and Ruby Steffens  
141 PCR 328  
Farrar, MO 63746



November 4, 2010

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LAND RECLAMATION BOARD  
RE STRACK EXCAVATING  
P O BOX 176  
JEFFERSON CITY MO 65102

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Sincerely,



Linda M. Dreyer  
2913 PCR 350  
Perryville, MO 63775