

June 17, 2024

MIKE BUSH PRESIDENT
LINWOOD MINING AND MINERAL CORPORATION
401 EAST FRONT ST
DAVENPORT IA 52804

**Re: Linwood Mining & Minerals Corporation, Davenport, IA (401 E Front St, Davenport, IA 52804)
Contaminated Sites Database ID No. 1853
Site Assessment Activities Extension Request**

Dear Mr. Bush:

This letter is in response to the [Site Assessment Activities Extension Request](#) for the Mine Stope at Linwood Mining Minerals located at 401 E. Front St., Davenport, Iowa that was received by the Iowa Department of Natural Resources, Solid Waste and Contaminated Sites Section (DNR) on June 12, 2024. In accordance with 567 IAC 133.4(3), which states that the site assessment should be conducted within a reasonable time, the extension is granted. Justification for the extension was presented and considered during an in-person meeting held June 11, 2024. Data was provided to conclude that additional time was necessary due to the complex nature of the site (including special consideration for complex geochemistry (and analyte identification), hydrology, and historic data).

It is the understanding of the Iowa DNR that a Site Assessment/Workplan will be submitted by December 31, 2024. This document will include those elements presented in the [Site Assessment Plan](#), those items requested in the [DNR review letter dated February 12, 2024](#), and a discussion of future steps including sampling the stope area. As a reminder, the full site conceptual model may be a collection of several assessment reports/addendums. Before a Remedial Action Plan is submitted (as referenced in [567 IAC 133](#)), a fully defined assessment should be accepted. Please contact me at [515-669-5494](tel:515-669-5494) or by email at shelly.nellesen@dnr.iowa.gov if you have questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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