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CITY OF RAPID CITY

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Steve Van Houten Rapid Construction 2783 Plant Street Rapid City, SD 57702

Dear Mr. Van Houten:

I am writing to inform you that at its October 2, 2007, meeting, the Rapid City Trenching Board voted to revoke your sewer and water contractor license for a period of one year. The Board's decision was unanimous with one member abstaining from the vote. No Right-to-Work permits will be issued to Rapid Construction for the one-year revocation period. Upon the expiration of the year revocation, you, or someone from your company, may apply to have your license reinstated. Rapid Construction will not be able to perform any work in Rapid City that requires a Right-to-Work permit. The City will continue to monitor the situation and should it be discovered that Rapid Construction is doing trenching work without a permit, or under a permit issued to another contractor, it could potentially lead to further action against you, Rapid Construction and the contractor who has obtained the permit.

You have ten (10) days from the date of this letter to appeal the decision of the Board to the City Council. Such appeal request must be in writing and should be submitted to the Public Works Department within the time allowed. Please feel free to contact me should you have any further questions or concerns about this matter.

Sincerely,

Dirk Jablonski, P.E. Public Works Director

cc:

Trenching Board Robert Ellis

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Rapid City Council

