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Appellant – 1506290 Alberta Ltd., **Operator** – 1506290 Alberta Ltd., **Location** – Prairie Creek near Rocky Mountain House in Clearwater County, **Type of Appeal** - Discontinuance

A Notice of Appeal was received on October 10, 12017 from 1506290 Alberta Ltd. with respect to the September 27, 2017 decision of the Director, Alberta Environment and Parks, to reject the Appellant's application for Surface Materials Lease 160061.

The Director rejected the application because Surface Materials Lease 160061 has been flagged for use as a public resource and is to be tendered. A protective notation on the land identifies a restriction of "no surface dispositions". The purpose of the notation is to ensure material is available for public work and states that additional surface material for sand and gravel are to be tendered.

In consultation with the parties, the Board scheduled a mediation meeting for December 4, 2017 in Edmonton. The appeal was not resolved at the December 4, 2017 mediation meeting and the Board requested dates for an oral hearing in May and June of 2018. As the Board was gathering dates, on December 12, 2017 the Appellant withdrew its appeal. The Board discontinued its proceedings and closed its file on March 2, 2018.

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