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## Public Notice of Application for Permit

PUBLIC NOTICE DATE: Jul 30, 2024

**EXPIRATION DATE:** Aug 14, 2024

REFERENCE NUMBER: POA-1985-00422

WATERWAY: Norton Sound

## \*\*\*PUBLIC NOTICE REVISION\*\*\*

On June 12, 2024, the Alaska District U.S. Army Corps of Engineers published a public notice for Department of the Army (DA) permit number POA-1985-00422, Norton Sound for a DA permit application from the City of Nome, to discharge 771,128 cubic yards of fill material into 12.3 acres of tidal waters to construct two (2) new pads which would create one final laydown pad structure in Norton Sound. Currently, the existing laydown pad for the quarry has 2.5 acres of operational surface area. All work would be performed in accordance with the enclosed plan (sheets 1-12), dated April 2024. The project site is located within Section 23, T. 12 S., R. 32 W.; centered at Latitude 64.4349° N., Longitude 165.0100° W., near Nome, Alaska.

The notice stated that the applicant's stated purpose is to increase the area needed to stage equipment and scales, sort, weigh, and stockpile rock materials for supplying projects with construction aggregate materials throughout the northwest region.

This information is correct but needs to be updated to supply interested parties with the most up to date information. The purpose should now read: The purpose is to increase the area needed to stage equipment and scales, sort, weigh, and stockpile rock materials for supplying projects with construction aggregate materials throughout the northwest region. Additionally, this proposed increase in laydown pad area may allow the quarry to operate for extended periods of time, dependent on demand. Currently, typical quarry operations are May 15 to October 15; the proposed project may allow future quarry operations to instead operate from April 15 to November 15.

All other information contained in the previous notice remains the same. Please bring this announcement to the attention of anyone you know who is or may be interested.

Please contact Tyler Marye at (907) 753-5778, toll free from within Alaska at (800) 478-2712, or by email at Tyler.J.Marye@usace.army.mil if further information is desired concerning this notice.

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