

**TOWN OF TAYCHEEDAH  
BOARD OF APPEALS  
SUMMIT QUARRY, LLC and EVENSON CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.  
CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT AMENDMENT  
JUNE 3, 2020  
TAYCHEEDAH TOWN HALL**

Present: Jerome Bord, John Buechel, Joe Sabel, Jason Meyer and Secretary Kris Marcoe. Absent: Tim Marcoe. Also present were few interested persons.

The purpose of the public hearing was to consider an amendment to the Conditional Use Permit issued to Summit Quarry, LLC and Evenson Construction Company, Inc., for the purpose of changing maximum holes permitted per blast.

The Secretary, Kris Marcoe tape recorded the hearing and took notes.

Jerome Bord called the public hearing to order at 5:30 p.m. The Secretary read the notice.

**Pat Strachan, representing Evenson Construction Company, Inc., was sworn in. His testimony was as follows:**

- Pat requested the maximum number of holes permitted per authorized blast be consistent with NEA's quarry operations. Currently Evenson is allowed a maximum of 35 blasts.
- Jay from Orica USA explained in detail the blasting is more precise and decreases vibration.
- The number of holes drilled and size will not change.
- There is no state ordinance regarding the number of holes allowed. The state allows .75 seismograph which the new caps all these frequencies to be better.

There was a question amongst the Board of Appeals as to the expiration of the current Permit. Pat Strachan informed the board he will keep the current expiration date May 10, 2026.

Jerome Bord declared the public hearing closed at 5:51 p.m.

Board of Appeals member's deliberation was as follows:

- Nothing else will change but the number of blasts.
- Understand the ability of being more precise & less shots needed

**Motion by John Buechel, second by Joe Sabel, to approve an amendment to the Conditional Use Permit as follows:**

- **The maximum of 140 holes is permitted per authorized blast**

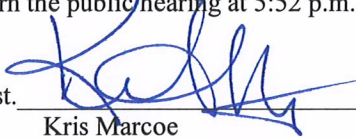
**Roll call vote:**

<b>Joe Sabel</b>	<b>aye</b>	<b>Jason Meyer</b>	<b>aye</b>
<b>Jerome Bord</b>	<b>aye</b>	<b>John Buechel</b>	<b>aye</b>

**Motion carried unanimously.**

Motion by John Buechel, second by Jason Meyer, to adjourn the public hearing at 5:52 p.m. Motion carried (4-0).

Attest.

  
Kris Marcoe  
Secretary