

**FRIENDSHIP QUARRY
ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
DEC 8th, 2009**

Attendance

Lafarge: Don Richards
CAC: Tony Williams, Gary Griffin
Flowery Branch: None

All issues discussed over the phone due to Hazel William's sickness and cold weather.

OPERATIONS

- 18 Employees
- Sales Open 6:30 AM – 4:30 PM (Mon-Fri) and by request on Sat.
- ER Snell been doing Night and Weekend Work On and Off

CHANGES TO SITE

- GA DOT submitted new design on Lafarge Entrance when Friendship Road is widened. Entrance will stay in approximately same area, but will have level entrance and a Traffic Control Light. No word on Project. Project still projected by DOT to start after 2010.
- Will be adding landscaped area on Blackjack and Swancey Road. Budgeted for 2010

BASIC ZONING CONDITIONS TO BE MET

- All current zoning conditions have been met with Flowery Branch.
- Formal CAC schedule will be given to FB City Planner and Council in Jan 10'
- 2009 Sound Study completed and to be submitted to FB for Review and Approval

FORMAL COMPLAINTS FROM FB - None

BEST PRACTICES

- Friendship Quarry recognized by Wildlife Habitat Council for having a Certified "Wild Life at Work Program" WHC Area defined will be old Head Property along Swancey Road. Will be installing Nature Trail (80%), Bird Houses, Example of Native Grasses and planting of Native Pine and Hard Wood Trees that promote wildlife.
- Nature Trail completed, Will be adding stairs and elevated walkway in 2010. Looking to add parking area and outdoor classroom.
- Planted 10,000 Pines, and 750 Hardwood Seedlings in the spring and winter months.
- Having to keep some light on the plant at night on due to security concerns – Security Cameras requiring some light to film.

- Quarry to sponsor Friendship Elementary – Teacher of the Year – May 2009
- Lafarge Friendship one of two operations in North America awarded the NSSGA 3 – Star Award for Overall Excellence (Community Relations, Environmental)

CAC:

- Flint to cut brush on land next to Jaunita Hardigree property, like we did several years back this summer
- Don met with Tony Williams to look at area by finger berm to see if we can improve the area and improve the drainage from our land to Hazels and where it drains back onto our land. Scheduled to do work when funding permits.
- Discussed lack of jobs and that gate will be closed most nights at 5:30 unless Asphalt plants are running. Lafarge will have limited maintenance staff till 1 AM (M-Th.)

2010 CAC Schedule

February	9th	2010	
April	13th	2010	
June	8th	2010	
August	10th	2010	
October	TBA	2010	Open House
December	14th	2010	