TMRA News and Information

Thank YOU for All You’re Doing During the COVID-19 Pandemic

As you continue to provide the vital mining materials that sustain the nation’s electricity and infrastructure demand during this unprecedented time, YOU are one of America’s silent heroes.

Designated as an essential industry, Texas mining underpins the efficient operation of our homes and businesses. The integrity of the industry’s broad supply chain – which includes construction, transportation, manufacturing and utilities – is absolutely critical during this uncertain chapter in our lives. Our industry is one of a very few that helps to guarantee that the comforts of everyday life remain intact during these unpredictable times.

I commend you for your continued efforts to provide the products and services that are helping Americans cope with the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic. We dare not imagine what it would be like for Americans sheltering at home right now to lack access to their phones, TVs, laptops, electrical appliances and utilities. As a result of your hard work, students are able to study from home, many of their parents are able to work from home and families have steady, reliable access to the multi-media channels that are keeping them entertained while they do their part to ‘socially distance’. All the while, you are helping to supply the resources that make it possible for our brave medical personnel to provide vital healthcare services during this pandemic.

We thank you for your work!

Although Krissy and I continue to abide by the CDC’s recommendations and work from our virtual offices, we remain at-the-ready to support you as you support your country. Please contact us at ches.blevins@tmra.com or krissy@tmra.com if you need anything at all.

Sincerely,
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Below are some of the resources that will provide guidance and help during the pandemic:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Texas Health and Human Services (HHS) Coronavirus Disease 2019

Office of the Texas Governor Coronavirus page

Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) Guidance on the Essential Critical Infrastructure Workforce

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Announces Enforcement Discretion Policy for COVID-10 Pandemic

Electricity Subsector Coordinating Council (ESCC): Electric Power Industry Closely Coordinating with Federal Partners

Association of American Railroads (AAR) COVID-19 Response

American Waterways Operators (AWO): Pandemic Information & Resources for the Towing Industry

U.S. Senate Committee on Small Business & Entrepreneurship: Paycheck Protection Program FAQs for Small Businesses