

ARIZONA MINING & INDUSTRY GET OUR SUPPORT

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Air Quality Division, Air Permits

Attn: Karla Murrieta 1110 W. Washington St. Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Ms. Murrieta,

On behalf of the 350-plus member companies of AMIGOS Trade Association, I write in support of the Copper World Project. AMIGOS stands for Arizona Mining Industry Gets Our Support and we are a collection of firms with one thing in common -- we are suppliers to Arizona mines. Our thousands of employees have good, high-paying jobs because of a vibrant mining industry in our state.

We not only support this mining project because of the good jobs it will create, we also understand the need to mine the minerals we cannot live without here at home. Copper is essential to our everyday lives and now, with the nation's emphasis on renewable energy for a sustainable future, copper is more vital than ever.

We encourage ADEQ to place a high priority on the Air Quality Permit needed by Copper World and we thank you for your work on it.

Sincerely,

AMIGOS

Sydney Hay

President