

PA Dirt, Gravel, and Low-Volume Road Maintenance Program Driving Surface Aggregate (DSA) Purchase Notification Form

This form is for Conservation Districts to provide notice to the PSU Center for Dirt and Gravel Road Studies (CDGRS) of upcoming DSA placement projects. The top portion of this form is to be completed and returned to dirtandgravel@psu.edu or fax: 814-863-6787.

CONTACTS	Entity	Person	Phone	E-mail
Cons. District:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Grant Recipient:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Quarry	_____	_____	_____	_____
Placement Cont.:	_____	_____	_____	_____

PLACEMENT DETAILS

Tons DSA to be placed: _____ tons Estimated Placement Date: _____
 Est. Total DSA Costs: \$ _____
 Placement Method: Motor-paver Other: _____
 Road Name(s) / #(s): _____

If the Center for Dirt and Gravel Road Studies is to perform DSA testing, the Conservation District must provide at least 30 days notification before expected placement. This will allow the Center to coordinate with the quarry and perform any quality control steps necessary prior to and during placement. This could include lab testing for plasticity index, gradation, proctor (for maximum dry density and optimum moisture content), LA Abrasion, pH, soundness, and field testing for moisture and compaction, as well as site visits during placement. If a Conservation District chooses to sample and test a DSA stockpile they should share the testing results with the Center to improve records statewide. This completed form is to be included with the certification from the quarry in the project file. Any entity producing DSA must obtain the components from a source or quarry that complies with the SCC DSA Standard and Specifications. **Quarries cannot be certified for DSA, only specific stockpiles of DSA can be certified.**



CENTER USE ONLY:

Date Notification Received: _____ Received by: _____
 Discussed with CD: YES / NO _____
 Discussed with Quarry: YES / NO _____
 Visited Quarry: YES / NO _____
 Testing Completed: YES / NO _____
 Tests Performed: PI __, Gradation __, Proctor __, LA Abrasion __, ph. __, Soundness __, Other _____
 Results reviewed with CD: YES / NO _____
 Results within SCC DSA spec: YES / NO _____

Completed By: _____ Date Completed: _____

