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Yes, yesterday afternoon.

I learned that combining samples into a "hybrid sample" for quality testing is an acceptable practice if the samples are all similar. Based on what she saw in the reports, my ODOT contact thought that the resource was likely gravel as opposed to hard rock. It makes sense that a gravel layer will be of similar origin, so samples from the multiple drill holes used to estimate quantity could well be similar.

If the county wanted confirmation of the supposition above, you could ask the applicant to provide a statement from the quality testing outfit about the similarity of the samples that were combined.

Thanks for checking back, Amanda



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Good afternoon Amanda!

I was wondering if you by any chance had received a response from your contact at ODOT, regarding the testing quality?

Thank you!

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