

This is a major story that must be read. It may be indicative of the practices of other oil/gas/ frac sand mining industries scattered throughout the mid-west and beyond.



*.....keeping watch on
the industry*

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Blasting at the Hi Crush Frac Sand Mine in the Town of Bridge Creek

(Reuters) - On July 7, the board of directors at Texas fracking sand supplier Hi-Crush granted nearly \$3 million in bonuses to four top executives, including \$1.35 million for CEO and founder Robert Rasmus...

Read all about it.....

<https://www.reuters.com/article/us-usa-oil-hicrush-deals-insight/how-a-texas-shale-suppliers-founders-made-fortunes-as-the-firm-failed-idUSKCN2591JE>

or it may be read at this site:

<https://www.usnews.com/news/top-news/articles/2020-08-13/how-a-texas-shale-suppliers-founders-made-fortunes-as-the-firm-failed>

**Most striking is the announcement of the players
in the scheme.**

**Thank you to the people who sent the various links
regarding this story. It truly indicates what has
been occurring in the industry. Thanks, too, to
Thomson-Reuters for creating transparency for
reading by the general public and governmental
officials who make decisions about who comes to
their communities to mine silica, process it, and
trans-load it to hydraulic fracturing sites around
the nation and beyond.**

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CHECK OUT THE WEBSITE: CCC-WIS.COM and for additional information, [click here](#) for panoramic aerial views of frac sand mines, processing plants, and trans-load facilities. FracTracker.org is also an excellent source of information.