

# Preliminary Report of Accident

U.S. Department of Labor  
Mine Safety and Health Administration



PR001 10/15/2020

<b>1. Accident Type</b> F - Fatal Injury		<b>2. Accident Classification</b> 12 - Powered Haulage		<b>3. Date/Time of Accident</b> 10/14/2020 12:50 PM		<b>4. Date/Time of Death</b> 10/14/2020 12:50 PM		<b>5. Fatal Case No</b> FAI-6847628-1					
<b>6. Mine Information</b>													
a) Mining Company Name:		Vulcan Construction Materials, LLC											
b) Mine Name:		COLUMBIA QUARRY											
c) Parent of Mining Company:		Vulcan Materials Company											
<b>7. Mine Location Information</b>						<b>8. Mine ID Number</b>		<b>9. Union</b>					
a) City Jacksonville		b) County Richland		c) State SC		38-00013		No					
<b>10. Primary Mineral Mined</b> Crushed & Broken Granite Mining				<b>11. Number of Employees</b>									
				a) Total 49		b) Underground		c) Open Pit/Quarry 9		d) Mill/Prep Plant 18		e) Other 22	
<b>12. Contractor Name</b>						<b>13. Contractor Union</b>		<b>14. Contractor ID Number</b>					
<b>15. Contractor Address</b>													
a) City		b) County			c) State			d) Zip Code					
<b>16. Number of Contractor Employees</b>													
a) Total		b) Underground			c) Open Pit/Quarry			d) Mill/Prep Plant		e) Other			
<b>17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident</b>					<b>18. Number of Persons Unaccounted for</b>								
a) Mine Employees 26		b) Contractor Employees			a) Mine Employees 0		b) Contractor Employees						
<b>19. Accident Location</b> 03 - Open Pit								<b>20. Mining Height</b>					
								Feet    Inches					
<b>21. Nonfatal Injuries</b>		<b>22. Fatal Injuries</b> 1											
<b>23. Victims Information</b>													
<b>Esau Belton</b>													
a) First Name Esau		a) MI	a) Last Name Belton		b) Age 61	c) Regular Job Title Leadman		d) Activity at Time of Accident Driving pickup truck on haul road		Employee Mine Employee			
<b>24. Mining Experience</b>													
a) Total Experience 17 Years 14 Weeks 3 Days			b) Experience at the Mine 17 Years 14 Weeks 3 Days			c) Experience at the Activity at the Time of the Accident 3 Years 34 Weeks 5 Days		d) Experience with Contractor 0 Years 0 Weeks 0 Days					
<b>25. Autopsy Performed</b> Yes		If Yes, Location Unknown											
<b>26. Mine Telephone No.</b> (803) 771-0090													
<b>27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status and recovery operations)</b> A lead person was killed when he was run over by a haul truck while he was driving his pickup truck.  <i>The information provided in this notice is based on preliminary data ONLY and does not represent final determination regarding the nature of the incident or conclusions regarding the cause of the accident.</i>													
<b>28. Equipment Manufacturer</b> Ford (Ford Motor Co.)					<b>29. Model</b> F150								
<b>30. District</b> M3000 - Birmingham District					<b>32. Field Office</b> M3851 - Columbia SC Field Office			<b>33. Event Number</b> 6847628					
<b>34. Accident Investigator</b>													
First Name Benjamin		MI		Last Name Adams									
<b>35. MSHA Person Notified</b>													
First Name Brian		MI		Last Name Thompson			Date/Time Notified 10/14/2020 1:13 PM						
<b>36. Type of Report</b> Initial		<b>37. Name of Preparer</b>			<b>Date Prepared</b>								
		Full Name Thomas J O'Donnell, Jr.			10/15/2020								
<b>38. Reason for Amendment</b>													