



Ed Clow will manage the the new Sandy Ready Mix batch plant.

Trading on reputation

Troutdale Sand and Gravel makes local commitment

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Ed Clow, new manager of Sandy Ready Mix, said he hopes the reputation of Troutdale Sand and Gravel will attract the attention of contractors in the Sandy and Hoodland area.

Craig Warnock, president of Troutdale Sand and Gravel Co., recently purchased the concrete mixing plant and 33,000-square-foot Sandy industrial park, which is nearly full.

Troutdale Sand and Gravel has been in business for over 40 years. "We feel the Sandy area has all the potential of the southwest side," Warnock said. "We feel it is a growth area and we want to be a part of that."

Warnock said Sandy has easy access to the airport, and it is a short drive to a MAX light-rail stop. The "east side" has the people, the land and the transportation facilities, he said.

"The work force is on the east side. When it comes time to build, people are going to come over here," Warnock said. "Albertson's found that out."

Albertson's Inc. is planning to build a \$70 million, 500,000-square-foot distribution center in Gresham that will employ 350 people.

The operation in Sandy will expand Troutdale Sand and Gravel's reach. Clow said there is a limitation to how far a company can haul concrete and still make a profit. By operating a plant in Sandy, they should be able to provide service to builders in Hoodland, Sandy and Estacada, Clow said.

"We have always had a high quality concrete," said Clow, who lives in Brightwood and has worked for the company since 1978. "We maintain that quality through testing."

Concrete is a combination of cement, sand and rock, with the mix varying according to the strength needed and the finish desired. Warnock called cement the "glue" that makes the sand and rock hold together.

The quality of the sand and rock used in the mix determines, in part, the quality of the concrete. Warnock called the mixing of concrete "an art."

Clow, who formerly drove a ce-

ment truck for the company, will manage the batch plant in Sandy. Three cement trucks will be stationed in Sandy and 11 at Troutdale. Dispatching will be done in Troutdale to ensure coordination for reliable delivery, Clow said. Troutdale Sand and Gravel has an experienced dispatcher in John Meyer, manager and vice president, Clow said.

Time is of the essence in delivering concrete for two reasons, Clow said. First of all, concrete should be poured while it is still fresh. Secondly, contractors sometimes schedule concrete work around other jobs and it is costly to have workers waiting for the cement truck.

With the purchase of Sandy Ready Mix, the company has decided to update its entire fleet with new radio equipment. The new radios — a \$50,000 commitment by the company — will allow them to maintain contact with drivers on Mount Hood and in low-lying areas.

Though Sandy Ready Mix and Troutdale Sand and Gravel are capable of handling some large jobs, they primarily service the

small contractor.

"During the recession, we struggled along with the rest of the small business owners," Clow said. Business has been "pretty good" the past year, and Clow said they look for it to stay good for a while.

"Our customers are our number one concern," Clow said. "We have had some call for this (a plant in Sandy). People need our mud."

Sandy Ready Mix was purchased from James Gordon at the first of the year. The Sandy industrial park was purchased from Joe Yoeger and other investors about the same time.

Warnock said he is new to managing industrial parks. The Sandy industrial park is comprised of three buildings on 15 acres. Tenants include two machine shops, a construction company and other businesses. There is one industrial parcel available. Included in the purchase was an office building, and there is office space for lease.

To order concrete, call central dispatch at 668-7411. The business is open from 6 a.m. till 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. most Saturdays.

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