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Permittee Name:	Varra Companies, Inc.	Permit Number:	M-1999-006
Operation Name:	Kurtz Resource Recovery & Land Development Project	County:	Weld
Annual Fee Due:	\$791.00	Anniversary Date:	August 4, 2015
Permit Acreage:	295.40	Current Bond Amt:	\$333,800.00

According to C.R.S. 34-32.5-116 or 34-32-116, each year, on the anniversary date of the permit, an operator shall submit the Annual Fee, an Annual Report and Map showing the extent of current disturbances to affected land, required monitoring information, reclamation accomplished to date and during the preceding year, any new disturbance that is anticipated to occur during the upcoming year, any reclamation that will be performed during the upcoming year, the dates for the beginning of active operations, and the date active operations ceased for the year.

Information contained in this report will be reviewed by the Division upon receipt and prior to the next compliance inspection of the site. If, while completing this report, you learn that your site is not in compliance with the rules and the act, it is advisable that the issues be rectified promptly to avoid possible enforcement action.

SUMMARY NARRATIVE: The permit was revised by Technical Revision as approved by the Colorado Office of Mined Land Reclamation (OMLR) on 20 November 2009. Extraction continues within Tract A, primarily within the existing basin limits.

There have been no changes to the extent or nature of plant and processing operations over Tract B. Construction of the conveyor system detailed under an OMLR Technical Revision as approved on 6 September 2011, has been completed and is in operation status since February 2013.

Tract C was opened following the OMLR approval of a Technical Revision on 23 August 2011. The 11.67± acre extraction limits were reached in 2012, and extraction at this Tract is completed. Final grading is nearing completion, pending backfill to 100 feet from existing well heads identified in the Technical Revision. Overall depth of the basin is approximately 30.0± feet along the west extent. No other grading or reclamation at Tract C or over the Kurtz permit area is anticipated at this time. A Technical Revision may be provided later in 2015-16 to provide for the lining of all basins at the Kurtz operation, commencing with Tract C.

1. Is the site identification sign posted in accordance with Rule 3.1.12(1). YES NO
2. Is the affected area boundary clearly marked in accordance with Rule 3.1.12(2). YES NO
3. Is the mine site in final reclamation (all material extraction and stockpile removal is complete)? YES NO
If "YES," please note time limits related to completion of reclamation, Rule 3.1.3.
4. What was the date of last excavation, processing or hauling activity at the mine? On going
5. Does the mine operate more than 180 days per year? YES NO
If "NO", please review Rule 1.13 to assure that your mine is in compliance.
6. Has this mine been granted: YES NO
a) approval of TEMPORARY CESSATION Status? YES NO
b) approval for INTERMITTENT OPERATION?
7. Number of acres currently affected (mining + incomplete and or unreleased reclamation). *see Note

*Note: With the exception of the opening of Tract C, and noting the release of our created wetland (see Item #9, below), the itemization of affected lands is detailed under the 2009 OMLR Technical Revision, related Maps and correlated spreadsheet. All references pertain to the areas and acres identified for each area shown at that time.

- 8. Number of acres that were newly affected during the current report year. - 0 -
- 9. Number of acres that were reclaimed during the current report year. - 0 -
- 10. Estimated new acreage to be affected in the next report year. - 0 -
- 11. Estimated acres to be reclaimed in the next report year. 2.4±

Of the 14.07± acres extracted at Tract C, apx. 2.4± acres surround the 11.67± of the inundated basin. Once the completion of backfilling and lining of the basin is accomplished (see Summary Narrative), the 2.4± acres surrounding the inundated basin can be soiled and revegetated. This timetable is dependent upon the prior completion of backfilling, final lining, and grading of the extracted basin.

12. **Total acres** in various stages of reclamation, since permitted mining activities began:

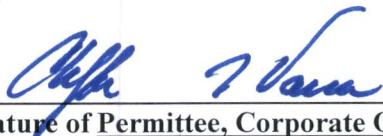
Total acres backfilled:	* See note, above.	Total acres seeded w/ approved mix:	* See note, above.	Total acres w/topsoil replaced:	* See note, above.	Total acres mulched w/ approved mulch:	N/A
Total acres graded:	* See note, above.	Total acres fertilized w/ apvd. fertilizer:	- 0 -	Topsoil replacement depth (in.):	6.0± inches	Mulch application rate (tons/ac):	N/A
Seed application method:	Will utilize both drill & broadcast as needed.	Fertilizer application method:	Broadcast if needed based upon soil testing.	Mulch application method:	Sterile hybrid wheatgrass application.		

- 13. Is weed control being conducted in accordance with an approved Weed Control Plan? YES NO N/A
If "YES", indicate the weed species, control area, control type, application rate and treatment date on the report map.
- 14. Is adequate topsoil reserved for reclamation, based on your approved permit? YES NO N/A
If "NO", please explain:
- 15. Is the reserved topsoil vegetated/stabilized in accordance with Rule 3.1.9(1)? YES NO N/A
If "NO" please explain:
- 16. If mining has exposed groundwater, is the site in compliance with the approved mining plan and Office of the State Engineer (Well Permit, S.W.S.P., and/or Permanent Augmentation Plan)? YES NO N/A
- 17. Are all hazardous materials stored within approved spill containment structures? YES NO N/A
- 18. Is your financial warranty value sufficient to cover the cost to complete reclamation? YES NO N/A
- 19. Is your basis for legal right to enter still valid? YES NO
- 20. Does your permit require you to submit monitoring information annually? YES NO N/A
If "Yes", please attach the required monitoring results to this Annual Report.
- 21. As required by Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Act and/or Colorado Land Reclamation Act for the Extraction of Construction Materials (C.R.S. 34-32-116 or 34-32.5-116), attach a map to this report that accurately depicts the permit boundary, current affected area boundary and location of the acreages specified in items 7- 12 and 14.
UPDATED MAP ATTACHED: Yes

Division records indicate the following permittee contact information. If this information is not current, please type or print **current** contact information:

Permittee Contact:	Christopher L. Varra	
Permittee Company:	Varra Companies, Inc.	
Address:	8120 Gage St. Frederick, CO 80516	
Phone Number:	(303) 666-6657	
Fax Number:		
Email Address:	CF.PR.email	

I, the undersigned, hereby state that the information provided in this report is true and accurate, and that site operations are being conducted in accordance with the Division approved mining and reclamation plans.



Signature of Permittee, Corporate Officer, Owner, or Documented Designee

7-30-15
Date

Varra Companies, Inc.

Office of Special Projects

8120 Gage Street Frederick, Colorado 80516 Telephone (970) 353-8310 Fax (970) 353-4047

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Subject: Annual Reports for:
M2010-049 Western Sugar Reclamation Land Development Project
Due 1 August; and,
M1999-006 Kurtz Resource Recovery & Land Development Project
Due 4 August.
M2013-064 Varra-Coulson Resource Project Due 28 August 2015

Enclosed, please find signed Annual Reports, and related maps, for the above operations. The \$791.00 Annual Report fee for each (check #40291 in the amount of \$2,373.00) is included with this correspondence. If you need clarification or additional information, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Varra Companies, Inc.



Bradford Janes, Forester
Liaison, Office of Special Projects

cc. Christopher L. Varra, President
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Enclosures: Annual Report and signed form.
Check (#40291) in the amount of \$1,582.00.

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7/29/2015	006-07/15	KURTZ RESOURCE RECOVERY & DEVELC	791.00	0.00	791.00
7/29/2015	049-07/15	M2010-049 P120 WESTERN SUGAR	791.00	0.00	791.00
7/29/2015	064-07/15	M2013-064 PIT 121 VARRA COULSON RES	791.00	0.00	791.00

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 FREDERICK, CO 80516
 (303) 666-6657

Great Western Bank
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7/30/2015
 DATE

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PAY TO THE ORDER OF
 CO Div of Reclamation, Mining
 1313 Sherman St Room 215
 Denver, CO 80203

 AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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July 1, 2015

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Kurtz Resource Recovery & Land Development Project, Permit M-1999-006, Annual Fee Invoice and Report Request

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY – ACTION REQUIRED

Please attach your COMPLETED written Annual Report and Annual Report Map to this form

Under the terms of your Reclamation Permit and Colorado Statutes, you must submit an Annual Fee and Annual Report (including a map). You must pay the Annual Fee and submit an Annual Report each year until reclamation responsibility release is granted. The Annual Fee is not a renewal fee. The Fee and Report are for LAST YEAR'S mining and reclamation season, and MUST be paid even if your operation was inactive.

The Annual Report and Fee requirement will be considered submitted when we have received the following components:

1. **APPROPRIATE ANNUAL FEE**
2. **COMPLETED ANNUAL REPORT**
3. **ASSOCIATED MAP as required by rule**

If you have requested reclamation responsibility release from the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety ("Division") but your permit is not released by the anniversary date listed below, the Annual Fee MUST be paid. If the permit is released before the anniversary date, then by Statute, it is not necessary to pay an Annual Fee or submit an Annual Report for that year.

Division records indicate the \$791.00 fee is due for the following:

Permit: M-1999-006
Operation Name: Kurtz Resource Recovery & Land Development Project
Anniversary Date: August 4, 2015
Total Fee Due: \$791.00 (Due on or before your Anniversary Date)

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If you have additional comments and/or information that should be provided to the Division, please provide it below or attach it to this form along with your written report and map. Annual Report instructions are enclosed. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Michelle Ramirez (303) 866-3567 ext 8114. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

IF THE ANNUAL FEE SUBMITTALS ARE NOT RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE YOUR ANNIVERSARY DATE, THE ENFORCEMENT PROCESS WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE INITIATED. ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS MAY RESULT IN CIVIL PENALTIES AND/OR REVOCATION OF YOUR PERMIT.

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Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety

Fee Receipt for M1999006

Varra Companies, Inc.

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Receipt #: 20018

Date: 08/04/2015

Permit: M1999006

Payment Method	Revenue Code	Fee Description/Notes	Amount
40291 SDT	4300-MAF0	Minerals Annual Fees M1999-006	\$791.00
Receipt Total:			\$791.00



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M-1999-006

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PROJECT: Kurtz Project - OMLR Permit M1999-006
DRAWING: Colorado Office of Mined Land Reclamation - 2015 Annual Report

NOTES: 2006 AERIAL AND CONTOUR INFORMATION

SCALE: 1 INCH = 200 FEET
DATE: 30 July 2015
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