



## COLORADO

Division of Reclamation,  
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 215  
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### Chronology of Investigation

To: Mined Land Reclamation Board

From: DRMS Staff

RE: Possible Violation for failure to protect areas outside of the affected land from slides or damages occurring during the mining operation. Sheehan Pit, Permit Number: M-2007-058.

The Chronology of Investigation in to this possible violation is as follows:

- July 8, 2015: DRMS staff inspected the Sheehan Pit. Several Problems were noted with the mine and reclamation plans as well as a possible violation for affecting lands outside the permit boundaries.
- July 23, 2015: DRMS mails inspection report
- July 24, 2015: DRMS issues a "Reason to Believe" letter for today's hearing
- August 3, 2015: Operator emails DRMS photo-documentation that some of the problems identified in the inspection report had been corrected.
- August 3, 2015: DRMS sends letter "Inspection Problem Abated"

Sincerely,

DRMS Staff

Cc: John Corson

