

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
ROYAL GORGE FIELD OFFICE  
3600 INSPECTION REPORT**

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DIVISION OF RECLAMATION  
MINING AND SAFETY

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) has conducted an inspection of the mining operation noted below. This report documents observations concerning compliance of the mining operation with the permit and regulations (43 CFR 3600 – Mineral Materials Disposal) of the Department of Interior. The report notes: 1) Areas of successful compliance; 2) Problems and suggested corrective actions and/ or 3) Potential violations to be considered enforcement action by the BLM. OPERATORS SHOULD READ THIS REPORT CAREFULLY BECAUSE IT MAY REQUIRE CORRECTIVE ACTION AND/ OR RESPONSES TO THE BLM IN ORDER TO AVOID CONSIDERATION OF POSSIBLE ENFORCEMENT ACTION.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

MINE NAME:	<u>T.H.E. Aggregate Source</u>
OPERATOR:	Tezak
MAIN COMMODITY:	Aggregate
TYPE OF OPERATION:	Quarry
COUNTY:	Fremont
LOCATION:	Just west of Canon City
INSPECTOR(S)/ OP. REP PRESENT:	S. Carter, R. DiLuzio
INSPECTION DATE:	2/16/2016
DATE OF COMPLAINT, if applicable:	n/a

BLM COC#:	74982
CDRMS PERMIT#:	M-1977-193
MSHA ID #:	<a href="#">Click here to enter text.</a>
CONTRACT ACRES/ AM'T/ LENGTH:	<a href="#">Click here to enter text.</a>
TIME OF DAY:	1:00 – 2:45
INSPECTION TYPE:	Standard Inspection
REASON FOR INSPECTION:	General
WEATHER CONDITION:	Clear

1. INSPECTION TYPES: Land Status, Mineral Testing, Potential Trespass, Pre-Operation, Post-Operation, Reclamation Status, Standard Inspection, Standard Production Verification, Other
2. REASONS FOR INSPECTION: Bond Release, Citizen Complaint, General, Other Agency Request, Regulatory Requirement, Other
3. WEATHER CONDITIONS: Clear, Cloudy, Inclement – prevented inspection, Raining, Snowing, Windy



**INTERNAL**

**Inspection Status:** Y

Y = Inspected and Found in Compliance, N = Inspected and Violations/ Problems Noted, NA = Not Applicable

**Inspector's Initials:** SSC

**BLM Supervisor's Initials:** SSC

**Date:** 03/23/2016

**Date sent to Operator:** 04/08/2016

The inspection report will be sent to the operator and to the Colorado Division of Reclamation and Mining Safety

## DETAILED SITE INSPECTION OBSERVATIONS

MINE & RECLAMATION PLAN STATUS	GENERAL COMPLIANCE	Compliance is overall very good.
	SITE DEVELOPMENT	The site is a developed aggregate quarry that also crushes, and screens its material onsite.
	OPERATIONAL PHASE	Production
	RECLAMATION STATUS (TOPSOIL, ROADS, ETC.)	n/a
	EROSION/ SEDIMENTATION	No issues observed.
	EXPLOSIVES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- All shot waste material will be used to build the new road up the south face Need new access roads b/c existing are too steep.</li></ul>
	SAFETY	No issues.
ENGINEERING/ GEOLOGIC & STABILITY CONDITIONS		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Overall, the site appeared to be stable geologically, and from an engineering perspective.</li></ul>
OTHER LOCAL/ STATE/ FEDERAL REQ. & COMPLIANCE		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- All appears to be in compliance.</li><li>- MSHA onsite about 5 weeks ago. Hannah was inspector. Onsite for 3-4 days.</li></ul>
OTHER OBSERVATIONS/NOTES		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Fuel Farm will be installed just north of the office on private. Meet with the county tomorrow.</li><li>- The operator was curious about the ability to include another 30 acres (buffer between property boundaries) into the permit.</li></ul>

## PHOTOS



