

# COLORADO DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND SAFETY MINERALS PROGRAM INSPECTION REPORT

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The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has conducted an inspection of the mining operation noted below. This report documents observations concerning compliance with the terms of the permit and applicable rules and regulations of the Mined Land Reclamation Board.

MINE NAME:	MINE/PROSPECTING ID#:	MINERAL:	COUNTY:
Hollenbeck Pit	M-1985-023	Sand and gravel	Gunnison
INSPECTION TYPE:	<b>INSPECTOR(S):</b>	INSP. DATE:	INSP. TIME:
Monitoring	Dustin Czapla	June 1, 2016	12:30
OPERATOR:	OPERATOR REPRESENTATIVE:	TYPE OF OPERATION:	
Duane E. Hollenbeck	Gene Hollenbeck	110c - Construction Limited Impact	

REASON FOR INSPECTION:	BOND CALCULATION TYPE:	BOND AMOUNT:
Normal I&E Program	Complete Bond	\$19,029.00
DATE OF COMPLAINT:	POST INSP. CONTACTS:	JOINT INSP. AGENCY:
NA	None	None
WEATHER:	INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE:	SIGNATURE DATE:
Clear	Dr.	June 8, 2016

#### **GENERAL INSPECTION TOPICS**

This list identifies the environmental and permit parameters inspected and gives a categorical evaluation of each. No problems or possible violations were noted during the inspection. The mine operation was found to be in full compliance with Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for the Extraction of Construction Materials and/or for Hard Rock, Metal and Designated Mining Operations. Any person engaged in any mining operation shall notify the office of any failure or imminent failure, as soon as reasonably practicable after such person has knowledge of such condition or of any impoundment, embankment, or slope that poses a reasonable potential for danger to any persons or property or to the environment; or any environmental protection facility designed to contain or control chemicals or waste which are acid or toxic-forming, as identified in the permit.

(AR) RECORDS <u>Y</u>	(FN) FINANCIAL WARRANTY <u>Y</u>	(RD) ROADS <u>Y</u>
(HB) HYDROLOGIC BALANCE <u>Y</u>	(BG) BACKFILL & GRADING <u>Y</u>	(EX) EXPLOSIVES <u>NA</u>
(PW) PROCESSING WASTE/TAILING N	(SF) PROCESSING FACILITIES NA	(TS) TOPSOIL <u>Y</u>
(MP) GENL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE- Y	(FW) FISH & WILDLIFE <u>N</u>	(RV) REVEGETATION N
(SM) SIGNS AND MARKERS <u>Y</u>	(SW) STORM WATER MGT PLAN N	(CI) COMPLETE INSP Y
(ES) OVERBURDEN/DEV. WASTE NA	(SC) EROSION/SEDIMENTATION Y	(RS) RECL PLAN/COMP N
(AT) ACID OR TOXIC MATERIALS N	(OD) OFF-SITE DAMAGE <u>N</u>	(ST) STIPULATIONS <u>NA</u>

Y = Inspected and found in compliance / N = Not inspected / NA = Not applicable to this operation / PB = Problem cited / PV = Possible violation cited

PERMIT #: M-1985-023 INSPECTOR'S INITIALS: DMC INSPECTION DATE: June 1, 2016

## **OBSERVATIONS**

This inspection was conducted as part of the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety's (Division) normal monitoring program. Gene Hollenbeck and Jeff Schlabach., representing the Operator, were present during this inspection. Photographs are included with this report in order to illustrate some of the conditions observed.

The Hollenbeck Pit is located approximately five miles east of Gunnison and accessed from CR42. The site is a 110c operation that includes a total of 9.9 permitted acres. The Division currently holds a financial warranty amount of \$19,029.00 for this site.

The mine identification sign was posted on the side of the dilapidated scale house, near the entrance to the site, facing away from CR42. The operator was instructed to post the sign so that it is clearly visible from the access road.

The affected area was marked by t-posts, however some of the posts have been knocked down by cattle and need to be replaced.

The site is active. The current operator has begun to backfill the highwall with extra material from the mining operation. Several materials stockpiles are located on the mine bench. The operator is continuing efforts to clean up the site and remove trash and debris.

There is no fuel storage on site.

Noxious weeds were not observed on site.

No other problems or violations were noted during this inspection.

Responses to this inspection report should be directed to Dustin Czapla at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, Grand Junction Field Office, 101 South 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Room 301, Grand Junction, Colorado 81501, phone number (970) 243-6299.

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# **PHOTOGRAPHS**



