

COLORADO Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety Department of Natural Resources

MINERALS PROGRAM INSPECTION REPORT PHONE: (303) 866-3567

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: |
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| Holyoke Gun Club Pit | | M-1977-075 | Sand and gravel | Phillips |
| INSPECTION TYPE: | | INSPECTOR(S): | INSP. DATE: | INSP. TIME: |
| Monitoring | | Brock F. Bowles | August 12, 2019 | 13:00 |
| OPERATOR: | | OPERATOR REPRESENTATIVE: | TYPE OF OPERATION: | |
| Phillips County | | Mike Salyards | 112c - Construction Regular Operation | |
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| REASON FOR INSPECTION: | | BOND CALCULATION TYPE: | BOND AMOUNT: | |
| Normal I&E Program | | None | \$0.00 | |
| DATE OF COMPLAINT: | | POST INSP. CONTACTS: | JOINT INSP. AGENCY: | |
| NA | | None | None | |
| WEATHER: | INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: | | SIGNATURE DATE: | |
| Clear | Brak Samls | | August 20, 2019 | |

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

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

OBSERVATIONS

This inspection was conducted by Brock Bowles of the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division). Mike Salyards, Pam Jensen and Kevin Scott of Phillips County (Operator) were present for the inspection. The Holyoke Gun Club Pit is located just east of Holyoke, Colorado on the edge of town. The site is an active 112c operation with 16.25 acres permitted and the post-mining land use is wildlife habitat. This inspection was carried out as a part of the Division's routine monitoring inspection program. At the time of the inspection it was warm, clear and the ground was dry.

The permit identification sign was in place at the mine entrance and legible. The permit boundary markers were in place. No mining activity was being conducted and no equipment was on site. A pile of gravel was pushed up on the west side of the pit.

A very small puddle of water was in the bottom of the northern pit. This water is most likely a result of the recent heavy rains. No water was in Frenchman Creek which borders the permit area on three sides.

The pit area had a lot of vegetation growing. The vegetation was all volunteer as the area was not in reclamation. Topsoil pile was well vegetated and appeared to be stable.

The slopes in the pit area were graded to approximately 3H:1V and no erosion features were seen. No noxious weeds were noted.



Mine entrance sign on west side of pit area



East side of pit area facing south. Boundary marker on left side of photo.



Gravel pile on west side of pit area

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