




MINERALS PROGRAM INSPECTION REPORT
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The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 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: Wamsley Pit	MINE/PROSPECTING ID#: M-2011-027	MINERAL: Gravel and sand	COUNTY: Jackson
INSPECTION TYPE: Monitoring	INSPECTOR(S): Peter S. Hays	INSP. DATE: August 14, 2019	INSP. TIME: 12:15
OPERATOR: Richard L Wamsley dba- RLW Enterprises	OPERATOR REPRESENTATIVE: Richard Wamsley	TYPE OF OPERATION: 110c - Construction Limited Impact	
REASON FOR INSPECTION: Normal I&E Program	BOND CALCULATION TYPE: Complete Bond	BOND AMOUNT: \$8,800.00	
DATE OF COMPLAINT: NA	POST INSP. CONTACTS: None	JOINT INSP. AGENCY: None	
WEATHER: Clear	INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: 	SIGNATURE DATE: September 3, 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>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>N</u>
(PW) PROCESSING WASTE/TAILING---- <u>N</u>	(SF) PROCESSING FACILITIES----- <u>N</u>	(TS) TOPSOIL----- <u>Y</u>
(MP) GENL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE- <u>Y</u>	(FW) FISH & WILDLIFE----- <u>N</u>	(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--- <u>N</u>	(ST) STIPULATIONS----- <u>N</u>
(AT) ACID OR TOXIC MATERIALS----- <u>N</u>	(OD) OFF-SITE DAMAGE----- <u>N</u>	

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

OBSERVATIONS

The Wamsley Pit was inspected by Peter Hays with the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division/DRMS) as part of the Division's monitoring inspection program. The site was previously inspected by the Division on September 16, 2015. Mr. Richard Wamsley was present during the inspection. An inspection map created based on the observations from this inspection is attached for reference.

The site is an 110c operation permitted for 6.74 acres. The mining excavation will create a flat area with 3H:1V slopes along all sides of the site. No processing equipment was on-site. The site is used as a source of pit run material only. The east highwall was estimated at 8 feet in height at a 1H:1V to vertical slope. The south and north highwalls tapered from east to west from 8 feet in height to the elevation of the pit floor. The Operator most recently mined the northeast corner of the site to begin establishing a passive stormwater path. The pit floor was dry and no erosion features were observed during the inspection.

The site is located approximately 19 miles south of Walden, Colorado in Jackson County. The Division currently holds a financial warranty in the amount of \$8,800, which appears adequate to complete reclamation at the site based on this inspection. The required mine sign and boundary markers were observed as required by Rule 3.1.12. The mine sign was located on the entrance gate to the site off Highway 14 and the permit boundary was delineated with wood posts.

The proposed post-mining land use for the site is general agriculture. No noxious weeds were observed during the inspection. Topsoil stockpiles were observed adjacent to three sides of the pit. The stockpiles were stable and mostly vegetated with annual weeds. No reclamation activities were observed. Photographs taken during the inspection are attached.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me at Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at 303.866.3567 x 8124, or by email at peter.hays@state.co.us.

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Enclosure – Inspection Map

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PHOTOGRAPHS



Wamsley Pit mine sign



View of topsoil stockpile adjacent to the south permit boundary



View of site from the southwest corner looking northeast



View of the site from the northwest corner looking east



View of the east highwall looking southwest

Wamsley Pit

August 14, 2019 Inspection Map
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Legend

-  Recent Mining Disturbance Area
-  Topsoil Stockpile
-  Wamsley Pit
-  Wamsley Pit Permit Boundary

Recent Mining Disturbance Area

Wamsley Pit

W Hwy 14



400 ft

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