



January 22, 2021

Jim Stover, P.E.  
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Grand Junction, CO 81501

**Re: North Thompson Creek Mine, Permit C-1981-025**  
**Review of 2020 Pond Inspections (Third and Fourth Quarters)**

Dear Mr. Stover:

The Division received your Third Quarter and Fourth Quarter Pond Inspection Reports (signed by J.E. Stover, Colorado P.E. 19230). The third quarter report is based on the inspection in September of 2020, and the fourth quarter report is based on the inspection in November of 2020. I reviewed the two reports in the context of the Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Coal Mining, in particular Rule 4.05.9(17). The reports are in compliance with these regulations. No problems were identified with the ponds at the North Thompson Creek Mine.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at [Rob.Zuber@state.co.us](mailto:Rob.Zuber@state.co.us) or 720.601.2276.

Regards,

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