


**PERMIT INFORMATION**

<b>Permit Number:</b> C-2009-087 <b>Mine Name:</b> Peabody Sage Creek Mine <b>Operator:</b> Peabody Sage Creek Mining, LLC <b>Operator Address:</b> Ms Mirdanda Kawcak 29515 Routt County Road 27 Oak Creek, CO 80467	<b>County:</b> Routt <b>Operation Type:</b> Underground <b>Permit Status:</b> Temporary Cessation <b>Ownership:</b> Private
	<b>Operator Representative Present:</b>  Kevin Copeland
<b>Operator Representative Signature:</b> (Field Issuance Only)	

**INSPECTION INFORMATION**

<b>Inspection Start Date:</b> March 30, 2021 <b>Inspection Start Time:</b> 13:00 <b>Inspection End Date:</b> March 30, 2021 <b>Inspection End Time:</b> 15:00		<b>Inspection Type:</b> Coal Complete Inspection <b>Inspection Reason:</b> Normal I&E Program <b>Weather:</b> Clear	
<b>Joint Inspection Agency:</b>  None		<b>Joint Inspection Contacts:</b>	
<b>Post Inspection Agency:</b>  None		<b>Post Inspection Contacts:</b>	
<b>Inspector(s):</b>  Tabetha Lynch	<b>Inspector's Signature:</b> 		<b>Signature Date:</b>  4/9/2021

## **Inspection Topic Summary**

NOTE: Y=Inspected N=Not Inspected R=Comments Noted V=Violation Issued NA=Not Applicable

N - Air Resource Protection  
R - Availability of Records  
N - Backfill & Grading  
N - Excess Spoil and Dev. Waste  
NA - Explosives  
R - Fish & Wildlife  
R - Hydrologic Balance  
R - Gen. Compliance With Mine Plan  
N - Other  
N - Processing Waste

R - Roads  
N - Reclamation Success  
N - Revegetation  
N - Subsidence  
N - Slides and Other Damage  
Y - Support Facilities On-site  
Y - Signs and Markers  
NA - Support Facilities Not On-site  
N - Special Categories Of Mining  
R - Topsoil

## **COMMENTS**

This was a complete inspection of the Peabody Sage Creek Mine; DRMS Permit No. C-2009-087, operated by Peabody Sage Creek Mining, LLC. This inspection was conducted by Tabettha Lynch with the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division). Also present for the inspection was Kevin Copeland with Peabody Sage Creek Mining. The Sage Creek Mine is an inactive non-producing mine currently in Temporary Cessation.

### **AVAILABILITY OF RECORDS – Rule 5.02.4(1):**

Records were not checked during this complete inspection due to recently quarantined office employees, the office where records are held was avoided. Records are kept at the Foidel Creek Mine office.

### **FISH and WILDLIFE – Rule 4.18:**

Multiple tracks were observed throughout the accessible portion of the site.

### **HYDROLOGIC BALANCE - Rule 4.05**

Drainage Control 4.05.1, 4.05.2, 4.05.3; Siltation Structures 4.05.5, 4.05.6; Discharge Structures 4.05.7, 4.05.10; Diversions 4.05.4; Effluent Limits 4.05.2; Ground Water Monitoring 4.05.13; Surface Water Monitoring 4.05.13; Drainage – Acid and Toxic Materials 4.05.8; Impoundments 4.05.6, 4.05.9; Stream Buffer Zones 4.05.18:

All ponds were mostly ice covered, holding water and flowing. Culverts and ditches were mostly under snow and ice.



Photo looking west down to Pond 2

GENERAL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE:

Portal area was muddy but appeared stable.



**ROADS – Rule 4.03**

Construction 4.03.1(3)/4.03.2(3), Drainage 4.03.1(4)/4.03.2(4), Surfacing and Maintenance 4.03.1(5) and (6)/4.03.2(5) and (6), Reclamation 4.03.1(7)/4.03.2(7):

Main roads were in good condition. Not all areas were accessible.

**TOPSOIL – Rule 4.06**

Removal 4.06.2; Substitute Materials 4.06.4(4); Storage and Protection 4.06.3; Redistribution 4.06.4:

Topsoil pile appeared stable and undisturbed.

**DOCUMENTS RECEIVED**

**OTHER (SPECIFY)**

**ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS/COMPLIANCE**

No enforcement actions were initiated as a result of this inspection, nor are any pending.