


PERMIT INFORMATION

Permit Number: C-1982-056 Mine Name: Foidel Creek Mine Operator: Twentymile Coal, LLC Operator Address: Ms Miranda Kawcak 29515 Routt County Road No. 27 Oak Creek, CO 80467	County: Routt Operation Type: Underground Permit Status: Active Ownership: Private
Operator Representative Present: Miranda Kawcak	
Operator Representative Signature: (Field Issuance Only) 	

INSPECTION INFORMATION

Inspection Start Date: July 30, 2021 Inspection Start Time: 12:00 Inspection End Date: July 27, 2021 Inspection End Time: 13:00	Inspection Type: Coal Aerial Inspection Inspection Reason: Normal I&E Program Weather: Clear/Smokey
Joint Inspection Agency: None	Joint Inspection Contacts:
Post Inspection Agency: None	Post Inspection Contacts:
Inspector(s): Tabetha Lynch Brock Bowles	Inspector's Signature:  Signature Date: 8/6/21

Inspection Topic Summary

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

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

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

COMMENTS

This was an aerial inspection of the Foidel Creek Mine; DRMS Permit No. C-1982-056, operated by Twentymile Coal, LLC. (TC). The photos were taken by Brock Bowles on 7/30 and reviewed by Tabetha Lynch with the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (Division). Overall the weather was mostly clear and hot with smoke haze.

GENERAL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE:

The photo below shows the coal stockpile, wash plant, Pond E at the top middle, and the pit pond and pond D to left. Ponds D and E appear to need to be cleaned out. Top soil pile at the bottom left of the photo appears stable.





Photo above shows the waste pile, pond D and the pit pond at the top right, pond B at the top left. Ponds B and D appear to need to be cleaned. No issues are noted with the waste pile.



The passive treatment ponds near the 6MN reservoir are shown above. Wetland plants appear to be establishing well. Flow in the photo is from right to left. The system does not appear to be discharging at the time of the photo. Vegetation on the banks around the system appear to be improving. No cattle appear to be present within the fenced area. Slopes and rock check dams in the diversion ditches appear stable.

DOCUMENTS RECEIVED

OTHER (SPECIFY)

ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS/COMPLIANCE

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