



COLORADO

Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources

November 29, 2021

Jodi Shreiber
All-Rite Paving & Redi-Mix, Inc.
P.O. Box 165
Canon City, CO 81215

Re: Lamar Pit, Permit No. M-1987-079, Status of Required Corrective Actions

Ms. Shreiber:

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) is providing the following status update on the corrective actions required by the inspection report mailed on November 2, 2021:

INSPECTION TOPIC: Revegetation

PROBLEM #1: Tamarisk (salt cedar) trees are present within or have volunteered into the permit area and are becoming established. This is a problem for failure to employ weed control methods for a state listed noxious weed species within the permitted area, and to reduce the spread of weeds to nearby areas as required by Rule 3.1.10(6).

CORRECTIVE ACTIONS: By the corrective action due date, the operator shall provide sufficient evidence the existing weed control plan has been implemented at the site, or submit a Technical Revision, with the required \$216 revision fee, with an updated weed control and management plan for the site. This updated plan should be developed in consultation with the county extension agency or weed control district office, and should include specific control measures to be applied, a schedule for when control measures will be applied, and a post-treatment monitoring plan.

CORRECTIVE ACTION DUE DATE: December 2, 2021

STATUS UPDATE: *On November 26, 2021, the Division received photographic evidence from the operator demonstrating the Tamarisk (salt cedar) trees have been removed from the site. Therefore, Problem #1 is considered abated.*

INSPECTION TOPIC: Reclamation Plan

PROBLEM #2: Failure to follow approved reclamation plan, or current reclamation plan needs to be updated and clarified pursuant to C.R.S. 34-32.5-116(1). The operator must follow the approved reclamation plan or provide sufficient information to describe or identify how the operator intends to conduct reclamation.

CORRECTIVE ACTIONS: By the corrective action due date, the operator shall submit a Technical Revision, with the required \$216 revision fee, to update and clarify the current approved reclamation plan to reflect existing and proposed activities. Specifically, the reclamation plan and reclamation plan map need to be updated to specify areas to remain for industrial use and areas to be reclaimed for rangeland use, specify the location and approximate surface area of any ponds to



remain, specify any areas with exposed concrete at the ground surface and clarify how these areas will be reclaimed, specify any roads to remain, identify the location of any topsoil stockpiles on site, and clarify whether sufficient topsoil is available on site to complete reclamation. This revision shall also include an updated bond estimate and a timeline for completing final reclamation at the site. The updated reclamation plan must meet all applicable requirements of Rule 6.4.5. The updated reclamation plan map must meet all applicable requirements of Rules 6.2.1(2) and 6.4.6. The updated bond estimate must comply with Rule 6.4.12.

CORRECTIVE ACTION DUE DATE: January 1, 2021

***STATUS UPDATE:** The corrective action for Problem #2 has not yet been submitted.*

If you have any questions, you may contact me by telephone at 303-866-3567, ext. 8129, or by email at amy.eschberger@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Amy Eschberger".

Amy Eschberger
Environmental Protection Specialist

Cc: Michael Cunningham, DRMS