




MINERALS PROGRAM INSPECTION REPORT
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The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has 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: Sweeney Pit No 30	MINE/PROSPECTING ID#: M-1980-239	MINERAL: Sand and gravel	COUNTY: Moffat
INSPECTION TYPE: Monitoring	INSPECTOR(S): Zach Trujillo	INSP. DATE: June 8, 2022	INSP. TIME: 08:00
OPERATOR: Moffat County	OPERATOR REPRESENTATIVE: Yes	TYPE OF OPERATION: 112c - Construction Regular Operation	
REASON FOR INSPECTION: Normal I&E Program	BOND CALCULATION TYPE: None	BOND AMOUNT: \$0.00	
DATE OF COMPLAINT: NA	POST INSP. CONTACTS: None	JOINT INSP. AGENCY: None	
WEATHER: Clear	INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: 	SIGNATURE DATE: June 23, 2022	

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>N</u>	(FN) FINANCIAL WARRANTY----- <u>N</u>	(RD) ROADS----- <u>N</u>
(HB) HYDROLOGIC BALANCE----- <u>Y</u>	(BG) BACKFILL & GRADING----- <u>N</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>Y</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

This inspection was conducted by Zach Trujillo off the Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety as part of the normal monitoring program. The Sweeney Pit No. 30 is a 112c permitted site that includes a total of 50 permitted acres. The site is located on Bureau of Land Management land. It is located approximately 11 miles southeast of Maybell, Colorado and is accessed from Moffat County Road 17. Moffat County personnel were on site but did not accompany the Division on the inspection.

The mine identification sign and affected area boundary markers are in place and in compliance with Rule 3.1.12. The sign is located at the entrance of the permit boundary next to the gate. T-posts have been placed to clearly delineate the permit boundary as well with additional signage at the permit boundary corners.

The site was active at the time of inspection. A crew was onsite digging test holes to locate suitable material within the pit and to the north for future extraction. All northern test holes were being immediately backfilled and are within the approved affected area boundary. No material was being hauled off site during the inspection. Overburden and topsoil stockpiles are located just west of the pit and were stable. Stockpiles were vegetated and no noxious weeds were observed. Topsoil was clearly marked with additional signage.

No bond is required for this site as it is permitted to a government agency. No problems or violations were noted during this inspection. Responses to this inspection report should be directed to: Zach Trujillo at the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman St., Room 215, Denver, CO 80203. Direct contact can be made by phone at (303) 866-3567 x. 8164 or via email at Zach.Trujillo@state.co.us

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Enclosure

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Mine identification sign.



Active test holes being dug.



In-pit test holes.



Test holes north of pit.



Topsoil pile and signage.