



PERMIT INFORMATION

Permit Number: C-1981-038 Mine Name: Bowie No. 1 Mine Operator: Bowie Resources, LLC Operator Address: Mr. Basil R Bear P.O. Box 1488 Paonia, CO 81428	County: Delta Operation Type: Underground Permit Status: Active Ownership: Private
	Operator Representative Present: None
Operator Representative Signature: (Field Issuance Only) 	

INSPECTION INFORMATION

Inspection Start Date: January 24, 2023 Inspection Start Time: 14:30 Inspection End Date: January 24, 2023 Inspection End Time: 15:45	Inspection Type: Coal Partial Inspection Inspection Reason: Normal I&E Program Weather: Cloudy
Joint Inspection Agency: None	Joint Inspection Contacts:
Post Inspection Agency: None	Post Inspection Contacts:
Inspector(s): Robert Zuber, P.E.	Inspector's Signature: <i>Robert D. Zuber</i> Signature Date: 1/26/2023

Inspection Topic Summary

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

N - Air Resource Protection

N - Availability of Records

N - Backfill & Grading

N - Excess Spoil and Dev. Waste

NA - Explosives

N - Fish & Wildlife

R - Hydrologic Balance

Y - Gen. Compliance With Mine Plan

N - Other

N - Processing Waste

N - Roads

N - Reclamation Success

N - Revegetation

N - Subsidence

R - Slides and Other Damage

NA - Support Facilities On-site

R - Signs and Markers

R - Support Facilities Not On-site

N - Special Categories Of Mining

N - Topsoil

COMMENTS

A partial inspection was conducted by Rob Zuber of DRMS on January 24, 2023.

No mining or reclamation activities were being conducted at this site. BRL is focusing on Bowie No. 2 in 2022.

The weather was cloudy and cold. The ground was partially covered with snow at the loadout. The other parts of the mine were covered with a large amount of snow, which limited the inspection to viewing the site from Johnson Road.

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:

The ponds at the loadout and the Coal Storage Area (near Black Bridge Road) contained a small amount of snow, and no problems were identified with these ponds.

SLIDES and DAMAGE - Rule 4.12:

The East Mine and West Mine were partially observed from Johnson Road, and no slides or other problems were observed.

SIGNS AND MARKERS – Rule 4.02:

Entrance signs were seen at the East Mine and at the Coal Storage Area by Black Bridge Road.

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OFFSITE SUPPORT FACILITIES - Rule 4.04, 4.28:

No problems were seen with the Coal Storage Area by Black Bridge Road.

No erosion was seen at the loadout, including the steep slope between the loadout and the orchard below. The trestle across the river appears stable.

DOCUMENTS RECEIVED - none

OTHER (SPECIFY) - none

ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS/COMPLIANCE

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

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PHOTOGRAPHS



Loadout slope, looking southwest



Loadout slope, looking northeast toward trestle

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Loadout slope west of substation (looking northeast)



East Mine Road – snowed in

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Johnson Road on way to West Mine

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