

TECHNICAL REVISION (TR) SUBMITTAL

Date:	September 15, 2023
Facility:	Speer Mining Resource
Permit No:	M-1983-176
Address:	12021 Brighton Rd., Henderson, CO 80640
Re:	Revised Technical Revision No. 5 (TR-05)

INTRODUCTION & PURPOSE

Asphalt Specialties Co., Inc. (ASCI) is submitting this Revised Technical Revision No. 5 (TR-05) to: 1) address comments provided in the DRMS TR-05 Adequacy Review Letter dated March 9, 2023; and 2) address corrective actions required for Problem #2 noted in the March 10, 2023 inspection report in order to update the permit with minor changes to the approved reclamation plan for the Speer Mining Resource (DRMS Permit No. M-1983-176).

EXHIBIT E – RECLAMATION PLAN

The following is a list of the changes to the approved reclamation plan:

- The shop building and office/house building will remain on-site after reclamation is complete. Leaving these two buildings/structures is compliant with local land use and zoning laws as indicated in Chapter 3, Section 3-10: Agricultural-3 District (A-3) of the Adams County Zone District Regulations dated February 21, 2023. These buildings were constructed on the property by a previous landowner(s) and have been present since at least the early-1990's (earliest aerial photography record reviewed). Currently, these buildings are not actively being utilized, but can be used during reclamation activities. Any anticipated future use of the buildings after reclamation is complete will be associated with personal, private agricultural use unless a redevelopment plan is approved by Adams County and DRMS in the future.
- A limited area surrounding these buildings will not be revegetated as it will be associated with the personal, private agricultural use of the buildings after reclamation is complete (e.g., parking).

All other aspects of the reclamation plan remain the same as submitted in Technical Revision No. 4 (TR-04) approved in August 2022.



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EXHIBIT F - RECLAMATION PLAN MAP

The revised Exhibit F – Reclamation Plan Map (attached) has been updated to reflect the changes listed above in Exhibit E – Reclamation Plan.

INFORMATION FOR UPDATING FINANCIAL WARRANTY

The current financial warranty/reclamation bond for Speer of \$678,169.00 was last updated in in 2017 by DRMS. This bond calculation was based on reclamation work required at that time which included backfilling, clay-lining a 7-acre pond, installation of the French drain, topsoiling, seeding, etc., but likely did not include removal of the truck scale concrete pad. DRMS will be re-calculating the required financial warranty for the site during its review of this Revised TR-05. For DRMS to re-calculate the bond number, the following dimensions for the truck scale concrete pad are being provided to calculate costs for demolition, removal, and disposal:

- Two (2) End Sections: 12 feet long x 12 feet wide x 8 inches thick (each)
- Middle section: 100 feet long x 12 feet wide x 1.5 feet thick

Given the changes to the reclamation plan since 2017 (e.g., approx. 2-acre pond to be clay-lined instead of 7-acre pond) and reclamation activities that have been completed since 2017 (e.g., the vast majority of backfill, French drain installation, grading, topsoiling, etc. have been completed), it is possible that the financial warranty/reclamation bond will decrease. However, if DRMS finds this amount to be higher than the currently held amount, ASCI will increase the surety within 60 days to meet the additional required financial warranty.

