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M-1980-183 Pit 29 - Corrective Actions

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Nikie –

With regard to the Inspection Report from your September 27 visit to Brannan Sand and Gravel's Pit 29 facility, I am providing this update on the two Corrective Actions requested.

Problem 1: Mine identification sign. The missing sign has been re-posted, as shown in the following picture.



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Problem 2: Trash and refuse. A padlock on the gate from the public roadway was breached, and dumping occurred on Mine Area III. All refuse has been removed from Mine Area III, as shown in photos below. The Division also cited "discarded equipment and piping" at the north end of Mine Area II as a potential problem. That material is in the process of being consolidated and moved, which process is expected to be completed by December 16, 2023; however, this material is either salvageable excess from water storage projects or storage in conjunction with water storage operations and is not "refuse" as defined by CRS 34-32.5-103(20).



With this update, Brannan believes the presently required Corrective Actions have been satisfied. We appreciate the detailed notes provided in your Inspection report and expect to make further progress, with updates to the Division, as outlined.

Please contact me with any questions.

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