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C1983059, Terror Creek Loadout, February Inspection Report (Aerial)

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PERMIT INFORMATION

Permit Number: C-1983-059 Mine Name: Terror Creek Loadout Operator: Oxbow Mining, LLC Operator Address: Mr Doug Smith PO Box 535 Paonia, CO 81434	County: Delta Operation Type: Loadout Permit Status: Active Ownership: Private Operator Representative Present: N/A
Operator Representative Signature: (Field Issuance Only)	

INSPECTION INFORMATION

Inspection Start Date: February 13, 2024 Inspection Start Time: 12:00 Inspection End Date: Inspection End Time:		Inspection Type: Aerial Inspection Inspection Reason: Normal I&E Program Weather: Clear	
Joint Inspection Agency: None		Joint Inspection Contacts:	
Post Inspection Agency: None		Post Inspection Contacts:	
Inspector(s): Leigh Simmons Brock Bowles	Inspector's Signature: 		Signature Date: February 15, 2024

Number of Partial Inspection this Fiscal Year: 6Number of Complete Inspections this Fiscal Year: 2

Inspection Topic Summary

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

N - Air Resource Protection

N - Roads

N - Availability of Records

N - Reclamation Success

N - Backfill & Grading

N - Revegetation

N - Excess Spoil and Dev. Waste

N - Subsidence

N - Explosives

N - Slides and Other Damage

N - Fish & Wildlife

N - Support Facilities On-site

N - Hydrologic Balance

N - Signs and Markers

R - Gen. Compliance With Mine Plan

N - Support Facilities Not On-site

N - Other

N - Special Categories Of Mining

N - Processing Waste

N - Topsoil

COMMENTS

This was an aerial inspection. The site was flown and photographed by Brock Bowles. Pictures were inspected by Leigh Simmons.

GENERAL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE:

Figures 1 and 2 show snow cover in shaded areas and on northerly aspects of the site, as well as over much of the lower pad. Some vehicle tracks can be seen, but generally it appears that there has been minimal activity at the site since the last inspection. The temporary building appears to be in good shape.

DOCUMENTS RECEIVED

N/A

OTHER (SPECIFY)

N/A

ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS/COMPLIANCE

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

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Figure 1: Terror Creek Loadout site from the south

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Figure 2: Terror Creek Loadout site from the north

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