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Inspection reports Yoast and Seneca IIW March 2024

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Good Afternoon Miranda,

Please find the March 2024 partial inspections for the Yoast and Seneca IIW Sites.

Thank you

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2 attachments



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Ins_Partial_Yoast_2024_03March.pdf

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PERMIT INFORMATION

Permit Number: C-1994-082 Mine Name: Yoast Mine Operator Address: Seneca Property LLC Ms. Miranda Kawcak 29515 Routt County Road No. 27 Oak Creek, CO 80467	County: Routt Operation Type: Surface Permit Status: Permanent Cessation Ownership: Private Operator Representative Present: No, as the site was inaccessible.
Operator Representative Signature: (Field Issuance Only) This report was issued electronically from the Divisions' Denver Office.	

INSPECTION INFORMATION

Inspection Start Date: 5 March 2024 Inspection Start Time: 11:15 a.m. Inspection End Date: 5 March 2024 Inspection End Time: 11:15 a.m.	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): Robin Reilley, M.S. GISP	Inspector's Signature:  Signature Date: 5 March 2024

Inspection Topic Summary	
NOTE:	Y=Inspected N=Not Inspected R=Comments Noted V=Violation Issued NA=Not Applicable
N - Air Resource Protection	R - Roads
N - Availability of Records	N - Reclamation Success
NA - Backfill & Grading	N - Revegetation
NA - Excess Spoil and Dev. Waste	N - Subsidence
NA - Explosives	N - Slides and Other Damage
N - Fish & Wildlife	NA - Support Facilities on site
N - Hydrologic Balance	Y - Signs and Markers
Y - Gen. Compliance With Mine Plan	NA - Support Facilities Not on site
NA - Other	NA - Special Categories Of Mining
NA - Processing Waste	N - Topsoil

COMMENTS

This was a Partial inspection of the Yoast Mine, C1994082, operated by Seneca Property LLC. The inspection was conducted, and the report prepared by me, Robin Reilley of the DRMS. The weather was partly cloudy and calm with temperatures hovering around 35 degrees Fahrenheit. The ground was snow covered and the site was inaccessible.

PERMITTING ACTIONS:

NA

OUTSTANDING MAINTENANCE ITEMS

NA

INSPECTION

GENERAL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE:

Reclamation has been completed at the site with the exception of the hillside above Pond 12.

SIGNS and MARKERS – Rule 4.02

Sign at entrance was in place.

ROADS Rule 4.03

Construction 4.03.1(3), 4.03.2(3); Drainage 4.03.1(4), 4.03.2(4); Surfacing and Maintenance 4.03.1(5) and (6) 4.03.2(5) and (6).

The site was inaccessible as roads into the site are not plowed in the winter.

INSPECTION, ENFORCEMENT and CIVIL PENALTIES – RULE 5

Inspections 5.02; Availability of Records

As this was a partial inspection, records were not checked.

Number of Partial Inspection this Fiscal Year: 6

Number of Complete Inspections this Fiscal Year: 3

DOCUMENTS RECEIVED

ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS/COMPLIANCE

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

PHOTOGRAPHS



Photo 1: Yoast sign at entrance.