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Reviews: Q1 2024 Sed Pond, HG Fill

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Tue, Apr 2, 2024 at 12:53 PM

To: Tonia Perkins <tonia.perkins@trappermine.com>, Robin Reilley - DNR <robin.reilley@state.co.us>

Good Afternoon Ms. Perkins,

Please find the Divisions' Reviews of the Horse Gulch Fill and the Sediment Pond monitoring report for Q1 of 2024. No concerns were noted.

Thank you for your timely submission of the reports.

Thank you

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Tonia Perkins
Trapper Mine, Inc.
P.O. Box 187
Craig, Colorado 81626

RE: Trapper Mining Inc., Permit; C1981010
Review: Sediment Pond 2024 Q1

Dear Ms. Perkins

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (The Division), has reviewed the above referenced report received by the Division on 1 April 2024. The report complies with applicable sections of Rule 4.05.9 (*Impoundments*). The inspection took place over the 5, 12, 14, 21 and 27th of March 2024 by Tonia Perkins, Graham Roberts, Josich Kebell and Randall Dial.

Maintenance issues noted during the inspection comprised sediment marker or pond ID signs requiring replacement in two ponds. Most ponds were frozen, and snow covered at the time of inspection.

The following ponds were discharging at a rate of less than 1 cubic foot/second:

1. No Name #2, #4 and #5 ponds were at 100% capacity.
2. Johnson #s 6, 7R, 8R, 9R and 10R ponds were 100% full.
3. East Pyeatt #s 1, 2, 3 were 100% full.
4. Oak #1 was 100% full.
5. Middle Flume #3.
6. East Middle Flume

The following ponds held water and where not discharging at the time of inspection:

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| <i>Coyote</i> | <i>West Flume</i> | <i>Middle Pyeatt #1</i> |
| <i>Oak #2</i> | <i>West Pyeatt #1</i> | <i>Middle Flume #1</i> |
| <i>Horse Gulch</i> | <i>Ute #1</i> | <i>Industrial Waste Pond</i> |
| <i>Deal #1 and #2</i> | <i>Jeffway #1</i> | <i>Impoundment H</i> |
| <i>Grouse #1 and #2</i> | <i>East Flume</i> | |

Trappers's Permit indicates that other than Coyote Pond, all sediment ponds with 60% or more of sediment storage used following spring runoff will have the sediment removed in the same year.



Sediment levels in the all ponds were recorded. DRMS notes that only Horse Pond is approaching the upper limit of its sediment storage capacity (55%). TMI should consider dredging this pond in 2024.

Thank you for the timely submission of the Q1 2024 Sediment Pond Report. DRMS has no questions or concerns at this time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robin Reilley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Robin" and last name "Reilley" clearly distinguishable.

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