

Notes:

Please refer to the 2024 Annual Report Map for the location of areas described in this text and the annual report form.

(9) Approximately 0.65 acres was logged and stripped in preparation of mining this year. The operator resumed mining on a 0.78 acres area by removing a temporary slope and lowering the mine floor to build stockpiles of material. Mining may resume this year by moving into the newly stripped area and continuing to deepen the disturbed area. The northern slope will continue to develop as mining progresses.

(13) No reclamation required at this time, but temporary sloping is done if the working face will be left for more than 180 days. The growth medium removed from the newly stripped area was stockpiled for use in reclamation.

(14) Weed control was done this year on the disturbed area. The Huerfano Weed Control, LLC treated the mine area on July 24, 2024. "Opensight" was used at a rate of 2.0 oz per acre on the mine where needed.

(19) The bond is adequate to complete reclamation according to the May 17, 2023 inspection report.