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## 2024 September and Q3 Compliance Monitoring Reports: Fill, Sed Ponds, DMRs

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Tue, Oct 29, 2024 at 11:22 AM

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

Good Morning Colleagues,

Please find DRMS's review of the 2024 September and Q3 compliance monitoring reports referenced above for Trapper Mine. Thank you for the timely submission of these reports. The Division has no concerns.

Thank you

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**Review\_HGFill\_2024\_Q4\_Trapper.pdf**  
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**SedPondReview\_2024\_Q4\_Trapper.pdf**  
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**Review\_DMR\_2024\_09Sept\_Q3\_Trapper.pdf**  
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29 October 2024

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

**RE: Trapper Mining Inc., Permit; C1981010**  
**Review: Sediment Pond 2024 Q4**

Dear Ms. Perkins

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (The Division), has reviewed the above referenced report received by the Division on 28 October 2024. The report complies with applicable sections of Rule 4.05.9 (*Impoundments*). The inspection took place over several days in October 2024 by Graham Roberts, Tonia Perkins and Tim Cummins.

Maintenance issues noted during the inspection comprised sediment markers requiring replacement at several ponds and aquatic vegetation at some pond drainage ways. The vegetation was not impeding flow through drainage way. 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. East Middle Flume #1 was 100% full.

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

<i>Coyote</i>	<i>West Pyeatt #1</i>	<i>Middle Pyeatt #1</i>
<i>Grouse #1</i>	<i>Ute #1</i>	<i>Middle Flume #1 and #3</i>
<i>Deal #1</i>	<i>Oak #1</i>	<i>Industrial Waste Pond</i>
<i>Buzzard #3</i>	<i>Jeffway</i>	<i>Impoundment H</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%).

Thank you for the timely submission of the Q4 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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