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## McClane Canyon Mine, C-1980-004, 3rd Quarter DMRs Review

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To: joe <joe@ridgerunnergeo.com>

Tue, Nov 5, 2024 at 12:10 PM

Good afternoon Joe,

Attached with this email is the Division's review letter for the McClane Canyon Mine's 3rd Quarter Discharge Monitoring Reports. Please note the adequacy question highlighted in **bold** text in the Report. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,  
**Clayton Wein**  
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**RE: McClane Canyon Mine, Permit No. C-1980-004  
3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2024 Discharge Monitoring Reports Review (CO-0038342)**

Dear Mr. Brinton,

The Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (the Division) has finished reviewing the 2024 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Discharge Monitoring Reports for the McClane Canyon Mine. The reports were received electronically on August 8, 2024 (July DMRs), September 21, 2024 (August DMRs), and October 31, 2024 (September and quarterly DMRs). The reports cover the time period of July 1, 2024 through September 30, 2024. The Division finds the reports to be in compliance with Rule 4.05.13(2).

There are three outfalls associated with the CO-0038342 DMR permit, Outfall 001, Outfall 002 and Outfall 004. During the months of July, August and September there was no discharge recorded from Outfalls 002 and 004. Therefore, no exceedances occurred at these locations. The August DMRs indicated that discharge from Outfall 001 occurred. The flow was sampled and no exceedances were reported.

**Adequacy Question:**

Please note that the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter DMRs quarterly report indicated that no discharge from Outfall 001 occurred during the quarter. The August 2024 DMRs recorded discharge from Outfall 001 and samples were taken. **Please clarify this discrepancy in the quarterly DMRs.**

This concludes the Division's review of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2024 Discharge Monitoring Reports for the McClane Canyon Mine. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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