




MINERALS PROGRAM INSPECTION REPORT
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The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has conducted an inspection of the mining operation noted below. This report documents observations concerning compliance with the terms of the permit and applicable rules and regulations of the Mined Land Reclamation Board.

MINE NAME: Lofdahl	MINE/PROSPECTING ID#: M-2004-001	MINERAL: Sand and gravel	COUNTY: Lincoln
INSPECTION TYPE: Monitoring	WEATHER: Snowing	INSP. DATE: February 18, 2025	INSP. TIME: 01:30
OPERATOR: Lincoln County	OPERATOR REPRESENTATIVE:	TYPE OF OPERATION: 112c - Construction Regular Operation	
REASON FOR INSPECTION: Normal I&E Program	BOND CALCULATION TYPE: None	BOND AMOUNT: \$0.00	
DATE OF COMPLAINT: NA	POST INSP. CONTACTS: None	JOINT INSP. AGENCY: None	
INSPECTOR(S): Ben Hammar	INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: 	SIGNATURE DATE: February 20, 2025	

GENERAL INSPECTION TOPICS

This list identifies the environmental and permit parameters inspected and gives a categorical evaluation of each. No problems or possible violations were noted during the inspection. The mine operation was found to be in full compliance with Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for the Extraction of Construction Materials and/or for Hard Rock, Metal and Designated Mining Operations. Any person engaged in any mining operation shall notify the office of any failure or imminent failure, as soon as reasonably practicable after such person has knowledge of such condition or of any impoundment, embankment, or slope that poses a reasonable potential for danger to any persons or property or to the environment; or any environmental protection facility designed to contain or control chemicals or waste which are acid or toxic-forming, as identified in the permit.

(AR) RECORDS----- <u>NA</u>	(FN) FINANCIAL WARRANTY----- <u>NA</u>	(RD) ROADS----- <u>Y</u>
(HB) HYDROLOGIC BALANCE----- <u>Y</u>	(BG) BACKFILL & GRADING----- <u>Y</u>	(EX) EXPLOSIVES----- <u>NA</u>
(PW) PROCESSING WASTE/TAILING---- <u>NA</u>	(SF) PROCESSING FACILITIES----- <u>NA</u>	(TS) TOPSOIL----- <u>Y</u>
(MP) GENL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE- <u>Y</u>	(FW) FISH & WILDLIFE----- <u>NA</u>	(RV) REVEGETATION---- <u>NA</u>
(SM) SIGNS AND MARKERS----- <u>Y</u>	(SP) STORM WATER MGT PLAN---- <u>NA</u>	(RS) RECL PLAN/COMP-- <u>NA</u>
(ES) OVERBURDEN/DEV. WASTE----- <u>NA</u>	(SC) EROSION/SEDIMENTATION--- <u>Y</u>	(ST) STIPULATIONS----- <u>NA</u>
(AT) ACID OR TOXIC MATERIALS----- <u>NA</u>	(OD) OFF-SITE DAMAGE----- <u>N</u>	

Y = Inspected / N = Not inspected / NA = Not applicable to this operation / PB = Problem cited / PV = Possible violation cited

OBSERVATIONS

The Lofdahl Pit was inspected by Ben Hammar of the Division of Mining, Reclamation, and Safety (The Division) as part of the Division's regular monitoring program. The Lofdahl Pit is located approximately 16 miles east of Punkin Center, CO. The pit is a 112c operation permitted for 28.2 acres and the primary commodity is construction materials. The post-mining land use is rangeland. The weather was cold and actively snowing at the time of inspection.

The site was not active at the time of inspection. This is an intermittent operation, so no recent activity is not an issue at this time. The mine sign was clearly posted at the site entrance, and appeared to be in good condition. Site boundaries were marked with wooden posts and all appeared to be in good condition. Due to lack of use, some moderate erosional features were present on what appeared to be the access road. The operator should take care to ensure that no erosion spreads off the site.

A single topsoil stockpile is located on the eastern portion of the site and appeared to be stable. No vegetation was able to be observed at the time of inspection due to snow cover. Mining appears to be proceeding along a single highwall located in the southern portion of the pit. Material is then stockpiled within the middle of the permit.

Generally the site appeared to be in good condition, with no notable issues present. As this is a county site, no bond is held for this location.

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PHOTOGRAPHS



Photo 1: Mine identification sign.



Photo 2: Example site boundary. All bounds were present during inspection.



Photo 3: Active highwall.



Photo 4: Topsoil stockpile. Appears stable at the time of inspection.