

Additional Sheet
2025 Annual Report
Winkler Light Aggregate Quarry
M-1989-065
Schmidt Construction Company
Anniversary Date: April 26th

Activity: No new mining was conducted in the last year. Intermittent sales from the stockpiled material continued.

Status of Noxious Weeds: In August of 2024, the treatment of noxious weeds was outsourced to a third-party, with a focus on the Scotch thistle and Canada thistle populations. The treatment primarily targeted dense thistle populations along the south-southeastern active mining boundary, while also addressing the sides of the access road and areas of sparse rosette presence along the surrounding southwestern areas of disturbed land. The far-and-few-between rosettes in the sparse areas indicate that weed treatment has been successful in these areas. At the time of the inspection, the southeastern active mining disturbance boundary indicates that continued monitoring and focused weed treatment will be necessary. There will be continued treatment of the access roadsides and areas of sparse thistle presence, as well. Diffuse knapweed, hybrid knapweed, and common mullein have been observed and monitored on the site. Presently, the populations of these species are not of concern but will continue to be monitored.