

**BOWIE RESOURCES, LLC**  
**Bowie No. 1 Mine**

**2024 IMPOUNDMENT ANNUAL CERTIFICATION**

In accordance with Rule 4.05.9(14), all impoundments shall be inspected at least yearly to determine if the impoundment has been maintained as designed, and in accordance with the approved plan and the applicable regulations. This yearly inspection is for the impoundments located at the Bowie No. 1 Mine.

On March 28, 2025, I performed the required annual inspection. I, Art Etter, have a wide variety of experience in the design and construction of earth fill embankments. Nothing was observed during the inspection that would indicate the ponds have potential for failure. There are no aspects which might affect stability. Other than what is noted below for Pond WS-1, there is no appearance of erosion, instability, structural weakness or other hazardous conditions.

There are no required monitoring procedures or instrumentation other than quarterly and yearly inspections. None of the ponds were discharging during the inspection. This spring has had below average precipitation.

Summary of 2024 Quarterly Inspections:

Loadout Pond was dry at the time of inspection. During 2024 quarterly pond inspections the pond was reported as dry.

Highway Pond was dry at the time of inspection. During the 2024 quarterly inspections the pond was reported as dry.

WS-2 Pond had a puddle of water at the time of inspection. During the 2024 quarterly inspections the pond was reported as dry.

WS-1 Pond was dry at the time of inspection. During the 2024 quarterly inspections the pond was reported as dry.

There is a small sink hole on the downstream side of the WS-1 pond dam. It appears the material is falling through a hole into the Roatcap Creek bypass culvert below. This could not be verified due to the level of water flowing through the culvert at the time of inspection. There does not appear to be any restriction in the culvert that is impeding flow. The sink hole does not appear to be a threat to the stability of the dam, but it is recommended that the area continue to be monitored quarterly and the extent of the culvert damage be determined when the flows subside in the next several months. Monitoring should continue on a regular basis until the damage can be repaired or the ponds can be reclaimed in accordance with the currently approved reclamation plan.

A circular professional engineer seal for the state of Colorado. The outer ring contains the text "COLORADO LICENSED" at the top and "PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER" at the bottom, separated by dots. Inside the ring, the name "ARTHUR B. ETTER" is printed at the top, and the license number "42377" is printed in the center. A handwritten signature, "Arthur B. Etter", is written across the seal.

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