



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: Tony Mine	MINE/PROSPECTING ID#: P-2025-002	MINERAL: Gold and silver	COUNTY: Summit
INSPECTION TYPE: Monitoring	WEATHER: Clear	INSP. DATE: August 28, 2025	INSP. TIME: 11:00
OPERATOR: Cody Brewer	OPERATOR REPRESENTATIVE: Cody Brewer	TYPE OF OPERATION: MP - Mineral Prospecting	
REASON FOR INSPECTION: Normal I&E Program	BOND CALCULATION TYPE: Complete Bond	BOND AMOUNT: \$9,377.00	
DATE OF COMPLAINT: NA	POST INSP. CONTACTS: None	JOINT INSP. AGENCY: U.S. Forest Service	
INSPECTOR(S): Brock Bowles	INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: 	SIGNATURE DATE: September 2, 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>N</u>	(FN) FINANCIAL WARRANTY----- <u>Y</u>	(RD) ROADS----- <u>N</u>
(HB) HYDROLOGIC BALANCE----- <u>N</u>	(BG) BACKFILL & GRADING----- <u>N</u>	(EX) EXPLOSIVES----- <u>N</u>
(PW) PROCESSING WASTE/TAILING---- <u>N</u>	(SF) PROCESSING FACILITIES----- <u>N</u>	(TS) TOPSOIL----- <u>N</u>
(MP) GENL MINE PLAN COMPLIANCE- <u>Y</u>	(FW) FISH & WILDLIFE----- <u>N</u>	(RV) REVEGETATION---- <u>N</u>
(SM) SIGNS AND MARKERS----- <u>N</u>	(SP) STORM WATER MGT PLAN---- <u>N</u>	(RS) RECL PLAN/COMP-- <u>N</u>
(ES) OVERBURDEN/DEV. WASTE----- <u>N</u>	(SC) EROSION/SEDIMENTATION--- <u>N</u>	(ST) STIPULATIONS----- <u>N</u>
(AT) ACID OR TOXIC MATERIALS----- <u>N</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

This inspection was conducted by Brock Bowles of the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division). Cody Brewer (Operator) and John Lee of the U.S.F.S. were present for the inspection. The site is a NOI operation. At the time of the inspection, it was partly cloudy, warm, and the ground was dry.

Financial Warranty:

The Division holds a bond in the amount of \$9,377. This bond was calculated on 1 July 2025 when the permit was issued. The bond amount is still adequate.

Gen. Compliance With Mine Plan:

The site features two historical portals: a lower portal, now collapsed and not used next to the main pad/parking area, and an upper portal, located approximately 500 feet uphill and to the left of the pad. Both portals were existing when the NOI was issued in July, earlier this year.

The lower pad contains a portable Conex box, leveled on wood timbers, which serves as a living/bunk area and tool storage (photo 1). To the south of the pad area, a historic tailings pile appears stable with some vegetation (photo 2), but it is not approved for mining, leveling, or any disturbance under the current NOI. Additionally, an old, antique compressor with steel wheels, housed in a makeshift lumber shed, is situated just east of the pad area, having been on-site prior to the current NOI.

The upper portal, located further up the hillside from the lower portal, is not accessible via a trail and requires bushwhacking. Mr. Brewer is considering constructing a small, low-impact walking trail to allow for safe passage with heavy backpacks, and he will coordinate with the USFS on the trail's specifics.

Approximately 30 feet in front of the upper portal (photo 3) lies a small tailings pile (photo 4), which is not approved for disturbance, mining, or expansion under the current NOI. The portal opens into a small rock outcrop (photo 5), where about six inches of water was observed extending back into the mine. A large dirt berm prevents water discharging from the mine, as the current NOI mandates that all water must remain within the mine workings. Mr. Brewer, who is fully aware of this requirement, has removed several old hoses that were previously in place, presumably for water removal.

PHOTOGRAPHS



Photo 1- Lower pad area with portable Conex box. The collapsed portal to the right, behind the shrub.



Photo 2- Lower tailings pile



Photo 3- Upper portal bench area. Tailings pile to the left, portal to the right.



Photo 4- Upper tailings pile.



Photo 5- Portal located behind the tree stump. The mound of dirt in front keeps water in the mine.



Photo 6- The hoses seen in Photo 3 above have been removed from the upper portal.

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