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COLORADOGagnon - DNR, Nikie <nikie.gagnon@state.co.us>

RE: [EXTERNAL] Re: Pit 29 Inspection Issue Resolution

1 message

Steve Kelton <skelton@brannan1.com>
To: "Gagnon - DNR, Nikie" <nikie.gagnon@state.co.us>
Cc: Alex Schatz <aschatz@brannan1.com>

Fri, Aug 29, 2025 at 3:57 PM

Hi, Nikie.

As requested, here are some additional photos of the completed weeding project at Pit 29.

Have a nice holiday weekend.

Steve

From: Gagnon - DNR, Nikie <nikie.gagnon@state.co.us>
Sent: Monday, August 25, 2025 3:40 PM
To: Steve Kelton <skelton@brannan1.com>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Pit 29 Inspection Issue Resolution

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Hi Steve.

I extended the deadline to Friday, August 29. Once the crew is done, please send me additional photos or a receipt and I'll abate the issue in our system.

Thank you for getting back to me today.

Kind regards,

Nikie

On Mon, Aug 25, 2025 at 3:28 PM Steve Kelton <skelton@brannan1.com> wrote:

Hi, Nikie,

The mowing crew made good progress today cutting the weeds near the reservoirs. Please see attached photos (the ones with the white pole show before and after).

There is still a lot of work to complete, and with the threat of rain this week I would like to request an extension until this Friday, August 29.

Thank you,

Steve Kelton

From: Gagnon - DNR, Nikie <nikie.gagnon@state.co.us>

Sent: Monday, August 25, 2025 9:22 AM

To: Steve Kelton <skelton@brannan1.com>; Alex Schatz <aschatz@brannan1.com>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Pit 29 Inspection Issue Resolution

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Hello.

This is a follow-up regarding the inspection issue cited at Pit 29 last month. Today is the due date for submitting evidence to the Division of completed weed control around the permit area. Acceptable evidence includes a receipt for weed control services or photos of dead plants after spraying and mowing the site.

Please email the evidence of weed control to me. If more time is needed to complete the work, please request an extension.

Kind regards,

Nikie Gagnon

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Before and After: Near northern (Worthing) parcel gate (8.28.2025)



Northern parcel, looking west (8.28.2025)



Mowing Crew finishing off southern reservoir (8.27.2025)