

Inspection Photos

10/18/2021

Operator: TEP ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC - 96850

Location ID: 335541

Garfield County, CO

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Photo 1: Photos 1-2 provide an overview from the west end of the Location facing north, northeast, southeast to southwest.

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Photo 2: See comments under photo 1.

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Photo 3: Photos taken from the slopes on the west end of the Location. Photo on the left taken from the 12/1/2020 inspection report that required BMPs on the slopes. Photo right shows Operator installed a single wattle on the slope; BMP has not been installed or maintained per good engineering practices; BMPs to protect and stabilize slopes remain missing or insufficient/inadequate.

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Photo 4: Photos show unused tube/pipe equipment stored on the south end of the Location.

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Photo 5: Photos taken from the interim areas of the Location. Photo left shows example of areas where desirable plant germination/establishment is not observed. Photo right shows examples of areas where desirable plant germination/establishment was observed, though uniform establishment is not progressing towards 1003 standards.

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Photo 6: Photo shows example of anchors observed that have not been properly marked, or markers are in disrepair. Marker maintenance is an ongoing issue that has been documented in previous inspections; markers appear to be frequently traveled over by vehicle equipment.