

Inspection Photos

10/09/2023

Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC #10456

Location ID: 335716

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Garfield County, CO

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Photo 1: Photos taken from the western working pad surface of the Location, facing northeast and east. Photos provide an overview of the Northern working pad surface and wells.



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Photo 2: Photos show southern working pad surface and wells.



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Photo 3: Photos 3-4 provide examples showing fence on the Location in disrepair.



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Photo 4: See comments under photo 3.



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Photo 5: Photos 5-6 taken from the western interim areas of the Location. Reclamation within these interim areas do not appear to be progressing towards 1003 standards; vegetation is predominantly Undesirable Plant Species such as Tumble mustard and cheatgrass; desirable plant establishment is sparse. Areas may require additional seeding efforts.



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Photo 6: Continued from photo 5. Photo right example showing sparse establishment of desirable vegetation.



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Photo 7: Photos taken from the interim areas on the east end of the Location. Perennial vegetative establishment within these areas are more apparent. Areas appear to be progressing towards 1003 standards, however additional growing seasons will be necessary to more accurately evaluate the reclamation.



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Photo 8: Photos 8-9 taken throughout the interim areas of the Location. Photos provide examples of Undesirable Plant Species observed throughout the Location; noxious species observe include Houndstongue, Musk thistle and Bull thistle.



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Photo 9: See comments under photo 8.



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Photo 10: Photos taken from the methanol tank adjacent to the wells. Photos show wildlife protection BMPs are inadequate. Wildlife mortality (mouse) observed within the containment measure.



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Photo 11: Photo taken from the methanol tank adjacent to the separators. Photo show wildlife protection BMPs are inadequate.



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Photo 12: Photos 12-14 examples showing various trash/debris observed throughout the Location.



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Photo 13: See comments under photo 12.



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Photo 14: See comments under photo 12.



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Photo 15: Photos taken from the tank battery facility on the south end of the Location. Photo right shows label/signage at the partially buried tank is no longer legible. Hatch has also not been properly closed/secured. Photo right shows signage at the tank battery facility has not been posted.



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