

Inspection Photos

11/19/2021

Operator: TEP ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC #96850

Location ID: 335538

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Photo 1: Photos provide examples of interim areas on the Location that are not progressing towards 1003 uniform revegetative standards.

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Photo 2: Photos provide examples of Noxious weeds (Russian olive) observed established on the western/northern interim areas of the Location.

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Photo 3: Photos taken from the slopes on the east end of the Location; control measures to protect/stabilize slopes missing or insufficient; erosion degradation evident. Areas are bare and exposed; desirable vegetative plant establishment not progressing towards 1003 standards.

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Photo 4: Photos provide examples of the cut slopes on the Location; control measures to protect and stabilize the cut slopes remains missing or insufficient per good engineering practices; erosion degradation evident. Note: yellow arrow indicating sediment deposition due to erosion at cut slopes.

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Photo 5: Photos provide examples of the cut slopes on the Location; control measures to protect and stabilize the cut slopes remains missing or insufficient per good engineering practices; erosion degradation evident. Note: yellow arrow indicating sediment deposition due to erosion at cut slopes.



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Photo 6: Photo shows erosion blankets at cut slopes behind separator equipment. Photo right shows sections of the BMP that has not been maintained in proper functioning condition.

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Photo 7: Photo shows stockpiled soils stored on the Location. Control measures to mitigate sediment transport from the soil stockpiles are missing or insufficient.



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Photo 8: Photo of well API 045-18287 conductor setting; well has not been drilled; Form 2 permit expired 7/24/2020; no Form 4 to abandon well has been submitted; conductor setting requires plugging.

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Photo 9: Photos show unused equipment, or equipment not necessary for production stored on the Location.