

Construction and Stormwater Inspection

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Operator: VERDAD RESOURCES LLC - 10651

Location ID: 425474

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Photo 1. Form 2A posted on location.

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Photo 2. Northern portion of the construction area. Stormwater ditch has been installed around the perimeter of the disturbance area.

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Photo 3. Northeastern portion of the construction area. Stormwater ditch has been installed around the perimeter of the disturbance area.

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Photo 4. Northeastern portion of the construction area. Perimeter berm material is unconsolidated and requires BMPs to stabilize the soils. At the time of this inspection, Staff observed a road grader wheel packing the berm on the western side of the location; the Operator shall ensure all soils are adequately stabilized.

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Photo 5. Taken from the east side of the location. Photo depicts topsoil salvage area.

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Photo 6. Taken from the east side of the location. Photo illustrates cut from topsoil salvage operations; the visible cut of the undisturbed topsoil vs the salvage area varied in depths of 3-6”.

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Photo 7. Taken from the western side of the topsoil stockpile. Staff estimates the topsoil stockpile is approximately 4,000 CY, which differs from the Operator submitted Topsoil Protection Plan estimates of 5,557 CY. Additionally, the topsoil stockpile requires temporary stabilization (e.g. equipment tracking, tackifiers, etc) to protect soils; construction activities were ongoing at the time of this inspection.

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Photo 8. Northwest corner of stockpile; see comments in Photo 6.

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Photo 9. Taken from the southern portion of the location, overlooking the original disturbance area (red outline) and the new disturbance area.

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Photo 10. Taken near the southwest corner of the location. Photo illustrates perimeter ditch and berm.

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Photo 11. Taken from the western portion of the location. Photo illustrates crew using road grader to compact/wheel pack the perimeter ditch and berm BMPs.