



**State of Utah**  
 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
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*Executive Director*  
**Division of Oil, Gas and Mining**  
 JOHN R. BAZA  
*Division Director*

# Inspection Report

Permit Number:	<b>C0070011</b>
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE
Inspection Date:	Thursday, May 26, 2016
Start Date/Time:	5/26/2016 8:30:00 AM
End Date/Time:	5/26/2016 11:30:00 AM
Last Inspection:	Tuesday, April 26, 2016

Representatives Present During the Inspection:	
Company	Dana Jenkins
OGM	Karl Houskeeper

Inspector: Karl Houskeeper  
 Weather: Cloudy Skies, Temp. 55 Deg. F.  
 InspectionID Report Number: 5536  
 Accepted by: JHELFRIC  
 6/6/2016

Permittee: **HIAWATHA COAL CO INC**  
 Operator: **HIAWATHA COAL CO INC**  
 Site: **HIAWATHA MINE**  
 Address: **PO BOX 1240, HUNTINGTON UT 84528**  
 County: **CARBON**  
 Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**  
 Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

**Current Acreages**

12,177.00	<b>Total Permitted</b>
290.00	<b>Total Disturbed</b>
95.90	<b>Phase I</b>
	<b>Phase II</b>
	<b>Phase III</b>

**Mineral Ownership**

- Federal
- State
- County
- Fee
- Other

**Types of Operations**

- Underground
- Surface
- Loadout
- Processing
- Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

*Karl R. Houskeeper*

**Inspector's Signature:**

Karl Houskeeper,  
 Inspector ID Number: 49

**Date** Thursday, May 26, 2016



**Note:** This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining. telephone (801) 538-5340 • facsimile (801) 359-3940 • TTY (801) 538-7458 • www.ogm.utah.gov

**REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS**

1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
  - a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
  - b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

	Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Signs and Markers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Topsoil	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Explosives	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Noncoal Waste	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Slides and Other Damage	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Backfilling And Grading	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Subsidence Control	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Cessation of Operations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Other Transportation Facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. AVS Check	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Air Quality Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
21. Bonding and Insurance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22. Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## **1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale**

The mining permit issued from the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (DOGM) occurred on March 14, 2012. The mining permit expires on March 14, 2017.

Air Quality Permit BAQE-502-89 on July 25, 1989. This permit is still in effect to present date.

UPDES Permit UT-0023094 became effective on February 1, 2016 and expires at midnight on January 31, 2021.

The insurance policy is issued through Federal Insurance Company. The minimum required coverage's were reviewed and found to be adequate. The certificate holder is listed as the State of Utah. The cancellation clause has been found to be acceptable. The policy does include explosion coverage as required. The policy was issued on 3/8/16 and expires on 3/8/17.

The Bond is covered by the Bank of Utah. The current bond amount on file is \$2,128,000.00.

## **2. Signs and Markers**

Mine identification signs are in place to designate the entrance point into the mining permit area from public access points. The signs do contain all of the required information required by regulation. The signs are in compliance.

### **4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments**

The first quarter 2016 sediment pond inspections were done on March 23, 2016. The Upper Rail Yard Sediment Pond and the Middle Fork Sediment pond need to be cleaned, as indicated on the inspection reports. Those cleans are scheduled to take place this spring.

### **4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations**

The discharge monitoring reports for March 2016 were reviewed. No parameters were exceeded.

## **7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments**

The first quarter 2016 refuse inspection was done on March 23, 2016. The report from this inspection is P.E. certified by a Utah P.E.

## **14. Subsidence Control**

No subsidence monitoring is currently required do to the extensive time that the mine has been idled.

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