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November 20, 1985

TO: A Team Technical Staff

FROM: *JW* John J. Whitehead, Permit Supervisor/Reclamation
Hydrologist

RE: Technical Review, Beaver Creek Coal Company, Gordon
Creek #3 and #6 Mines, INA/007/017, #2 and #14, Carbon
County, Utah

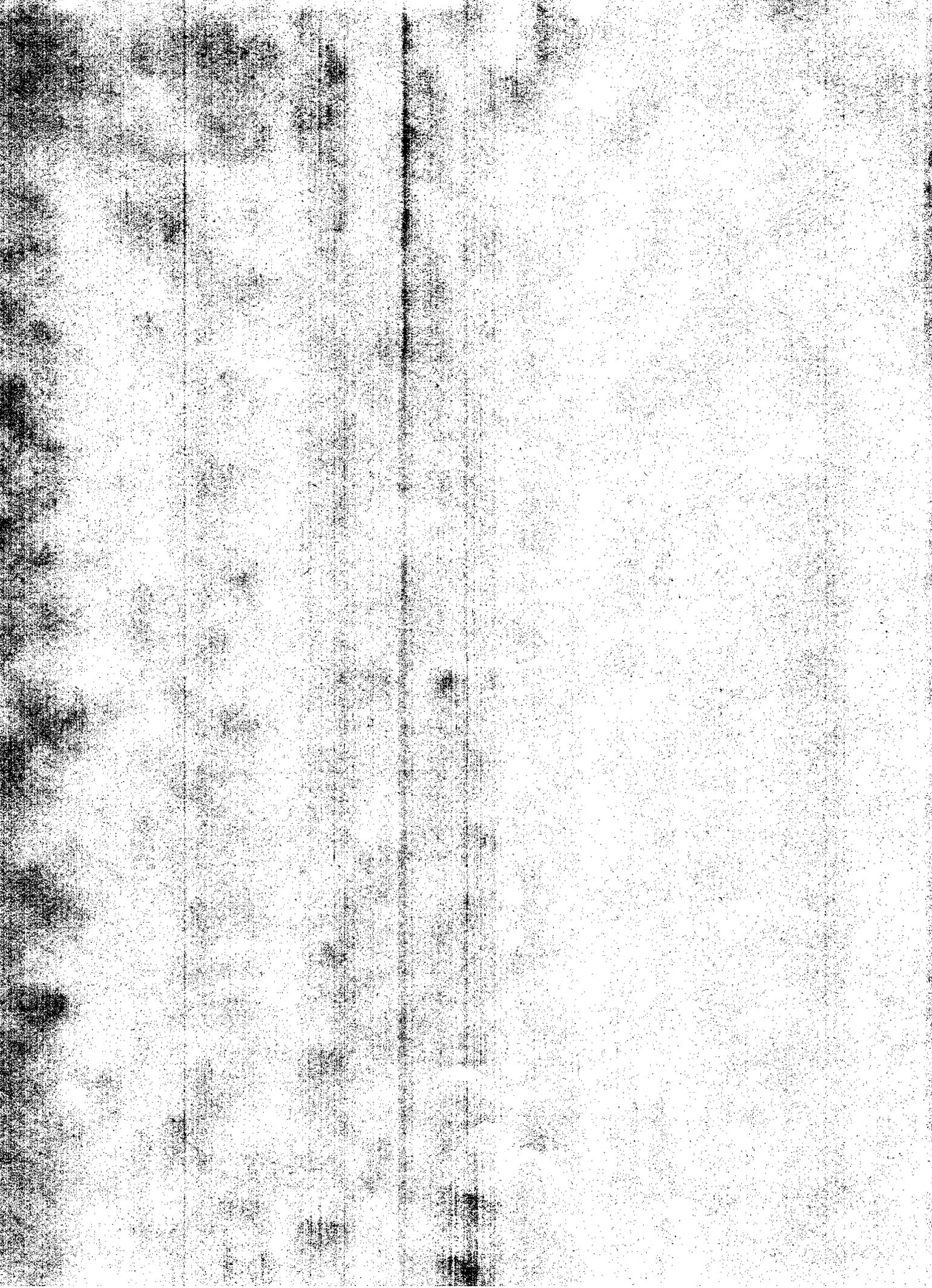
This memo is to reinforce what we discussed in our team meeting on November 13, 1985 regarding the review of the Gordon Creek #3 and #6 reclamation plan.

The interdisciplinary team meeting to include representatives from the Inspection and Enforcement (I & E) section will be held December 5, 1985 at 9:00 a.m., in Conference Room A. Prior to that meeting, each team member is to have reviewed the mine plan and prepared a draft, hand written Technical Analysis (TA). Any sections which cannot be finalized in the draft TA should be written up as technical deficiencies in paragraph form for incorporation into a letter which we will send posthaste to Beaver Creek Coal Company.

Please assure that you have your sections of the TA written prior to our meeting and any technical deficiencies also prepared so that these may be discussed with other members in the meeting. Please pay special attention to any items which you feel would overlap into other disciplines or be of special interest to I & E individuals. My hope is that this approach will provide a very thorough review of the mine plan from all aspects and eliminate any oversights which might occur should communication not take place between disciplines.

Thank you for your cooperation in this effort.

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cc: Lowell Braxton
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TO: Joseph C. Helfrich, Field Supervisor

FROM: *JK* John J. Whitehead, Permit Supervisor/Reclamation
Hydrologist

RE: Reclamation Mine Plan Review, Beaver Creek Coal
Company, Gordon Creek #3 and #6 Mines, INA/007/017, #2
and #14, Carbon County, Utah

The technical review team on the Gordon Creek #3 and #6 mine plan is initiating a technical review leading to the preparation of a Draft Technical Analysis for the Gordon Creek #3 and #6 Mines. This is a reclamation-only plan similar to the J. B. King and Huntington #4 efforts which were actually reclaimed this last construction season. Based on our experiences with reclamation performed at these two mine sites, the suggestion has been made that an interdisciplinary meeting occur to discuss the reclamation plans for the #3 and #6 Mines on December 5, 1985 at 9:00 a.m., in Conference Room A.

This memo is to request that Tom Wright and/or Dave Lof attend the meeting in order to provide input on the plan in regards to achieving a better product in the reclamation of this site. To date the interdisciplinary approach has been handled on an informal basis and it is felt that this might provide an opportunity for more inspector input on the particular sites involved.

It would be helpful if Messrs. Wright and Lof were able to review the mine plan prior to the meeting and provide any comments during the meeting.

Thank you for your consideration in this request.

btb
cc: Ken May
Lowell Braxton
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