



# State of Utah

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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### Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

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# Inspection Report

Permit Number:	<b>C0070042</b>
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE
Inspection Date:	Wednesday, November 16, 2016
Start Date/Time:	11/16/2016 9:00:00 AM
End Date/Time:	11/16/2016 12:00:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Tuesday, October 18, 2016

Representatives Present During the Inspection:	
Company	Rusty Netz
OGM	Steve Demczak

Inspector: Steve Demczak

Weather: Sunny, 50's, Dry Conditions

InspectionID Report Number: 5707

Accepted by: DHADDOCK

11/30/2016

Permittee: **SUNNYSIDE COGENERATION ASSOCIATES**  
 Operator: **SUNNYSIDE COGENERATION ASSOCIATES**  
 Site: **STAR POINT REFUSE**  
 Address: **PO BOX 159, SUNNYSIDE UT 84539**  
 County: **CARBON**  
 Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**  
 Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

#### Current Acreages

152.93	<b>Total Permitted</b>
152.93	<b>Total Disturbed</b>
	<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:

The Starpoint Refuse Pile was not active during the inspection. On top of the refuse pile there were stacks /piles of refuse material ready to be loaded. The permittee is getting ready for the winter climate conditions. Stacking material now is easier to load trucks then frozen compacted refuse material.

Stephen J. Demczak

Inspector's Signature:

Steve Demczak,  
Inspector ID Number: 39

Date Monday, November 28, 2016



**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 checked="" 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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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 checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Backfilling And Grading	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Subsidence Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Cessation of Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Other Transportation Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. AVS Check	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Air Quality Permit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

DOGM Mining permit C/007/042 issued November 14, 2013 and expires November 14, 2018.

-UPDES permit #UTG040025 effective September 1, 2013 and expires @ midnight August 31, 2018.

-Air Quality Permit DAQE-239-02 issued April 1, 2002, remains in effect.

-Reclamation agreement is dated October 14, 2003 and signed by both parties.

There are no amendments with the Division for review at this time.

## **2. Signs and Markers**

I inspected the identification sign and it meets the requirements of the R645 Coal Rules at the Plateau Refuse. See Photo

### **4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions**

I inspected diversions and culverts throughout the property. They were open and function as designed during a storm event. See photos

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

I inspected diversions and culverts throughout the property. They were open and function as designed during a storm event. The structures were recently re-graded and clean out of sediment. Embankments appear to be stable. The sediment ponds contained water but was not discharging. The third quarter sediment pond inspection was taken on September 23, 2016. See photos

### **4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring**

Water monitoring information is taken by the permittee and is sent electronically to the Division in Salt Lake City. This information is reviewed and analyzed by the Division staff. A report is written. The permittee was in compliance with the UPDES permit for the third quarter.

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

The permittee was in compliance with the UPDES permit for the third quarter.

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

I inspected the refuse pile and it appears to be stable. I did not notice any hazardous conditions to the embankments. The refuse pile is active. The permittee conducted a third quarter refuse pile inspection on September 23, 2016. This document is P.E. certified. No hazardous conditions were reported. See Photos

## **8. Noncoal Waste**

The property was clear of non-coal waste materials such as oil, trash and grease cans.

**10. Slides and Other Damage**

No slides or other damage was notice during the inspection. The mine site appears to be stable.

**16.b Roads: Drainage Controls**

I inspected the road diversions and culverts throughout the property. They were functioning as designed. See Photos

**18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations**

No new facilities constructed since the last inspection.

**19. AVS Check**

AVS checks are made in Salt Lake City.

**21. Bonding and Insurance**

The bond is a collateral bond in the amount of \$1,375,737.31, as of December 31, 2006. Insurance is by Author J. Gallagher Risk Management Services, Inc. The policy number is #35816976 and expires on December 31, 2016.

**Star Point Waste Fuel**  
MSHA-ID #42-02334  
SUNNYSIDE COGEN ASS.  
C-007-042  
REFUSE PILE.  
1211-UT-09-02334-01

POWER PLANT NO. SUNNYSIDE COGEN 425 000 4476













