



# State of Utah

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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## Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070045
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE
Inspection Date:	Monday, May 11, 2020
Start Date/Time:	5/11/2020 10:00:00 AM
End Date/Time:	5/11/2020 12:30:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Friday, March 6, 2020

Representatives Present During the Inspection:
OGM Steve Demczak

Inspector: Steve Demczak

Weather: Partly Cloudy, 50's, Dry Conditions

InspectionID Report Number: 6661

Accepted by: SCHRISTE

5/28/2020

Permitee: **BRC WELLINGTON, LLC**  
 Operator: **BOWIE REFINED COAL, LLC**  
 Site: **WELLINGTON DRY-COAL CLEANING FACILITY**  
 Address: **1865 WEST RIDGE ROAD, WELLINGTON UT 84654**  
 County: **CARBON**  
 Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**  
 Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

### Current Acreages

30.00	<b>Total Permitted</b>
30.00	<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:

I conducted inside the fence line, driving, walking and taking pictures. The property environmentally has not change since the last inspection. The diversions and culverts are functioning but are filled with sediment. Inlets to ponds and culverts are covered/ block with weeds. There are approximately twelve (12) waste piles varying in size.

Stephen J. Demczak

Inspector's Signature:

Steve Demczak,  
Inspector ID Number: 39

Date

Monday, May 11, 2020



**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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 checked="" 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 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Air Quality Permit	<input 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"/>

## **2. Signs and Markers**

I inspected the identification sign and it meets the requirements of the R645 Coal Rules at the Emery/Bronco mine.

## **3. Topsoil**

I inspected the topsoil piles and I did not see any signs of wind or water erosion. The topsoil piles appear to be stable and protected by a berm. See Photo

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

Diversions and culverts are filled with sediment. They will most likely function during a small storm events.

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

I did not see any hazardous conditions. The embankments appear to be stable. The sediment ponds were dry and therefore not discharging water. The inlets to the ponds had weeds and brush hindering the water to flow to the pond.

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

There are approximately twelve (12) piles of refuse material varying in size. The piles appear to be stable.

## **8. Noncoal Waste**

There is some non-coal waste material such as wood, paper and plastic cans lying around the property.

## **10. Slides and Other Damage**

No slides or other damage was notice during the inspection.

### **16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing**

Roads were well compacted with no dust problem. It was not a windy day.

### **16.b Roads: Drainage Controls**

Road diversions and culverts are partially filled with sediment.

## **21. Bonding and Insurance**

Currently, there are two possible scenarios. The Division will go after the bond or the bonding company maybe interested in reclaiming the Wellington Dry Coal site and gather the refuse material sold as road base.

**ATTACHMENT A – Wellington Dry Coal**



**PHOTO 1**  
Identification Sign



**PHOTO 2**  
East Sediment Pond



**PHOTO 3**  
Topsoil



**PHOTO 4**  
Waste Material