

December 13, 2019

Utah Coal Program
Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining
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Dear Program Supervisor,

Enclosed are the 2019, 3rd and 4th quarter (quarterly) inspection reports for the Fossil Rock Mine and the Fossil Rock Waste Rock Site.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Bryant Bunnell at (435) 286-4490.

Sincerely,
CANYON FUEL COMPANY
Fossil Rock Mine



Bryant Bunnell
Environmental Engineer

Encl.

cc: DOGM Correspondence File

State of Utah
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Quarterly Inspection Form - Refuse Disposal Areas

(please provide to DOGM promptly after inspection is complete)

Permit Number : C/015/009 Inspection Date : 7/19/2019
 Mine Name : Fossil Rock Mine Quarter / Year : 3rd/ 2019
 Mine Operator (Permittee) : Fossil Rock Resources, LLC Inspector Name : Bryant Bunnell
 MSHA ID # : UT09-01211-14 Inspector Signature : 
 Facility Name / Location / Address : Fossil Rock Waste Rock site

1. Describe any changes in the geometry of the structure (as well as instrumentation, if any, used to monitor changes):

No major changes in the geometry of the structure during this quarter.

It's estimated that ~ 121,000 cy of material has been removed. It's estimated that there is ~ 316,000 cy remaining.

2. Lift Height / Thickness Avg NA Maximum NA # _____ Elevation of Active Benches : NA

3. Vertical Angle of Outslope(s) / Location(s) where measured 2.57H:1V / South slope / _____

4. Total storage capacity: ~784,000 cy Remaining storage capacity ~468,000 cy Volume placed during year: 0

5. Describe foundation preparation (including removal of vegetation, stumps, topsoil, and all other organic material):

Foundation was prepared according to the approved plan.

6. Describe placement and compaction of fill materials (including an explanation of how compaction is confirmed):

NA

7. Is there any evidence of fires or burning on the structure? (If YES, specify extent, location, and abatement/extinguishment of such fires):

No

8. Describe placement of under drains, protective filter systems, and final surface drainage systems (report any seepage, including location, color, flow):

NA

9. Describe any appearances of instability, structural weakness, or other hazardous conditions:

None

10. Please provide any other information pertaining to the stability of the structure (attach any photos taken during the inspection)

Are there cracks or scarps in crest? YES NO NA

Is there any detectable sloughing or bulging? YES NO

Do slope erosion problems exist? YES NO

Cracks or scarps in slope? YES NO

Surface movements? (valley bottom, hillsides) YES NO

Erosion of Toe? YES NO

Water impounded by structure? YES NO

Are diversion ditches stable? YES NO

Is drainage positive? YES NO

Could failure of structure create an impoundment (provide description)? _____

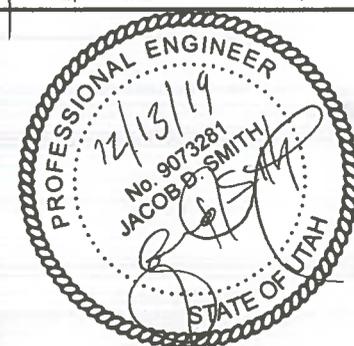
Are design standards established within the mining and reclamation plan for the disposal facility being met?

To the best of our knowledge.

Proctor Determination NA

I hereby certify that: I am experienced in the construction of earth and rock fills, I am qualified and authorized in the State of Utah to inspect and certify the condition and appearance of earth and rock fills in accordance with structure; that the fill structure has been maintained in accordance with the approved design and meets or exceeds the minimum design requirements under all applicable federal, state, and local regulations; and, that inspections and inspection reports are made by myself or under my direction and include any appearances of instability, structural weakness or other hazardous conditions of the structure affecting stability.

(place P.E. certification below)



Fossil Rock Resources, LLC - Fossil Rock Waste Rock Site

Sediment Pond Quarterly Inspection Report

Inspector: Bryant Bunnell

Date: 7/19/2019

Action Required?

1. Dam Structural Weakness

A. Cracks or scarps on crest

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

B. Cracks or scarps on slope

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

C. Sloughing or bulding on slope

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

2. Major Erosion

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

3. Surface Movements of Surrounding Slopes

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

4. Visible Sumps or Sinkholes in Slurry Surface

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

5. Clogging

A. Spillway Channels and Pipes

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

B. Decant System

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

C. Diversion Ditches

Yes		No	X
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None Observed

**Fossil Rock Resources, LLC - Fossil Rock Mine
Sediment Pond Quarterly Inspection Report**

Inspector: Bryant Bunnell

Date: 9/17/2019

Action Required?

1. Dam Structural Weakness

A. Cracks or scarps on crest

Yes		No	X
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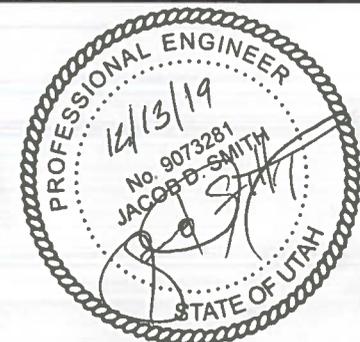
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Fossil Rock Resources, LLC - Fossil Rock Waste Rock Site

Sediment Pond Quarterly Inspection Report

Inspector: Bryant Bunnell

Date: 10/31/2019

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1. Dam Structural Weakness

A. Cracks or scarps on crest

Yes		No	X
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B. Cracks or scarps on slope

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None Observed

C. Sloughing or bulding on slope

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None Observed

2. Major Erosion

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3. Surface Movements of Surrounding Slopes

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5. Clogging

A. Spillway Channels and Pipes

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C. Diversion Ditches

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**Fossil Rock Resources, LLC - Fossil Rock Mine
Sediment Pond Quarterly Inspection Report**

Inspector: Bryant Bunnell

Date: 11/12/2019

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