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FROM: Lynn Kunzler, Reclamation Biologist *ly*

RE: Field Trip to Emery Deep Mine, ACT/15/015, Folder No. 13,
Emery County, Utah

On August 12, 1986, Lynn Kunzler and Kathy Mutz met with Ron Thompson to view the revegetation test plots and areas of past reclamation.

Riparian Testplot

Past highwater flows have destroyed these plots. There was little difference between the area of the testplots and adjacent areas.

Main Yard Testplot

Only sparse vegetation had established and this, apparently where moisture could accumulate.

Barrow Area

This area had significant vegetation established, but unlike two years ago, cool-season species were prevalent rather than the warm season species.

Reverse Osmosis Lagoon

This area was seeded during the spring of 1986 and mulched with a curly blanket. Very little vegetation had emerged.

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cc: Kathy Mutz
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