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All:
We have begun the mitigation project on the Leroy Mine area. The access road was completed today. We moved the track hoe to the area below the portals and began delineating the sandstone ledges. We hope to get a dozer by weeks end to strip the top surface off the coal and begin hauling waste material to the Deer Creek waste rock site by next week. However, this is all dependent on equipment availability. I will keep you posted on our progress. Attached are photos for your review. Photo DSCN0008 is the access road near the bottom looking up the road. Photo DSCN0010 is a the reclaimed portal pad looking west to east. These two areas have been deep gouged and seeded. Please call if you have any questions.

Thanks,

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The smallest good deed is better than the grandest good intention.

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