



**State of Utah**  
 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
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# Inspection Report

Permit Number:	<b>C0150018</b>
Inspection Type:	PARTIAL
Inspection Date:	Tuesday, March 22, 2016
Start Date/Time:	3/22/2016 8:00:00 AM
End Date/Time:	3/22/2016 12:30:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Thursday, February 04, 2016

Representatives Present During the Inspection:	
Company	Kenneth Fleck
OGM	Karl Houskeeper

Inspector: Karl Houskeeper  
 Weather: Clear Skies, Temp. 50 Deg. F.  
 InspectionID Report Number: 5470  
 Accepted by: JHELFRIC  
 3/28/2016

Permitee: **PACIFICORP**  
 Operator: **INTERWEST MINING CO**  
 Site: **DEER CREEK MINE**  
 Address: **PO BOX 310, HUNTINGTON UT 84528**  
 County: **EMERY**  
 Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**  
 Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

Current Acreages		Mineral Ownership	Types of Operations
19,936.88	<b>Total Permitted</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Underground
91.63	<b>Total Disturbed</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface
0.60	<b>Phase I</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> County	<input type="checkbox"/> Loadout
0.60	<b>Phase II</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Processing
0.60	<b>Phase III</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Reprocessing

**Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:**

The Division Inspector announced himself at the Interwest Mining office located in Huntington, Utah at the beginning of the inspection. Ken Fleck, Interwest Mining, accompanied Karl Houskeeper, Oil, Gas and Mining, on the partial inspection.

Most of the snow has melted off the main facility, except in shaded areas.

**Inspector's Signature:**

**Date** Tuesday, March 22, 2016

Karl Houskeeper,  
 Inspector ID Number: 49



**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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Slides and Other Damage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Backfilling And Grading	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Subsidence Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Cessation of Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Other Transportation Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. AVS Check	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input 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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## **2. Signs and Markers**

The mine identification sign is in place at the entrance gate into the mine site/permit area. The sign contains the operators name, address, phone number and Utah mining permit number as required by law.

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

The sediment pond was cleaned in the fall of 2015. Cleaning material was placed on the coal storage pad.

## **8. Noncoal Waste**

Conveyor covers were observed on the ground by the road cross under of the C1 conveyor just prior to the gate leading to the mine site. The covers have blown loose. These covers need to be gathered and either stored properly or disposed of. The mine site is idle so replacement of the covers over top of the conveyor to prevent coal fine liberation is not required.