



Abandoned Mine Reclamation Program PROJECT SUMMARY

SALINA PROJECT

San Pete & Sevier County, Utah

AMR/041/901

Project Location and Background

The Salina Project was located in San Pete and Sevier Counties consisting of reclamation of five (5) separate abandoned coal mine sites. The Sevier Valley Coal Mine site is one of the 5 sites and is located approximately 17 miles southeast of Salina, Utah.

The Sevier Valley project included four (4) shaft closures, regrading and removal of coal, surface water diversions and stream protection using both channel armoring and vegetation plantings.

This project was on US Forest Service lands in the Fishlake National Forest.



AMRP personnel during on-site meeting. March 6, 1992



The AMRP in the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, Utah Department of Natural Resources, was created in 1983 to address physical safety hazards associated with abandoned mines as authorized by the Surface Mining Reclamation and Control Act (SMCRA) of 1977. The Program is funded by The Utah Coal Producers who pay an abandoned mine reclamation fee to the Office of Surface Mining (OSM) on each ton of coal mined in Utah.

Owner:
United States Forest Service

General Contractor:
Minchey Digging

AMRP Project Manager:
Luci Malin



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Salina Project, 1991 -- Construction Summary

Minchey Diggins Inc. out of Cleveland, Utah was awarded the contract for the project. The work at the site included construction of a permanent cover on a steel culvert, repouring concrete caps for the shafts (VO-3 and VO-4) and fabricating a cover for the vertical opening in the pump house. Waste Piles were recontoured, topsoiled and reseeded. Juniper revetments were placed on the streambank and in the main draining for erosion control measures.

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS:

Project Cost: Bid Amount \$107,278.00
Final Amount \$189,974.59

Change Orders: 12(4)-\$82,696.59
additional coal waste site
grading/closure changes/drainage

Project Dates: Start: November 8, 1991
Finish: June 25, 1992
165 Work Days
230 Calendar Days

Accomplishments: Site Access Improvements: 1
Mine Closure (shafts): 4
Site Grading/Earthwork: 15,326 CUYD
Drainage Protection: 1,260 FT
Juniper Revetment: 70 TREES
Revegetation: 2.9 ACRES

Below: Juniper placed along streambank for protection.



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