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Subject Duhring Resource Company - Road maintenance coordination and other info

All,

Here is some more background information regarding Duhring's development in Lots 7, 8 and 9.

Below is an inspection report Jeff Stevenson wrote regarding his and Len Jedrek's field visit with Mr. Arthur Stewart to discuss road work for the Rock Run Timber Sale, which will use designated Forest Roads in Lots 7, 8 and 9. This inspection report documents that the Forest Service contacted Duhring to discuss and coordinate proposed road work where Duhring is operating. It also documents that Mr. Stewart isn't aware of where Duhring's lines are located in the ground, which will be a problem for implementing the road maintenance without hitting a line.

Furthermore, Jeff and Len noticed that a pit east of FR148 which was tested by Jeff to implement the Martin Run timber sales has had all the material removed to the test hole tags. This means the Forest Service invested money into testing this pit, however, it was not able to benefit from this testing because the material was removed by another organization. Mr. Stewart suggested that it may have been Snyder Bros. that expanded the pit, and denied that Duhring used the pit. The only operator working right in this area is Duhring. In addition, Jeff and Len said Duhring placed a transmission line in a culvert on a Forest Service road, and asked Mr. Stewart about it. Mr. Stewart's response was that it's only meant to be "temporary". To my knowledge, Duhring hadn't previously notified anyone from the Forest Service regarding this line.

Len, Jeff, and Sheldon, if you have additional information, please let us know.

Take care,
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Paul Here is a copy of the diary Jeff prepared in conjunction with our on-site visit with Arthur Stewart

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