



Orphan Well Overview



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History of Orphan Well Program

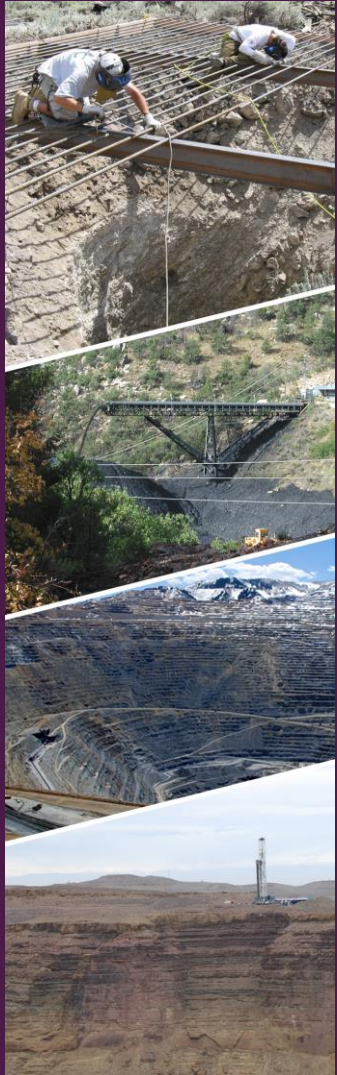
- Established in 1990
- 132 Wells plugged to date
- Cost of \$3.3 Million
- 31 Wells currently on list





Funding Source For Orphan Well Program

- Bonds
- Conservation Fund: 2 mil levy on production ($.002 \times$ value of oil and gas)
- Infrastructure Bill
- Bonds \$1.1 Million, Conservation Fund \$2.2 Million





Recent or Upcoming Changes Affecting Orphan Well Program

- Penalty Rule (2021)
- Bonding Rule Changes (2022)
- Dashboard Apps for Idle and Orphan Wells (2022)

