

AER Update on Imperial Kearl: Nov 1 - Nov 14, 2024

Hello everyone,

Please find below, updated information as we continue with our regulatory oversight of Imperial Kearl under the terms of the Environmental Protection Order (EPO).

If you have any questions, please reach out.

AER Highlights

- NODA, WETA, DP4, and WB3 areas were inspected by the AER on November 4 and November 12
- The AER's next planned site inspection is November 22

North Overburden Disposal Area (NODA)

- Winterization work in progress
- Discharge line improvement in process

West External Tailings Area (WETA)

Winterization work in progress

Drainage Pond 4 (DP4)

Winterization work in progress

Water Body 3 (WB3)

- Winterization work in progress
- Well point system 2 exchanger pump replaced

Monitoring & Sampling

- Winterization of critical monitoring wells complete
- Removed transducers (i.e., pressure monitors) from shallow groundwater wells and WB3 to prevent damage from freezing during the winter

Fish and Wildlife

- Imperial's weekly inspections of fenced wildlife areas are ongoing
- Weekly inspection of surface water locations ongoing