SMALL DEPRESSIONS

SCM anticipates utilizing small depressions as a part of the post-mining land use plan including depressional storage areas associated with reconstruction of the Spring Creek, South Fork of Spring Creek, and Pearson Creek tributaries which will be located near the confluence. For the purposes of this rule, depressional storage areas are defined as small depressions created in the bottom of reclaimed drainage channels to minimize erosion, conserve moisture or promote vegetation or wildlife use or small depressions created during final grading (refer to Section 17.24.501(4). These depressional storage areas will not restrict normal access throughout the area or constitute a hazard.