

Staff photos



Summer 2025- Pig grazing paddock. Woven mesh electrified fencing, secured water trough and mud wallow and food dispenser shown. Note the exterior perimeter woven wire and t-post fencing.



April 2026 – treatment effect of pigs is clearly visible along this old fence line. To the left, many light gray-green kochia seedlings are visible. To the right, few are visible.



April 2026 – Treatment effect of this paddock is clearly visible the following spring. Light gray-green kochia seedlings are visible in the distance and along the white fence. Few kochia seedlings have germinated in the treated area in the foreground.



April 2026 – Close up view of the soils in an area that was treated two years prior. Soil permeability is increased. Kochia from the previous untreated season was able to produce seeds that are now germinating. Note the three mushrooms sprouting- a sign of healthy topsoil being created.



April 2026 – Pigs are not the only animals producing waste at this site. Evidence of dog owners not cleaning up after their pets is clear all over the site.



April 2026- view of the stormwater facility immediately to the north of the site. This facility drains to a settling pond and eventually to the Poudre River. The applicant worked closely with staff to develop a plan that would protect stormwater from contamination by the pigs.