



State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission



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SUNDRY NOTICE

Submit original plus one copy. This form is to be used for general, technical and environmental sundry information. For proposed or completed operations, describe in full on Technical Information Page (Page 2 of this form.) Identify well or other facility by API Number or by OGCC Facility ID. Operator shall send an informational copy of all sundry notices for wells located in High Density Areas to the Local Government Designee (Rule 603b)

Received
10-11-2012

1. OGCC Operator Number: <u>66571</u>	4. Contact Name: <u>Daniel I. Padilla</u>	Complete the Attachment Checklist OP OGCC
2. Name of Operator: <u>OXY USA WTP LP</u>	Phone: <u>970.263.3837</u>	
3. Address: <u>780 Horizon Drive, Suite 101</u> City: <u>Grand Junction</u> State: <u>CO</u> Zip: <u>81506</u>	Fax: <u>970.263.3894</u>	
5. API Number: <u>05-</u>	OGCC Facility ID Number: <u>335921</u>	Survey Plat
6. Well/Facility Name: <u>Cascade Creek CDA</u>	7. Well/Facility Number: <u>697-15-01</u>	Directional Survey
8. Location (Qtr/Qtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Meridian): <u>NWNW, Sec. 15, T8S, R97W, 6th PM</u>		Surface Eqpm Diagram
9. County: <u>Garfield</u>	10. Field Name: <u>Grand Valley</u>	Technical Info Page
11. Federal, Indian or State Lease Number: _____		Other Lab data

General Notice

CHANGE OF LOCATION: Attach New Survey Plat (a change of surface qtr/qtr is substantive and requires a new permit)

Change of Surface Footage from Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Change of Surface Footage to Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Change of Bottomhole Footage from Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Change of Bottomhole Footage to Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Bottomhole location Qtr/Qtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Mer _____ attach directional survey

Latitude _____ Distance to nearest property line _____ Distance to nearest bldg, public rd, utility or RR _____
Longitude _____ Distance to nearest lease line _____ Is location in a High Density Area (rule 603b)? Yes/No _____
Ground Elevation _____ Distance to nearest well same formation _____ Surface owner consultation date: _____

GPS DATA:
Date of Measurement _____ PDOP Reading _____ Instrument Operator's Name _____

CHANGE SPACING UNIT
Formation _____ Formation Code _____ Spacing order number _____ Unit Acreage _____ Unit configuration _____
 Remove from surface bond
Signed surface use agreement attached _____

CHANGE OF OPERATOR (prior to drilling):
Effective Date: _____
Plugging Bond: Blanket Individual

CHANGE WELL NAME NUMBER
From: _____
To: _____
Effective Date: _____

ABANDONED LOCATION:
Was location ever built? Yes No
Is site ready for inspection? Yes No
Date Ready for Inspection: _____

NOTICE OF CONTINUED SHUT IN STATUS
Date well shut in or temporarily abandoned: _____
Has Production Equipment been removed from site? Yes No
MIT required if shut in longer than two years. Date of last MIT: _____

SPUD DATE: _____ REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL STATUS (6 mos from date casing set)

SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF STAGE, SQUEEZE OR REMEDIAL CEMENT WORK *submit cbl and cement job summaries
Method used _____ Cementing tool setting/perf depth _____ Cement volume _____ Cement top _____ Cement bottom _____ Date _____

RECLAMATION: Attach technical page describing final reclamation procedures per Rule 1004.
Final reclamation will commence on approximately _____ Final reclamation is completed and site is ready for inspection.

Technical Engineering/Environmental Notice

Notice of Intent Approximate Start Date: 10/15/2012 Report of Work Done Date Work Completed: _____

Details of work must be described in full on Technical Information Page (Page 2 must be submitted.)

<input type="checkbox"/> Intent to Recomplete (submit form 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Request to Vent or Flare	<input type="checkbox"/> E&P Waste Disposal
<input type="checkbox"/> Change Drilling Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Repair Well	<input type="checkbox"/> Beneficial Reuse of E&P Waste
<input type="checkbox"/> Gross Interval Changed?	<input type="checkbox"/> Rule 502 variance requested	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Update/Change of Remediation Plans for Spills and Releases
<input type="checkbox"/> Casing/Cementing Program Change	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <u>Interim reclamation</u>	

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct and complete.

Signed: [Signature] Date: 10/11/12 Email: daniel_padilla@oxy.com
Print Name: Daniel I. Padilla Title: Regulatory Advisor

COGCC Approved: [Signature] Date: 10-15-2012
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

Oxy USA WTP LP shall submit report in 6 month interval that provides status of drilling operations.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION PAGE



FOR OGCC USE ONLY

10-11-2012

- 1. OGCC Operator Number: 66571 API Number: _____
- 2. Name of Operator: OXY USA WTP LP OGCC Facility ID # 335921
- 3. Well/Facility Name: Cascade Creek CDA Well/Facility Number: 697-15-01
- 4. Location (QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Meridian): NWNW, Sec. 15, T6S, R97W, 6th PM

This form is to be completed whenever a Sundry Notice is submitted requiring detailed report of work to be performed or completed. This form shall be transmitted within 30 days of work completed as a "subsequent" report and must accompany Form 4, page 1.

5. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS

OXY USA WTP LP (Oxy) is submitting this sundry notice requesting to place its 697-15-01 cuttings disposal area (15-01 CDA) into interim reclamation. Oxy's 697-15-01 Cuttings Management Plan was submitted on 08/17/2011 in support of the 15-01 CDA and approved by the COGCC on 08/19/2011; please reference document number 2215578. The cuttings management plan detailed cuttings collection, transport, storage, stabilization and disposal activities associated with the cuttings generated at multiple drilling locations on Oxy's surface lands.

Oxy has temporarily suspended the use of this site and has completed temporary stabilization efforts detailed below as well as interim reclamation of this location to allow for future cuttings disposal at this existing location. Oxy would like to request to place the 15-01 CDA in an interim reclamation phase for a period of up to 18 months. Within 18 months: Oxy will 1) determine if the site is needed for additional cuttings disposal or 2) will prepare the site for final closure. As outlined in the cuttings management plan Oxy assumed that approximately 8,700 cubic yards of cuttings can be disposed of at this location. Currently, actual site conditions have allowed Oxy to dispose of approximately 10,000 cubic yards of drill cuttings at this location, leaving an additional 5,000 cubic yards of space for disposal. Oxy's estimate provided in the CMP was a conservative estimate based on the lowest portion of the cutslope in relation to the pad elevation and thus the additional allowable volume is based on this cutslope elevation variability.

Prior to transporting the cuttings from the drilling site to the 15-01 CDA, Oxy mixed the cuttings with sawdust to absorb de minimus amounts of fluids present in the cuttings. The cuttings were then transported via truck from multiple drilling locations to the 15-01 CDA. The cuttings were transported to the receiving/mixing area on the location, additionally mixed with native material, and then stacked at the permanent disposal location.

Oxy collected cuttings samples at the drilling site location (mixed with sawdust) as well as from the cuttings samples staged at the 15-01 CDA mixing area which indicated some exceedances when analyzed for COGCC Table 910-1. Oxy completed multiple mixing of these cuttings with native material, then collecting confirmation samples which were also analyzed for COGCC table 910-1. Confirmation sample results identified all analytes to be within table 910-1 allowable concentrations with the exception of arsenic. Oxy also collected background samples from undisturbed native material in the area which identified background arsenic concentrations to be higher than those found in the above mentioned mixed cuttings samples. Oxy temporarily capped the cuttings with three feet of native material, and collected a confirmation sample of the cap to confirm that a sufficient agronomic zone was in place to support reseeding efforts. All cap analytes were found to be below COGCC table 910-1 allowable concentrations.

To stabilize the 15-01 CDA, Oxy implemented stormwater BMP controls, including contouring of the 15-01 CDA slope, pocking and broadcast seeding of the location for interim reclamation. Additionally, Oxy installed a runoff diversion ditch above the 15-01 CDA to control stormwater runoff within the location. Please see the attached stormwater site map outlining all stormwater BMP and engineering controls installed with the 15-01 CDA and 697-15-01 pad boundary.

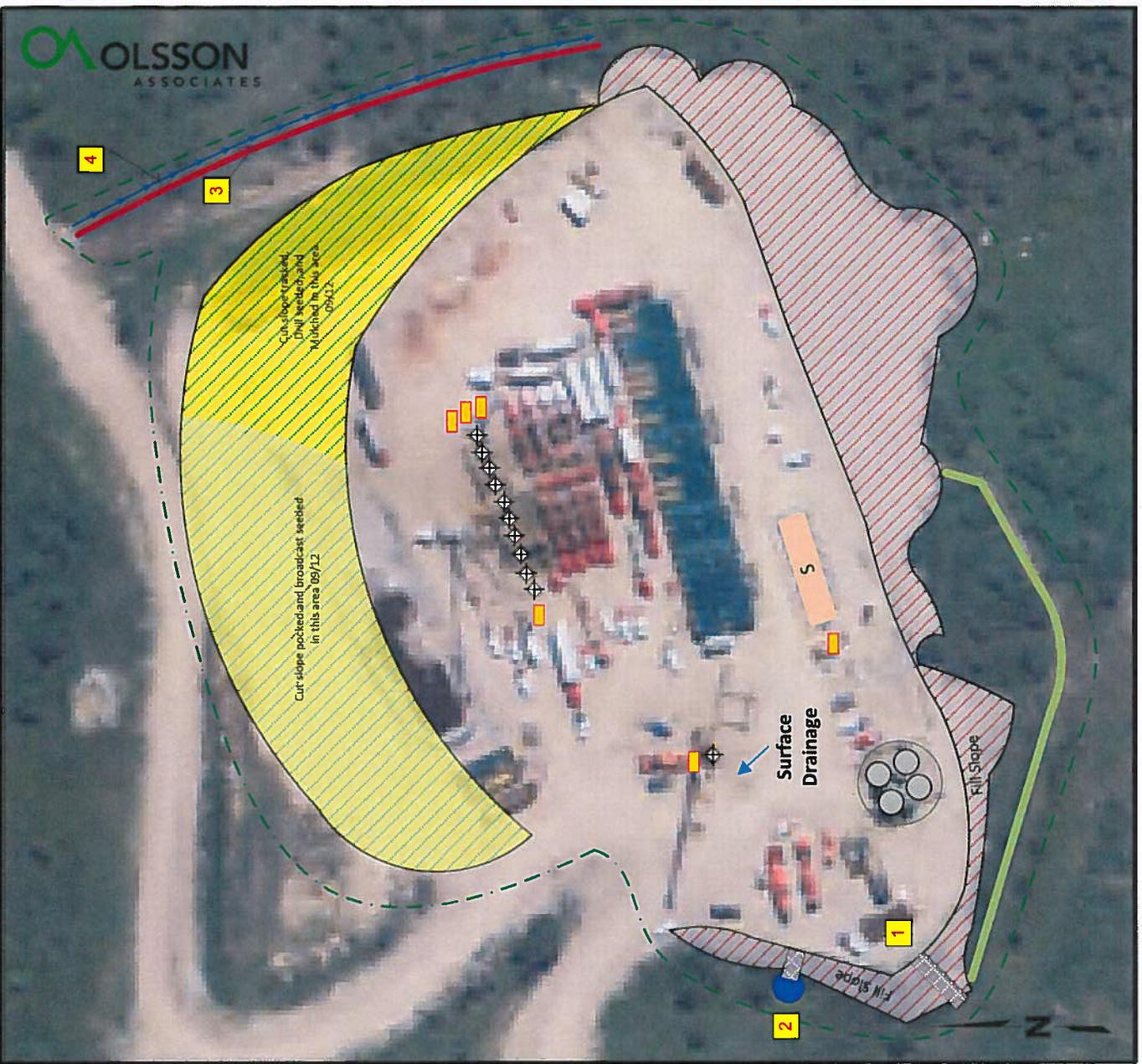
Currently, Oxy conducts 14-day stormwater inspections on the location due to reseeding efforts within other portions of the 697-15-01 pad. Once these locations have been seeded, the 697-15-01 location and CDA will be placed on monthly stormwater inspections.

Ongoing monitoring will be conducted for stormwater controls and success of revegetation until 80% cover/final closure is achieved, or until Oxy decides to open this site for continued cuttings disposal. Following revegetation and final closure of the 15-01 CDA, Oxy will conduct annual visual monitoring of the revegetation success to ensure SAR concentrations within the disposed cuttings do not effect the vegetation by potential upward leaching into the cap material. Oxy will consult with the COGCC to propose alternative activities if vegetation appears stressed or dying prior to the final closure and reclamation of the pad area.

If the 15-01 CDA is reopened and utilized for additional cuttings disposal, Oxy will complete the following: 1) notify the COGCC that the site is being reactivated, 2) remove the top soil layer and segregate this material for future use (most likely capping), 3) remove the remaining native material used as the cap and segregate this material for future use (most likely mixing), 4) install temporary stormwater BMPs around the top soil and native cap material piles, and 5) stage at the 15-01 CDA mixing location near the existing storage pile and begin cuttings mixing and staging. Handling of the cuttings will be completed as discussed in document # 2215578, including transport, sampling, staging, mixing, final disposal and closure.

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ME, 10-11-2012



CONTRACTOR COMMENTS

SITE DESCRIPTION
 Disturbed Acreage: 6.4
 Construction Start Date: <2010
 Receiving Water: See Receiving Waters Map
 Pre-disturbance/ Reference Vegetation (type & percent cover):
 See Vegetation Table in SWMP
 Seeding Info:

LEGEND

Construction Boundary	Separator(s)	Steel Containment	Wellhead	Tank	Latrine	Fuel Storage	Stored Chemicals	Barrel	Cut Slope	Fill Slope	Slash	Natural Drainage/ Stream		
Diversion	Wattle(s)	Earthen Berm	Check Dam	Velocity Control Dam	Hay Bales	Topsoil Berm	Drainage Dip	Sediment Trap	Armored Sed. Trap	Graveled Surface	Rock Rundown	ECB	Culvert	Inlet/Outlet Protection

