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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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08/28/2014

Spill report taken by:

Spencer, Stan

Spill/Release Point ID:

438688

SPILL/RELEASE REPORT (INITIAL)

This form is to be submitted by the party responsible for the oil and gas spill or release. Any spill or release which may impact waters of the State must be reported as soon as practicable; any spill over 20 bbls must be reported within 24 hours and all spills over five bbls must be reported within ten days. Submit a Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Form 27) when requested by the Director.

OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of Operator: WPX ENERGY ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC	Operator No: 96850	<b>Phone Numbers</b>
Address: 1001 17TH STREET - SUITE #1200		Phone: (970) 6832295
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202		Mobile: (970) 5890743
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INITIAL SPILL/RELEASE REPORT

Initial Spill/Release Report Doc# 400674817

Initial Report Date: 08/28/2014 Date of Discovery: 08/28/2014 Spill Type: Recent Spill

Spill/Release Point Location:

Location of Spill/Release: QTRQTR NWSE SEC 30 TWP 1N RNG 98W MERIDIAN 6

Latitude: 40.024575 Longitude: -108.432927

Municipality (if within municipal boundaries): County: RIO BLANCO

Reference Location:

Facility Type: WELL PAD  Facility/Location ID No 434569  
 No Existing Facility or Location ID No.  
 Well API No. (Only if the reference facility is well) 05- -

Fluid(s) Spilled/Released (please answer Yes/No):

Was one (1) barrel or more spilled outside of berms or secondary containment? No

Secondary containment, including walls & floor regardless of construction material, must be sufficiently impervious to contain any discharge from primary containment until cleanup occurs.

Were Five (5) barrels or more spilled? Yes

Estimated Total Spill Volume: use same ranges as others for values

Estimated Oil Spill Volume(bbl): 0	Estimated Condensate Spill Volume(bbl): 0
Estimated Flow Back Fluid Spill Volume(bbl): 0	Estimated Produced Water Spill Volume(bbl): 0
Estimated Other E&P Waste Spill Volume(bbl): 0	Estimated Drilling Fluid Spill Volume(bbl): >=100

Specify:

Land Use:

Current Land Use: NON-CROP LAND Other(Specify):  
Weather Condition: wet, muddy  
Surface Owner: FEDERAL Other(Specify):

Check if impacted or threatened by spill/Release (please answer Yes/No to all that apply):

Waters of the State  Residence/Occupied Structure  Livestock  Public Byway  Surface Water Supply Area   
As defined in COGCC 100-Series Rules

Describe what is known about the spill/release event (what happened -- including how it was stopped, contained, and recovered):

A contractor was setting an additional mud storage tank inside an earthen SPCC containment berm. During the tank placement, a valve got knocked off of another tank that was already in place which resulted in a drilling mud spill. Approximately 300 bbls of mud was spilled; all contained inside a berm. None of the fluids left the location. Spilled mud was recovered with vacuum trucks and placed back into tanks for reuse.

**List Agencies and Other Parties Notified:**

**OTHER NOTIFICATIONS**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Agency/Party</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Response</u>
8/28/2014	COGCC	Stan Spencer	970-987-2891	Initial Form 19
8/27/2014	BLM	Bud Thompson	970-878-3828	Verbal
8/27/2014	BLM	Justin Wilson	970-878-3825	Verbal
8/28/2014	County	Mark Sprague	970-878-9584	email
8/28/2014	Public health	Jeremy Simmons	970-878-9526	email
8/28/2014	Sheriff	Si Woodruff	970-878-9620	email

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: Karolina Blaney

Title: Environmental Specialist Date: 08/28/2014 Email: karolina.blaney@wpenergy.com

**COA Type**

**Description**

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**Attachment Check List**

**Att Doc Num**

**Name**

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**General Comments**

**User Group**

**Comment**

**Comment Date**

Agency	If this is recirculated mud containing potentially contaminated cuttings, provide confirmation sample data from spill area. If this is unused, clean, water-based bentonitic mud, it is not an E&P waste and cleanup for future use is sufficient.	8/28/2014 1:41:35 PM
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