

**FORM INSP**  
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**State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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Inspection Date:  
03/13/2015

Document Number:  
674900356

Overall Inspection:

**ACTION REQUIRED**

**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Location Identifier	Facility ID	Loc ID	Inspector Name:	On-Site Inspection	2A Doc Num:
	<u>215171</u>	<u>325652</u>	<u>Hughes, Jim</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number:	<u>10254</u>
Name of Operator:	<u>RED MESA HOLDINGS/O&amp;G LLC</u>
Address:	<u>5619 DTC PARKWAY - STE 800</u>
City:	<u>GREENWOOD</u> State: <u>CO</u> Zip: <u>80111</u>

- THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION
- FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- INSPECTOR REQUESTS FORM 42 WHEN CORRECTIVE ACTIONS ARE COMPLETED

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**Compliance Summary:**

QtrQtr: SWSE Sec: 23 Twp: 33N Range: 12W

Insp. Date	Doc Num	Insp. Type	Insp Status	Satisfactory /Action Required	PA P/F/I	Pas/Fail (P/F)	Violation (Y/N)
09/16/2013	663401197	PR	PR	SATISFACTORY	P		No
09/05/2007	200121270	PR	PR	<b>ACTION REQUIRED</b>			Yes
08/14/1997	500148620	PR	PR			Pass	No
07/11/1996	500148619	PR	PR			Pass	No
08/10/1995	500148618	PR	PR				Yes

**Inspector Comment:**

On March 13, 2015 COGCC SW EPS Jim Hughes conducted an environmental field inspection of the Red Mesa Holdings Herrera #5, accompanied by the land owner, Scott Herrera. Mr. Herrera was concerned about a hissing sound that he could hear coming from the well head. This field inspection was the result of Mr. Herrera contacting the COGCC with concerns about Red Mesa Holdings' wells on his property. For the most recent field inspection report of this facility, please refer to document #663401197.

**Related Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
215171	WELL	PR	09/30/2010	OW	067-06776	HERRERA 5	EI <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Equipment:**

Location Inventory

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Inspector Name: Hughes, Jim

Special Purpose Pits: _____	Drilling Pits: _____	Wells: _____	Production Pits: _____
Condensate Tanks: _____	Water Tanks: _____	Separators: _____	Electric Motors: _____
Gas or Diesel Mortors: _____	Cavity Pumps: _____	LACT Unit: _____	Pump Jacks: _____
Electric Generators: _____	Gas Pipeline: _____	Oil Pipeline: _____	Water Pipeline: _____
Gas Compressors: _____	VOC Combustor: _____	Oil Tanks: _____	Dehydrator Units: _____
Multi-Well Pits: _____	Pigging Station: _____	Flare: _____	Fuel Tanks: _____

**Location**

**Lease Road:**

Type	Satisfactory/Action Required	comment	Corrective Action	Date
Access	SATISFACTORY			

**Signs/Marker:**

Type	Satisfactory/Action Required	Comment	Corrective Action	CA Date
WELLHEAD	SATISFACTORY			

Emergency Contact Number (S/A/V): SATISFACTORY

Corrective Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_

**Good Housekeeping:**

Type	Satisfactory/Action Required	Comment	Corrective Action	CA Date
WEEDS	<b>ACTION REQUIRED</b>	<b>Location has weeds present.</b>	<b>Clear undesirable vegetation from location.</b>	<b>04/13/2015</b>

**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume	Corrective action	CA Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Spills and Releases?				

**Fencing/:**

Type	Satisfactory/Action Required	Comment	Corrective Action	CA Date
PUMP JACK	SATISFACTORY			

**Equipment:**

Type	#	Satisfactory/Action Required	Comment	Corrective Action	CA Date
Flow Line	1	SATISFACTORY			
Pump Jack	1	SATISFACTORY			
Deadman # & Marked	4	SATISFACTORY			

**Facilities:**

New Tank Tank ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	SE GPS
CRUDE OIL	2	300 BBLs	STEEL AST	37.080664,-108.119287

S/A/V: SATISFACTORY Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Corrective Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Paint

Inspector Name: Hughes, Jim

Condition	Adequate			
Other (Content)	_____			
Other (Capacity)	_____			
Other (Type)	_____			
<b>Berms</b>				
Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Earth	Inadequate	Walls Insufficient	Base Sufficient	Inadequate
Corrective Action	Maintain berm to comply with Rule 605.a.4.			Corrective Date 03/23/2015
Comment	Capacity insufficient, storm water present, poly lines to pit.			

<b>Venting:</b>		
Yes/No	Comment	

<b>Flaring:</b>				
Type	Satisfactory/Action Required	Comment	Corrective Action	CA Date

**Predrill**

Location ID: 215171

**Site Preparation:**

Lease Road Adeq.: \_\_\_\_\_ Pads: \_\_\_\_\_ Soil Stockpile: \_\_\_\_\_

**S/AV:** \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CDP Num.: \_\_\_\_\_

**Form 2A COAs:**

**S/AV:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Comment:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CA:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Wildlife BMPs:**

**S/AV:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Comment:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CA:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Stormwater:**

**Comment:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Staking:**

**On Site Inspection (305):**

Surface Owner Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Operator Rep. Contact Information:

Landman Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Onsite Request Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Rule 306 Consultation: \_\_\_\_\_

Request LGD Attendance: \_\_\_\_\_

LGD Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Agreed to Attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Summary of Landowner Issues:

Summary of Operator Response to Landowner Issues:

Onsite Inspection Memorandum Summarizing Discussions at Inspection as Attachment:

**Facility**

Facility ID: 215171 Type: WELL API Number: 067-06776 Status: PR Insp. Status: EI

**Environmental**

**Spills/Releases:**

Type of Spill: \_\_\_\_\_ Description: \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated Spill Volume: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reportable: \_\_\_\_\_ GPS: Lat \_\_\_\_\_ Long \_\_\_\_\_

Proximity to Surface Water: \_\_\_\_\_ Depth to Ground Water: \_\_\_\_\_

**Water Well:**

	Lat	Long
DWR Receipt Num: _____	Owner Name: _____	GPS : _____

**Field Parameters:** \_\_\_\_\_

Sample Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Emission Control Burner (ECB): \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Pilot: \_\_\_\_\_ Wildlife Protection Devices (fired vessels): \_\_\_\_\_

**Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**

**Interim Reclamation:**

Date Interim Reclamation Started: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Interim Reclamation Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Land Use: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

1003a. Debris removed? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_

CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_

Waste Material Onsite? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_

CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_

CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_

Pit, cellars, rat holes and other bores closed? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_

CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_

Guy line anchors removed? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_

CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_

Guy line anchors marked? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_

CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_

1003b. Area no longer in use? \_\_\_\_\_ Production areas stabilized ? \_\_\_\_\_

1003c. Compacted areas have been cross ripped? \_\_\_\_\_

1003d. Drilling pit closed? \_\_\_\_\_ Subsidence over on drill pit? \_\_\_\_\_

Cuttings management: \_\_\_\_\_

1003e. Areas no longer needed for drilling or subsequent operations for have been re-vegetated to 80% of pre-existing? \_\_\_\_\_

Production areas have been stabilized? \_\_\_\_\_ Segregated soils have been replaced? \_\_\_\_\_

**RESTORATION AND REVEGETATION**

Cropland

Top soil replaced \_\_\_\_\_ Recontoured \_\_\_\_\_ Perennial forage re-established \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced \_\_\_\_\_ Recontoured \_\_\_\_\_ 80% Revegetation \_\_\_\_\_

1003 f. Weeds Noxious weeds? \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Overall Interim Reclamation \_\_\_\_\_

**Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:**

Date Final Reclamation Started: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Final Reclamation Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Final Land Use: \_\_\_\_\_

Reminder: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Well plugged \_\_\_\_\_ Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled \_\_\_\_\_

Debris removed \_\_\_\_\_ No disturbance /Location never built \_\_\_\_\_

Access Roads Regraded \_\_\_\_\_ Contoured \_\_\_\_\_ Culverts removed \_\_\_\_\_

Gravel removed \_\_\_\_\_

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed \_\_\_\_\_ Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured \_\_\_\_\_

Compaction alleviation \_\_\_\_\_ Dust and erosion control \_\_\_\_\_

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% \_\_\_\_\_ Cropland: perennial forage \_\_\_\_\_

Weeds present \_\_\_\_\_ Subsidence \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Overall Final Reclamation \_\_\_\_\_ Well Release on Active Location  Multi-Well Location

**Storm Water:**

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
Compaction	Pass	Compaction	Pass			

S/A/V: SATISFACTOR Corrective Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Y \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

CA: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pits:**  NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

**Attached Documents**

You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
674900357	Herrera #5 well head.	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3568930">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3568930</a>
674900358	Flow lines to tank battery.	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3568931">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3568931</a>
674900359	Herrera #5 location with weeds present.	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3568932">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3568932</a>

## **ACTION REQUIRED**

**ANY ACTION REQUIRED** items listed on this report indicate that the oil and gas facility or the oil and gas operations listed on the report may be in violation of the rules and regulations of the Colorado Oil and Conservation Commission (“COGCC”) and corrective action is required.

There is reasonable cause to believe that a violation of the Oil and Gas Conservation Act, or of any rule, regulation, or order of the Commission, or of any permit issued by the Commission, has occurred. The Operator’s compliance with this Inspection Report is required to resolve these alleged violations. This document requires the Operator to timely respond to the COGCC and to comply with directives as listed by the **Corrective Action Deadline Date**. Failure to do so will result in the issuance of a Notice of Alleged Violation and initiation of enforcement proceedings in which COGCC will seek monetary penalties for the alleged violations pursuant to § 34-60-121, C.R.S. and Rule 523, COGCC Rules of Practice and Procedure, 2 CCR 404-1. (Please note that the COGCC's penalty authority was recently increased to a maximum of \$15,000 per day and penalties are no longer capped at a maximum of \$10,000 per violation.)