

**FORM  
INSP**Rev  
05/11**State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203  
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Inspection Date:  
08/24/2015Document Number:  
673502723

Overall Inspection:

**ACTION REQUIRED****FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Location Identifier	Facility ID	Loc ID	Inspector Name:	On-Site Inspection	2A Doc Num:
	217369	386477	COSTA, RYAN	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 56530Name of Operator: MERIDIAN OIL INCAddress: PO BOX 4289City: FARMINGTON State: NM Zip: 87499

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

**Contact Information:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
Williams, Donna J		Donna.J.Williams@conocophillips.com	

**Compliance Summary:**QtrQtr: NWNW Sec: 13 Twp: 34S Range: 68W

Insp. Date	Doc Num	Insp. Type	Insp Status	Satisfactory /Action Required	PA P/F/I	Pas/Fail (P/F)	Violation (Y/N)
06/25/2014	673501291	AL	AL	ACTION REQUIRED		Fail	No
08/06/2012	668200066	AL	AL	ALLEGED VIOLATION		Fail	Yes

**Inspector Comment:**Reclamation Inspection**Related Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status	
217369	WELL	AL	03/16/1990	LO	071-06145	APACHE CANYON 13-4	AL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Equipment:**Location Inventory

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**

Emergency Contact Number (S/A/V): \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

**Spills:**

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Type	Area	Volume	Corrective action	CA Date					
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Spills and Releases?									
<b>Venting:</b>									
Yes/No		Comment							
<b>Flaring:</b>									
Type	Satisfactory/Action Required	Comment	Corrective Action	CA Date					
<b>Predrill</b>									
Location ID: 217369									
<b>Site Preparation:</b>									
Lease Road Adeq.:		Pads:	Soil Stockpile:						
<b>S/A/V:</b>									
Corrective Action:		Date:	CDP Num.:						
<b>Form 2A COAs:</b>									
<b>S/A/V:</b>		<b>Comment:</b>							
<b>CA:</b>		<b>Date:</b>							
<b>Wildlife BMPs:</b>									
<b>S/A/V:</b>		<b>Comment:</b>							
<b>CA:</b>		<b>Date:</b>							
<b>Stormwater:</b>									
<b>Comment:</b>									
<b>Staking:</b>									
<b>On Site Inspection (305):</b>									
<b>Surface Owner Contact Information:</b>									
Name:		Address:							
Phone Number:		Cell Phone:							
<b>Operator Rep. Contact Information:</b>									
Landman Name:		Phone Number:							
Date Onsite Request Received:		Date of Rule 306 Consultation:							
Request LGD Attendance:									
<b>LGD Contact Information:</b>									
Name:		Phone Number:	Agreed to Attend:						
<b>Summary of Landowner Issues:</b>									
<b>Summary of Operator Response to Landowner Issues:</b>									
<b>Onsite Inspection Memorandum Summarizing Discussions at Inspection as Attachment:</b>									
<b>Facility</b>									
Facility ID:	217369	Type:	WELL	API Number:	071-06145	Status:	AL	Insp. Status:	AL

**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? \_\_\_\_\_

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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: **Reclamation of the location has not been completed since the previous inspection. Noticed noxious weeds present at the location and the cut into the slope at the south side of location is not stable. SEE ATTACHED PHOTOS**

Well plugged \_\_\_\_\_

Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled **Fail**

Debris removed \_\_\_\_\_

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

Access Roads Regraded \_\_\_\_\_

Contoured \_\_\_\_\_

Culverts removed \_\_\_\_\_

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

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed **Fail**

Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured **Fail**

Compaction alleviation \_\_\_\_\_

Dust and erosion control **Fail**

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% \_\_\_\_\_

Cropland: perennial forage \_\_\_\_\_

Weeds present **Fail**

Subsidence \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: **A detailed reclamation plan was submitted to COGCC staff since the previous inspection. However, a timeline and schedule was never recieved as requested and the required reclamation has not been performed at the location.**

Corrective Action: **Submit a form 4 with a detatiled schedule of when the required reclamation will commence by the corrective action date. The required reclamation work will need to be completed no later than March of 2016.**

Date **09/25/2015**

Overall Final Reclamation **Fail**

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

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

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

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

**Pits:** ☐ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

**COGCC Comments**

Comment	User	Date
	CostaR	08/25/2015

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Due to time restrictions within the State Wildlife area the required reclamation at this location has been extended until the end of March of 2016.	CostaR	08/25/2015	
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**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
673502724	Inspection Photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3669279">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=3669279</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.)