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678200616**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Loc ID \_\_\_\_\_ Inspector Name: YOUNG, ROB On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_

**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 10380Name of Operator: BENCHMARK ENERGY LLCAddress: PO BOX 8747City: PRATT State: KS Zip: 67124**Status Summary:**

- ☐ THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION
- ☐ FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- ☐ NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

**Findings:**1 Number of Comments0 Number of Corrective Actions☐ Corrective Action Response Requested**Contact Information:**

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**General Comment:**

Environmental inspection related to COGCC Special Project #2150 that was created to document the removal of E&P waste impacted soil that had been stockpiled by Benchmark Energy, LLC at several locations. Approximately 16 cubic yards of impacted soil were stockpiled on location by Benchmark Energy LLC during the initial cleanup effort related to flowline Spill ID #442501. The COGCC excavated an additional 7 cubic yards of impacted material and subsequently disposed of all the impacted soil as documented on Waste Tracking Number #305112, at the Waste Management North Weld Landfill in Ault, CO.

The damaged polyethylene flowline section was cut out and each open end was capped. On September 21, 2016, four soil samples were collected from the extents of the excavation for BTEX and TPH laboratory analysis. No BTEX or TPH constituents were detected above the Table 910-1 concentrations. On October 14, 2016, approximately 40 yards of clean fill was used to backfill the open excavation and regrade the surrounding area. The capped ends of the flowline were marked using fence posts for future access. Following the backfilling, the excavation area was deep ripped to alleviate compaction and prepare the site for final reclamation activities.

**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
401224196	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089414">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089414</a>
678200628	Soil disposal manifest	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089406">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089406</a>
678200629	Location photographs	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089407">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089407</a>
678200630	Test America laboratory report	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089408">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089408</a>
678200631	Location Drawing	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089409">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4089409</a>