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Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Supplemental Form)

This form shall be submitted to the Director for approval prior to the initiation of site investigation and remediation activities. However, this shall not preclude the Operator from taking immediate action to protect public health or safety, the environment, wildlife, or livestock.

This Form 27 describes site conditions as currently understood by the Operator; approval of this Form 27 by COGCC is based on the site conditions accurately described herein; any changes in site conditions identified during or subsequent to the performance of the approved workplan may necessitate additional investigation or remediation which shall be described on a supplemental Form 27. This Form 27 is intended to provide basic information regarding the proposed site investigation and remediation actions, but the workplan may be more fully described in attached documentation.

Refer to Rules 340, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, and 910

OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC	Operator No: 10456	Phone Numbers
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 8255 Initial Form 27 Document #: 2147922

PURPOSE INFORMATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 901.e. Sensitive Area Determination | <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(5), Rule 910.b.(4): Remediation of impacted ground water |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(1), Rule 905: Pit or PW vessel closure | <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 909.e.(2)A.: Notice completion of remediation in accordance with Rule 909.b. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(2), Rule 906: Spill/Release Remediation | <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 909.e.(2)B.: Closure of remediation project |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(3), Rule 907.e.: Land treatment of oily waste | <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 906.c.: Director request |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(4), Rule 908.g.: Centralized E&P Waste Management Facility closure | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other LINED EARTHEN PIT CLOSURE |

SITE INFORMATION

N Multiple Facilities (in accordance with Rule 909.c.)

Facility Type: PIT	Facility ID: 278619	API #:	County Name: GARFIELD
Facility Name: NP EF C27 595	Latitude: 39.589010	Longitude: -108.043950	
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude:		Longitude:	
QtrQtr: NENW	Sec: 27	Twp: 5S	Range: 95W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications MH

Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use RANGELAND

Is domestic water well within 1/4 mile? Yes

Is surface water within 1/4 mile? Yes

Is groundwater less than 20 feet below ground surface? No

Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile

ACCORDING TO COGCC GIS ONLINE MAPPING THERE ARE 2 STREAMS, AND 1 WATER WELL WITHIN 1/4 MILE OF PAD.

SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN

TYPE OF WASTE:

☐ E&P Waste

☒ Other E&P Waste

☐ Non-E&P Waste

☐ Produced Water

☐ Workover Fluids

☐ Oil

☐ Tank Bottoms

☐ Condensate

☐ Pigging Waste

☐ Drilling Fluids

☐ Rig Wash

☐ Drill Cuttings

☐ Spent Filters

☒ Pit Bottoms

☐ Other (as described by EPA)

DESCRIPTION OF IMPACT

Impacted?	Impacted Media	Extent of Impact	How Determined
	SOILS	IMPACTS WILL BE DETAILED IN FORM 19	Soil sampling

INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY

Description of initial action or emergency response measures take to abate, investigate, and/or remediate impacts associated with E&P Waste.

The following activities have been, or will be carried out in support of pit closure activities conducted in support of this project: 905.b(2) & 905.b(4) ? Above‐liner fluids and solids will be removed from the pit and will be reused or disposed‐of at an approved disposal facility with appropriate receipts and manifests.

905.b(3) ? Liner will be removed and reused/recycled or disposed of at an approved disposal facility with appropriate receipts and manifests. 905.b(4) ? Representative grab samples will be collected from the pit bottom following removal of the pit liner and will be analyzed for compliance with COGCC Table 910‐1. 905.c ? In the event the constituents of concern found below the liner are in excess of Table 910‐1 allowable concentrations and above background concentrations, a Form 19 (Spill/Release Report) will be submitted to document the failure of the pit liner.

PROPOSED SAMPLING PLAN

Proposed Soil Sampling

☒ Will soil samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, type (grab/composite), analyses, and locations of samples):

please see attached

Proposed Groundwater Sampling

☐ Will groundwater samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, analyses, and locations of samples):

Ground water is not expected since it was not discovered during the initial rounds of drilling.

Proposed Surface Water Sampling

☐ Will surface water samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, analyses, and locations of samples):

Additional Investigative Actions

☒ Additional alternative investigative actions described in attached Site Investigation Plan (summary):

please see attached

SITE INVESTIGATION REPORT

SAMPLE SUMMARY

Soil

Number of soil samples collected 32

Number of soil samples exceeding 910-1 19

Was the areal and vertical extent of soil contamination delineated? No

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 10000

NA / ND

-- Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) 8800

-- Highest concentration of SAR 80

 BTEX > 910-1 Yes

 Vertical Extent > 910-1 (in feet) 32

Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 0

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? No

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet)

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 910-1

 Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l)

 Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l)

 Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l)

 Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l)

 Highest concentration of Methane (mg/l)

Surface Water

0 Number of surface water samples collected

 Number of surface water samples exceeding 910-1

If surface water is impacted, other agency notification may be required.

OTHER INVESTIGATION INFORMATION

☐ Were impacts to adjacent property or offsite impacts identified?

☐ Were background samples collected as part of this site investigation?

☐ Was investigation derived waste (IDW) generated as part of this investigation?

Volume of solid waste (cubic yards)

Volume of liquid waste (barrels)

☐ Is further site investigation required?

REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN

Does this Supplemental Form 27A include changes to a previously approved Remedial Action Plan? No _____

SOURCE REMOVAL SUMMARY

Describe how source is to be removed.

Impacted material will be remediated in situ. Remediation success will be demonstrated through sample collection and laboratory analysis.

REMEDIATION SUMMARY

Describe how remediation of existing impacts to soil and groundwater is to be accomplished (i.e. summarize remedial action plan). Provide a brief narrative description including: technical justification, schedule for implementation, estimated time to attain NFA status, plus plans and specifications for the selected remedial action technology.

Based on the continued success of this remediation Caerus plans to continue to utilize the bio-vent wells for passive venting with quarterly enhanced SVE events using the SVE trailer to introduce additional airflow to the pit remediation area.

Soil Remediation Summary

☒ In Situ

Yes _____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

_____ Chemical oxidation

Yes _____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

Yes _____ Natural Attenuation

Yes _____ Other _____ Bio-Vent Wells _____

☐ Ex Situ

_____ Excavate and offsite disposal

If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) _____

Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or COGCC Facility ID # _____

_____ Excavate and onsite remediation

_____ Land Treatment

_____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

_____ Chemical oxidation

_____ Other _____

Groundwater Remediation Summary

☐ _____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

☐ _____ Chemical oxidation

☐ _____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

☐ _____ Natural Attenuation

☐ _____ Other _____

GROUNDWATER MONITORING

If groundwater has been impacted, describe proposed monitoring plan, including # of wells or sample points, monitoring schedule, analytical methods, points of compliance. Attach a groundwater monitoring location diagram.

In the event that impacts to groundwater are identified, a vertical and lateral extent would be determined by a third party contractor and an appropriate in-situ remediation and monitoring plan would be prepared and submitted to the COGCC.

REMEDATION PROGRESS UPDATE

PERIODIC REPORTING

Frequency: ☐ Quarterly ☐ Semi-Annually ☐ Annually ☒ Other boring log and area of influence figure per COA dated 2/15/18

Report Type: ☐ Groundwater Monitoring ☐ Land Treatment Progress Report ☐ O&M Report ☐ Other _____

WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Was E&P waste generated as part of this remediation? _____

Describe beneficial use, if any, of E&P Waste derived from this remediation project:

Volume of E&P Waste (solid) in cubic yards _____

E&P waste (solid) description _____

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: _____

Volume of E&P Waste (liquid) in barrels _____

E&P waste (liquid) description _____

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: _____

REMEDATION COMPLETION REPORT

REMEDATION COMPLETION SUMMARY

Is this a Final Closure Request for this Remediation Project? No _____

Do all soils meet Table 910-1 standards? _____

Does the previous reply indicate consideration of background concentrations? _____

Are the only residual soil impacts pH, SAR, or EC at depths greater than 3 feet below ground surface? _____

Does Groundwater meet Table 910-1 standards? _____

Is additional groundwater monitoring to be conducted? _____

RECLAMATION PLAN

RECLAMATION PLANNING

Describe reclamation plan. Discuss existing and new grade recontouring; method and testing of compaction alleviation; and reseeding program, including location of new seed, seed mix and noxious weed prevention. Attach diagram or drawing.

The pit will be backfilled to grade. Pad reclamation will be carried out when appropriate, based on well productivity and plans for future development.

Is the described reclamation complete? _____

Does the reclamation described herein constitute interim or final reclamation of the Oil and Gas Location?

☐ Interim? ☐ Final?

Did the Surface Owner approve the seed mix? _____

If NO, does the seed mix comply with local soil conservation district recommendations? _____

IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

PRIOR DATES

Date of Surface Owner notification/consultation, if required. _____

Actual Spill or Release date, if known. _____

SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 04/07/2014

Date of commencement of Site Investigation. 09/19/2014

Date of completion of Site Investigation. _____

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Date of commencement of Remediation. 09/19/2014

Date of completion of Remediation. _____

SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Date of commencement of Reclamation. _____

Date of completion of Reclamation. _____

OPERATOR COMMENT

Caerus' SVE trailer was used to test communication between surrounding bio-vent wells within the area of the pit footprint. The SVE trailer was used to apply a measured vacuum to the well, while surrounding bio-vent wells were observed for vacuum to determine a radius of influence.

The pilot test data was used to calculate vacuum versus distance from each observation well when a known vacuum was applied to the corresponding bio-vent well, represented as a radius of influence (ROI). SVE pilot test results demonstrate communication between the bio-vent wells within the footprint of the pit.

ROI distances were determined by evaluating a trend line for each SVE well to determine the distance where 0.1 inches of vacuum will be observed for each well. Due to site conditions, SBS01, SEWALLA, and SBW05 were not tested.

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

Signed: ` Brett Middleton

Title: Sr. Env. Specialist

Submit Date: ` 03/02/2018

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Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: CARLOS LUJAN

Date: 04/02/2018

Remediation Project Number: 8255

COA Type**Description**

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Attachment Check List

Upon approval, the approved Form 27 and all listed attachments will be indexed to the Remediation Project file. Only the approved Form 27 will also be indexed to the related Facilities.

Att Doc Num**Name**

401561419	FORM 27-SUPPLEMENTAL-SUBMITTED
401561451	MAP
401561452	LOGS

Total Attach: 3 Files

General Comments**User Group****Comment****Comment Date**

Environmental	Please continue to utilize the bio-vent wells for passive venting with quarterly enhanced SVE events using the SVE trailer to introduce additional airflow to the pit remediation area.	04/02/2018
Environmental	Thanks for sharing the results of the SVE radius of influence.	04/02/2018

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