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X/15**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 305095	Inspector Name: Beam, Russell	On-Site Inspection <input type="checkbox"/>	2A Doc Num: _____	Status Summary: <input type="checkbox"/> THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED Findings: 4 Number of Comments 2 Number of Corrective Actions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corrective Action Response Requested ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE
Operator Information: OGCC Operator Number: 100322 Name of Operator: NOBLE ENERGY INC Address: 1001 NOBLE ENERGY WAY City: HOUSTON State: TX Zip: 77070				

Contact Information:

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Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
274143	WELL	PA	08/18/2016	GW	123-22437	MCINTOSH 42-21	PA

General Comment:

This is a Final Reclamation Inspection for the PA Well. Well was plugged 8/18/2016.

Inspection was conducted on 3/1/19 by I, Russell Beam, COGCC Reclamation Specialist at the location.

The following Corrective Actions were observed during the Inspections.

1002.f.2 Stormwater management. Operator does not appear to have implemented and maintained Best Management Practices (BMPs) to control stormwater runoff in a manner that minimizes erosion, transport of sediment offsite, and site degradation per Rule 1002.f.(2). Operator does not appear to have implemented BMPs in accordance with good engineering practices per Rule 1002.f.(2). Erosion observed on location – CA Date 3/1/2019.

1004,a Final Reclamation. Form 27 was approved on 5/14/2018 and access road should have been reclaimed and all equipment removed. Gravel remains along the access road which has not been re-contoured or re-graded and decompacted to meet the adjacent terrain – CA Date 5/14/2018.

Operator is directed to perform corrective actions outlined on this inspection report immediately. Doing so may decrease the duration of the alleged violations and the penalties that may be assessed pursuant to Rule 523.

End of summary.

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**Interim Reclamation:**

Date Interim Reclamation Started: _____ Date Interim Reclamation Completed: _____

Land Use: _____

Comment: _____

1002 SITE PREPARATION AND STABILIZATION

1002a. FENCING _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002b. SOIL REMOVAL AND
SEGREGATION _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002c. PROTECTION OF SOILS _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002E. SURFACE DISTURBANCE MINIMIZATION _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1003a. Waste and Debris removed? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Pit, cellars, rat holes and other bores closed? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Guy line anchors marked? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

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 REVEGETATIONCropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ Perennial forage re-established _____

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ 80% Revegetation _____

1003e. INTERIM VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

1003 f. Weeds Noxious weeds? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____ Date _____

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 **Fail** Contoured **Fail** Culverts removed **Fail**

Gravel removed **Fail**

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed _____ Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured **Fail**

Compaction alleviation **Fail** Dust and erosion control _____

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% **Fail** Cropland: perennial forage _____

Weeds present _____ Subsidence _____

1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

Comment:

Corrective Action:	This location is not in compliance with Rule 1004a due to the presence of undesirable species and other weeds. The reclamation is not at percent cover and has non-uniform establishment of perennial cover. The access road remains on location, the gravel and culvert has not been removed and has not been re-contoured or re-graded and decompacted to meet the adjacent terrain. Equipment remains on location including the cattle guard and ground monitoring wells. Form 27 was approved on 5/14/2018 and access road should have been reclaimed. Please refer to the attached inspection photos for more detail.	Date 05/14/2018
	Perform reclamation in accordance to COGCC 1004 reclamation rules and requirements. Remove remaining equipment. Re-contour and re-grade access road and perform compact alleviation. Operator is directed to perform corrective actions outlined on this inspection report immediately. Doing so may decrease the duration of the alleged violations and the penalties that may be assessed pursuant to Rule 523.	
Overall Final Reclamation	Fail	Well Release on Active Location <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Well Location <input type="checkbox"/>

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
Comment:	Operator does not appear to have implemented and maintained Best Management Practices (BMPs) to control stormwater runoff in a manner that minimizes erosion, transport of sediment offsite, and site degradation per Rule 1002.f.(2). Operator does not appear to have implemented BMPs in accordance with good engineering practices per Rule 1002.f.(2). See attached inspection photos for more details.					Date: 03/01/2019
Corrective Action:	Install or repair required BMPs per Rule 1002.f. in accordance with good engineering practices.					
Pits:	<input type="checkbox"/> 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
401968360	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4759268
674902653	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4759265