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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: <u>WEXPRO COMPANY</u>	Operator No: <u>95960</u>	Phone Numbers Phone: <u>(307) 352-7561</u> Mobile: <u>(307) 371-3610</u>
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 10103Initial Form 27 Document #: 401224001

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 <u>Request approval to remediate pit after plugging and abandonment.</u> |

SITE INFORMATION

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

Facility Type: <u>PIT</u>	Facility ID: <u>100667</u>	API #: _____	County Name: <u>MOFFAT</u>
Facility Name: <u>H.W. STEWART 1</u>	Latitude: <u>40.951129</u>	Longitude: <u>-108.322948</u>	
	** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: <u>40.951540</u>	Longitude: <u>-108.322600</u>	
QtrQtr: <u>SWSW</u>	Sec: <u>32</u>	Twp: <u>12N</u>	Range: <u>97W</u> Meridian: <u>6</u> Sensitive Area? <u>No</u>

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications SCMost Sensitive Adjacent Land Use Rangeland, Non-cropland, Oil and GasIs domestic water well within 1/4 mile? NoIs surface water within 1/4 mile? YesIs groundwater less than 20 feet below ground surface? No

Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile

149' from natural drainage, 5078' from nearest water well.

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
No	GROUNDWATER	None	Visual inspection
Yes	SOILS	See analysis	Soil analysis
No	SURFACE WATER	None	Visual inspection

INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY

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

Pit was previously backfilled. Historic Google Earth imagery indicates that the pit was closed some time between 2006 and 2011.

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):

Core samples were obtained using a skid steer with auger attachment, in an attempt to obtain proper documentation for pit closure. One sample was taken, as sensory observations during sampling indicated that an exceedance was probable and soil sample most likely would not meet Table 910-1 requirements. Analysis (attached) shows that the sample did not meet Table 910-1 requirements for total TPH. Background (offsite) samples were not collected, as it's been previously established that high levels of arsenic are naturally occurring in the area. See attachments for previously tested high arsenic levels in the Powder Wash area. Please see the attachments for GPS coordinates of sample and soil observations made during sampling.

Proposed Groundwater Sampling

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

A visual inspection was performed looking for signs of stained soil and potential leeching of pit components that may have impacted surface water or groundwater, none were found. Groundwater was not encountered during sampling.

Proposed Surface Water Sampling

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

A visual inspection was performed looking for signs of stained soil and potential leeching of pit components that may have impacted surface water or groundwater, none were found.

Additional Investigative Actions

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

N/A

SITE INVESTIGATION REPORT

SAMPLE SUMMARY

Soil

Number of soil samples collected 1

Number of soil samples exceeding 910-1 1

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

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 0

NA / ND

-- Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) 21700

NA Highest concentration of SAR

BTEX > 910-1 Yes

Vertical Extent > 910-1 (in feet) 8

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.

Wexpro Company will determine remediation based on size and impact upon the plugging and abandonment of the associated well.

REMEDICATION 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.

Wexpro Company requests approval to leave the pit in place until plugging and abandonment of the associated well is completed, after which the pit can be remediated without concern for existing production facilities. This will also allow time for remediation funds to be accrued over the remaining life of the well (see ARO attachment). Please see attachments for pit maintenance, use and history. Please see comments and attachments for more information.

Soil Remediation Summary

☐ In Situ

_____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)
_____ Chemical oxidation
_____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction
_____ Natural Attenuation
_____ Other _____

☐ 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.

N/A, there is no indication that groundwater was impacted. If groundwater is encountered during remediation, COGCC will be notified immediately.

REMEDATION PROGRESS UPDATE

PERIODIC REPORTING

Frequency: ☐ Quarterly ☐ Semi-Annually ☐ Annually ☐ Other _____

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

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

Do all soils meet Table 910-1 standards? No _____

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? No _____

Does Groundwater meet Table 910-1 standards? Yes _____

Is additional groundwater monitoring to be conducted? No _____

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.

Surface reclamation will be compliant with COGCC 1000 series rules. Wexpro Company understands that approval of a Form 27 does not imply approval of the reclamation planned submitted prior to final reclamation of the well pad. Wexpro Company will notify the COGCC Regional Reclamation Specialist and Surface Owner for reclamation plan approval prior to final reclamation. All reclamation on Federal Surface will comply with BLM, or other implementing agency, specifications. Final reclamation will take place after the plugging and abandonment of the well.

Is the described reclamation complete? No _____

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). _____ 05/01/2017

Date of commencement of Site Investigation. _____ 08/17/2017

Date of completion of Site Investigation. _____ 08/17/2017

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Date of commencement of Remediation. _____

Date of completion of Remediation. _____

SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Date of commencement of Reclamation. _____

Date of completion of Reclamation. _____

OPERATOR COMMENT

Wexpro Company requests approval to leave pit in place until plugging and abandonment of the associated well is complete, after which the pit can be remediated without concern of disrupting existing production facilities and equipment and funds for remediation can be accrued over the remaining life of the well. Based on economics and gas reserves, Wexpro Company estimates the remaining life of the well to be 15 years. Well is Federal surface and minerals, and is not within any sensitive wildlife habitat. Please see attachments for more information.

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

Signed: April Stegall

Title: Reclamation Agent

Submit Date: 03/01/2019

Email: april.stegall@dominionenergy.com

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: KRIS NEIDEL

Date: 05/16/2019

Remediation Project Number: 10103

COA Type**Description**

	Within 90-days of approval of this F27, provide a Supplemental F27 outlining how the Operator will be delineating the vertical and horizontal extent of contamination.
	It is stated "Wexpro Company requests approval to leave pit in place until plugging and abandonment of the associated well is complete, after which the pit can be remediated without concern of disrupting existing production facilities and equipment and funds for remediation can be accrued over the remaining life of the well. Based on economics and gas reserves, Wexpro Company estimates the remaining life of the well to be 15 years....." In order for the COGCC to consider leaving E&P waste in place near the historic spill over the next 15 years, the vertical and horizontal extent of impact SHALL be delineated.

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**

401955339	FORM 27-SUPPLEMENTAL-SUBMITTED
401955511	SITE INVESTIGATION REPORT
401955524	ANALYTICAL RESULTS

Total Attach: 3 Files

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

Environmental	In-Situ remedial efforts such as chemical oxidation can be performed in and around the existing production facilities.	05/16/2019
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Total: 1 comment(s)