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**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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08/09/2019

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08/13/2019

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FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 316731 Inspector Name: Moran, Rick On-Site Inspection 2A Doc Num: _____

Status Summary:

THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION

FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

Findings:

6 Number of Comments

2 Number of Corrective Actions

Corrective Action Response Requested

Operator Information:

OGCC Operator Number: 56680

Name of Operator: MERRION OIL & GAS CORP

Address: 610 REILLY AVENUE

City: FARMINGTON State: NM Zip: 87401

ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE

Contact Information:

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
Thompson, Bud		BLThomps@BLM.gov	
Courtney, Rogers	316-636-2242	salthawk@cox.net	
Kellerby, Shaun	970-712-1248	shaun.kellerby@state.co.us	
Winter, Mary	316-262-4800	highrowler2@cox.net	

Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
232418	WELL	PR	06/01/2019	GW	103-66126	LLOYD-FEDERAL 22-X-17	UN

General Comment:

[COGCC Inspection Report Summary.](#)

On 8-9-2019 at approximately 16:30, inspector Rick Moran, conducted a routine inspection at Sonterra Energy location signed as Federal 22 X 17 in Rio Blanco county.

During this inspection the following compliance issues were observed:

- 1) Unused equipment. Photos 2, 3, 4, 5. Complete by 11-8-2019.
- 2) Stained soil at separator. Photo 6. Complete by 9-12-2019.

A voice message was left at 316-262-4800 (contact phone number at well 05-103-08096) on 8-10-2019 @ 10:00 requesting a current contact email address. The same phone number was called & went to voice mail on 8-12-2019 @ 9:30.

No surface evidence of a well at this location. The battery sign is for Merrion Oil & Gas well 103-66126 located 3.3 miles to the southeast. Adjacent to this location is a gas meter building signed with White Eagle & Black Hills Energy with a contact number of 1-800-694-8989.

Equipment history:

- 1) On the 1990's satellite image no equipment is present.
- 2) The inspection log inside the separator is last dated May 2006 (Photo 7).
- 3) The equipment was first identified during inspection 200035623 dated 12-10-2002.
- 4) The 2009 satellite image shows the equipment.

A follow up on this site inspection will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules.

This is a summary of inspection report 679705050.

Location

Overall Good:

Signs/Marker:

Type	BATTERY		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:		Date:	
Corrective Action:			

Good Housekeeping:

Type	UNUSED EQUIPMENT		
Comment:	No evidence that the tank, compressor, or separator are in use. Equipment needs removed from the location.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 603.f .	Date:	11/08/2019
Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Stained soil at separator.		
Corrective Action:	Properly treat or dispose of oily waste in accordance with 907.e.	Date:	09/12/2019

Overall Good:

Spills:

Type	Area	Volume		

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

Equipment:

Type			corrective date
Horizontal Heated Separator	# 1		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Compressor	# 1		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Tanks and Berms:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
OTHER	1	300 BBLs	STEEL AST		40.165200,-108.251300
Comment:	No label on tank. Tank appeared to be empty or near empty.				
Corrective Action:				Date:	

Paint

Condition	Adequate	
Other (Content)		

Other (Capacity)	
Other (Type)	

Berms

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Earth	Adequate			
Comment: Berm covered with thick vegetation.				
Corrective Action:				Date:

Venting:

Yes/No	NO		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:			Date:

Flaring:

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Inspected Facilities

Facility ID: 232418 Type: WELL API Number: 103-66126 Status: PR Insp. Status: UN

Idle Well

Purpose: Shut In Temporarily Abandoned Reminder: _____

Comment: No surface evidence of a well at this location.

Corrective Action: _____

Date: _____

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Pits: 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
402143590	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4908394
679705051	inspection photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=4908388