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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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696200909**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 398077 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 24120Name of Operator: DIAMOND BACK DRILLING & SUPPLY INCAddress: P O BOX 2622City: GRAND JUNCTION State: CO Zip: 81502**Status Summary:**

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

Findings:2 Number of Comments1 Number of Corrective Actions

- ☒ Corrective Action Response Requested

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

| Facility ID | Type | Status | Status Date | Well Class | API Num | Facility Name | Insp Status |
|-------------|------|--------|-------------|------------|-----------|---------------|-------------|
| 231081 | WELL | DA | 11/11/1981 | DA | 103-08750 | EMERALD 231 | RI |

General Comment:

On January 6th, 2020, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted a Final reclamation and stormwater inspection at Diamond Back Drilling & Supply Inc.'s Emerald 231 Location in Rio Blanco County, Colorado.

This inspection is also a follow up to FIR #662300210, dated 2/15/2012 which failed the reclamation of the Location.

The following alleged compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

It was observed that Location does not appear to have been recontoured or regraded. An open pit and excavated soils evident on the north end of the Location; Location does not meet COGCC 1000 series reclamation requirements.

Refer to the "Reclamation" section of this inspection report for additional details.

Refer to the photo-documentation of the observed compliance issues attached to this report.

Any corrective action(s) from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

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

Unable to find Operator email contact for FIR submission and phone number listed for Operator does not work; Inspection will be mailed 1/9/2020 via USPS to physical address on file:

Diamond Back Drilling & Supply Inc
PO Box 2622
Grand Junction, CO 81502

It is noted that several other Diamond Back Locations within this field are also out of compliance: Due to the significant nature, extent, or duration of alleged rule violations, immediate referral to enforcement is required. Perform corrective actions immediately to avoid further enforcement and potential penalties.

No CA dates are being provided as 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.

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 **Fail**

Debris removed _____ No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads Regraded _____ Contoured **Fail** Culverts removed _____

Gravel removed _____

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

Compaction alleviation _____ Dust and erosion control _____

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% _____ 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: **An open pit and excavated soils observed on the north end of the Location. Location does not appear to have been recontoured or regraded pursuant to COGCC 1000 series rules.**

Corrective Action: **Comply with COGCC 1004 Rules including, but not limited to closing and reclaiming the pit (pursuant to COGCC pit closure rules), recontouring/regrading of Location and access road, and revegetation.**

Date _____

Attached Documents

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

| Document Num | Description | URL |
|--------------|-------------------------|---|
| 402280175 | INSPECTION SUBMITTED | http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5030961 |
| 696200910 | Inspection Photos | http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5030950 |