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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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FIELD INSPECTION FORM
 Loc ID 306942 Inspector Name: ROY, CATHERINE On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num:
Operator Information:

OGCC Operator Number: 10133

Name of Operator: HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY

Address: P O BOX 61229

City: HOUSTON State: TX Zip: 77208

Status Summary:☐ THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION☒ FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED☐ NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED**Findings:**

5 Number of Comments

2 Number of Corrective Actions

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

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
280796	WELL	PA	07/21/2014	GW	067-09084	OLGUIN 100S	RI

General Comment:

On 4/3/2020 Catherine Roy conducted a reclamation and stormwater inspection. Document 400650328 describes plugging the well on 7/21/2014. Final reclamation should have been conducted no later than 2015. During this inspection the following compliance issues were observed:

-Final reclamation needs to be conducted per COGCCs 1004 reclamation rules. This is the second corrective action to conduct final reclamation at this location.

Operator is directed to perform corrective actions outlined on this inspection report immediately. Doing so may decrease the duration of alleged violations and the penalties that may be assessed pursuant to Rule 523. Corrective action dates are not assigned as it is the expectation that the location be at or near completed final reclamation when inspection is conducted in response to Form 4 request for final reclamation, as well as a followup to previous corrective actions.

This final reclamation inspection was conducted in response to the operator submitting official documents to imply or directly state that final reclamation is complete per a final reclamation inspection request and/or a bond release request. Upon inspection, it is evident that significant elements of final reclamation are not complete. Per COGCC rules, submission of falsified documentation can be considered an aggravating factor if, or when, enforcement actions are recommended.

See below, and attached photos for additional detail.

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 _____

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 **Fail** No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads Regraded _____ Contoured _____ Culverts removed _____

Gravel removed _____

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

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

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: **Well pad is not recontoured, decompacted, or revegetated. Significant erosion and sedimentation observed on cut-slope. As it is early in the growing season, noxious weeds were not observed that may be dormant.**

Corrective Action: **Conduct final reclamation according to COGCCs 1004 final reclamation rules.** Date _____

Overall Final Reclamation	Fail	Well Release on Active Location <input type="checkbox"/>	Multi-Well Location <input type="checkbox"/>
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Storm Water:

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

Comment: -Stormwater erosion needs to be controlled throughout the reclamation process.

Corrective Action: Stormwater BMPs and erosion controls such as mulch, blankets, etc. will be needed throughout the project area, until stabilized with desirable perennial vegetation.

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
402364496	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5117514
693901611	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5117496