

Final Reclamation Inspection

August 31, 2021

Operator: TOP OPERATING COMPANY - 39560

Location ID: 317954

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Weld County, CO

NENE Section 30 T2N R66W

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Photo 1. Drone aerial imagery of the Counter #2 well location and associated production facility (red-dashed line). Operator has failed to remove all equipment and perform final reclamation activities. Red circle is documenting a spill next to the work truck.

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Photo 2. Drone aerial imagery of the Counter #3 well location and associated access road (red-dashed line). Operator has failed to perform final reclamation activities. Note- the access road from the Counter #2 to the Counter #3 well location has not been reclaimed and not fully pictured in the above image.



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Photo 3. Photo taken from the northern production facility, facing North. Photo illustrates not all equipment has been removed.



Photo 4. Photo taken from the northern production facility, facing North. See comments under Photo 3.

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Photo 5. Photo taken from the northwestern production facility, facing North. See comments under Photo 3. Photo also illustrates unmanaged weeds, both undesirable and noxious weeds.



Photo 6. Photo taken from the northern production facility, facing North. See comments under Photo 3. Photo also illustrates unmanaged weeds, both undesirable and noxious weeds.

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Photo 7. Photo taken from the northeastern production facility, facing Northeast. See comments under Photo 3. Photo also illustrates unmanaged weeds, both undesirable and noxious weeds.



Photo 8. Photo taken from the southern production facility, facing Northeast. See comments under Photo 3. Photo also illustrates unmanaged weeds, both undesirable and noxious weeds.

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Photo 9. Photo taken from the southern production facility. Photo illustrates a spill that had smelt like hydrocarbons. Spill was approximately the size of a work truck- see Photo 1.

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Photo 10. Photo taken from the northern well location access road utilized for the Counter #3 well, facing South. Photo illustrates Operator has failed to remove gravel and perform final reclamation activities.



Photo 11. Photo taken along a portion of the well location access road utilized for the Counter #3 well, facing South. See comments under Photo 10.

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Photo 12. Photo taken from the Counter #3 well location, facing South. Photo illustrates tenant farmer attempted to plant into well location; however, it was a failed attempt because the Operator has not performed final reclamation activities like decompaction.

