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X/20**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 383264 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 10433

Name of Operator: LARAMIE ENERGY LLC

Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1900

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

4 Number of Comments

1 Number of Corrective Actions

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

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Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
383264	LOCATION	AC			-	CC 0610-21-41 Pad	RI

General Comment:

On 11/1/2021, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted an interim reclamation inspection at Laramie Energy's CC 0610-21- 41 Location in Garfield County, Colorado.

This inspection is also a followup to #696202108, #696202674, #696202922 and #696203091 to document compliance with the following corrective actions:

34-60-121(1) CRS-b: Permit Violation
1003/1004: Interim and Final Reclamation

It was observed in this inspection that the Location remains out of compliance with COGCC Permit Conditions, Rules and Corrective actions; Location has been out of compliance with COGCC 1004 Rules and corrective actions since 2013; Location is being referred for enforcement.

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

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**Interim Reclamation:**

Date Interim Reclamation Started: _____ Date Interim Reclamation Completed: _____

Land Use: RANGELAND

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: RANGELAND

Reminder: _____

Comment: _____

Well plugged _____ Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled _____

Debris removed _____ No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads _____ Regraded _____ Contoured _____ Culverts removed _____

Gravel removed _____

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed _____ Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured _____

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: [See "COGCC Comments" for comments regarding reclamation](#)

Corrective Action: _____ Date **02/13/2019**

Operator is directed to either immediately

1) Comply with the "Notice to Operators: Interim Reclamation Procedures for Delayed Operation (dated January 5, 2017)" and permit conditions. NOTE: Variances are no longer able to be submitted with a Form 4 Sundry, but now require a hearings application to the commission per Rules 502 and 510.

or

2) Perform final reclamation of the Location

A CA date of 2/13/2019 has been provided as this was the date the Form 2 permits were approved with conditions.

Overall Final Reclamation

Fail

Well Release on Active Location ☐Multi-Well Location ☐**COGCC Comments**

Comment

User

Date

RECLAMATION COMMENTS

Location originally constructed in 2005 by Oxy. Laramie took ownership of Location 3/1/2016. FIRs #680101328 dated 12/14/2016 and #680102390 dated 11/03/2017 required Final Reclamation by 7/1/2017; Operator failed to comply with 1004 Rules and Corrective actions.

Laramie received permits for both the Location (Form 2A 402598341), and wells on 2/13/2019. Form 2 Permit conditions required that Operator shall comply with Notice to Operators: Interim Reclamation Procedures for Delayed Operation (dated January 5, 2017). Previous inspections observed that no drilling or subsequent operations have commenced. Additionally, no "Delayed Operations NTO" request was submitted and approved per permit COAs. Inspections required Operator to either comply with the NTO, or perform 1004 final reclamation.

It was observed in this inspection that this Location remains out of compliance with the Permit Conditions, the Delayed Operations NTO, COGCC Rules and Corrective actions; Operator has neither performed the reclamation, or received a variance request for Delayed Operations. All well permits on the Location have either been abandoned, or have expired.

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11/02/2021

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
402860396	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5570571
696203328	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5570569