

**FORM
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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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Inspection Date:

04/17/2023

Submitted Date:

04/18/2023

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696204843

FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 334074 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 34720

Name of Operator: GORDON ENGINEERING INC

Address: PO BOX 113

City: SPRINGDALE State: UT Zip: 84767

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
221806	WELL	PA	02/01/2017	GW	077-08408	FEDERAL 32-1	RI
334074	LOCATION	CL			-	FEDERAL-69S97W 32SWNW	RI

General Comment:

On 4/17/2023, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted a final reclamation and stormwater inspection at Gordon Engineering Incs Federal 32-1 Location in Mesa County, Colorado.

This inspection is a follow-up inspection to #696201939, #696202203, #696203691, #696203739 and #696204243 to document compliance for the following corrective actions:
-Final Reclamation

This inspection is also a followup in response to NOAV #403143365.

It was observed that the Location remains out of compliance with COGCC Rules, corrective actions, as well as abatement or corrective action requirements per the NOAV.

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.

Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	221806	Type:	WELL	API Number:	077-08408	Status:	PA	Insp. Status:	RI
Facility ID:	334074	Type:	LOCATION	API Number:	-	Status:	CL	Insp. Status:	RI

Environmental**Spill/Remediation:**

Comment: Inspection #696203691 observed that Operator buried concrete blocks on the southern areas of the Location. NOAV #403143365 was issued 8/22/2022 requiring Operator to remove and properly dispose of all non-E&P waste material buried on the Location. NOAV also required Operator to submit documentation of removal attached to a Form 4, including date stamped photo documentation showing non-E&P waste has been removed, and the waste manifests to document proper disposal.

Inspection #696204243 observed that Operator appears to have removed the concrete block buried on the southern areas of the Location.

It is being noted that Operator failed to submit documentation of removal, as well as waste manifests to document proper disposal attached to a Form 4 per NOAV Requirements.

Corrective
Action:

Date: _____

Emission Control Burner (ECB): _____

Comment:

Pilot: _____ Wildlife Protection Devices (fired vessels): _____

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? Fail

Comment

Anchor observed remaining on Location unmarked- anchor requires removal per 1004 requirements.

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 _____ No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads Regraded **Fail** Contoured **Fail** 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 **Fail** 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 Final Reclamation.](#)

Corrective Action: _____ Date **11/30/2020**

Complete final reclamation activities pursuant to 1004 Rules including, but not limited to, removal of surface equipment (anchors), compaction alleviation, contouring/regrading, replacement of soils and revegetation activities on the Location and access road.

Comply with NOAV #403143365 Abatement or Corrective Action requirements.

Overall Final Reclamation

Fail

Well Release on Active Location ☐Multi-Well Location ☐**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
403377046	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6085708
696204844	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6085704