

**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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**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 334147 Inspector Name: Morris, Matthew On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 10456

Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC

Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1600

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

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

14 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
290707	WELL	TA	07/01/2021	GW	077-09309	ORCHARD UNIT 20-4 (M17OU)	TA
290709	WELL	PR	07/22/2015	GW	077-09308	ORCHARD UNIT 18-16 (M17OU)	PR
290710	WELL	SI	05/01/2022	GW	077-09307	ORCHARD UNIT 17-12 (M17OU)	SI

**General Comment:**[COGCC Inspection Report Summary](#)

On 5/15/2023 at approximately 09:40, Compliance Inspector Matthew Morris conducted an on-site inspection at CAERUS PICEANCE LLC, ORCHARD UNIT-68S96W/17SWSW at Location ID #334147 in Mesa County, Colorado.

Normal production operations were observed.

During the inspection, the following compliance issues were observed:

1) Stormwater; refer to Stormwater section

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

This location is within or in close proximity to, a CPW Density/High Priority Habitat, Black Bear, NSO Habitat, and/or Wildlife Management area.

**Location**Overall Good: ☐**Signs/Marker:**

Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Separator units include attached storage tanks. The sight glass on the side of the unit indicates the storage tank contains an unknown fluid. No form of labeling or markers is present to identify a potential hazard or the contents of the storage tank.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	BATTERY		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment: 911/(970) 285-2615

Corrective Action:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		
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In Containment: No

Comment:

☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?**Fencing/:**

Type	SEPARATOR		
Comment:	Concrete barriers		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Equipment:**

			corrective date
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 4		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Vertical Heated Separator	# 3		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Horizontal Heated Separator	# 1		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Type: Bradenhead	# 4	
Comment:	Pressure transducers located on Bradenheads. All Bradenhead valves are accessible.	
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 1	
Comment:	Summit Midstream	
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Plunger Lift	# 1	
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Ancillary equipment	# 1	
Comment:	Chemical tank	
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Bird Protectors	# 2	
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

**Tanks and Berms:**

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
METHANOL	1	1000 GAL	STEEL AST		,
Comment:					
Corrective Action:					Date:

**Paint**

Condition	Adequate	
Other (Content)		
Other (Capacity)		
Other (Type)		

**Berms**

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Metal	Adequate	Walls Sufficient	Base Sufficient	Adequate
Comment:				
Corrective Action:				Date:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
CONDENSATE	2	300 BBLS	STEEL AST		,
Comment:					
Corrective Action:					Date:

**Paint**

Condition	Adequate	
Other (Content)		
Other (Capacity)		
Other (Type)		

**Berms**

Inspector Name: Morris, Matthew

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance	
Metal	Adequate	Walls Sufficent	Base Sufficent	Adequate	
Comment: Centralized containment					
Corrective Action:				Date:	

**Venting:**

Yes/No	NO		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Flaring:**

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

**Inspected Facilities**Facility ID: 290707 Type: WELL API Number: 077-09309 Status: TA Insp. Status: TA**Idle Well**Purpose: ☐ Shut In ☒ Temporarily Abandoned Reminder: \_\_\_\_\_Comment: Last produced November 2020. Last MIT performed April 2021.

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility ID: 290709 Type: WELL API Number: 077-09308 Status: PR Insp. Status: PR**Producing Well**Comment: Producing

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility ID: 290710 Type: WELL API Number: 077-09307 Status: SI Insp. Status: SI**Idle Well**Purpose: ☒ Shut In ☐ Temporarily Abandoned Reminder: \_\_\_\_\_Comment: Last produced April 2022.

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
				Material Handling And Spill Prevention		Chemical tank in containment
		Culverts				
Ditches						
		Check Dams				
Other	Fail					Insufficient vehicle tracking BMPs
Culverts						
Berms						
		Gravel				
		Sediment Traps				
Check Dams						
Gravel						
		Ditches				
		Compaction				

Comment: Location lacks stabilization with insufficient vehicle tracking BMPs in place to minimize transportation of sediment.

Corrective Action: Oil and gas operators shall implement and maintain Best Management Practices (BMPs) at all oil and gas locations to comply with Rule 1002.

Date: 05/30/2023

**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
403403741	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6115014">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6115014</a>
708300420	Photo Log	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6115005">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6115005</a>