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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203  
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**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Loc ID 330622 Inspector Name: Edwardson, Dylan On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_

**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 83130

Name of Operator: STRACHAN EXPLORATION INC

Address: 383 INVERNESS PKWY, STE 360

City: ENGLEWOOD State: CO Zip: 80112

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

3 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:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
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**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
112068	PIT	CL			-	HILL 31-15-8	RI
251565	WELL	PA	08/30/2018	GW	123-19368	HILL 31-15-8	RI
275725	PIT	CL			-	HILL 31-15-8	RI
330622	LOCATION	CL			-	HILL-68N60W 31SWSE	RI

**General Comment:**

This is a Final Reclamation Inspection for Well API# 123-19368 and its associated tank battery. Well was plugged and abandoned 08/30/2018.

Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	<u>112068</u>	Type:	<u>PIT</u>	API Number:	<u>-</u>	Status:	<u>CL</u>	Insp. Status:	<u>RI</u>
Facility ID:	<u>251565</u>	Type:	<u>WELL</u>	API Number:	<u>123-19368</u>	Status:	<u>PA</u>	Insp. Status:	<u>RI</u>
Facility ID:	<u>275725</u>	Type:	<u>PIT</u>	API Number:	<u>-</u>	Status:	<u>CL</u>	Insp. Status:	<u>RI</u>
Facility ID:	<u>330622</u>	Type:	<u>LOCATION</u>	API Number:	<u>-</u>	Status:	<u>CL</u>	Insp. Status:	<u>RI</u>

**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? \_\_\_\_\_

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 REVEGETATION**Cropland

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 Pass Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled Pass

Debris removed Pass No disturbance /Location never built \_\_\_\_\_

Access Roads Regraded \_\_\_\_\_ Contoured \_\_\_\_\_ Culverts removed \_\_\_\_\_

Gravel removed Fail

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed \_\_\_\_\_ Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured Pass

Compaction alleviation \_\_\_\_\_ Dust and erosion control \_\_\_\_\_

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: This location does not comply with Rule 1004. During this inspection, Staff observed that a cattle guard and road base material remain on the former tank battery location. Undesirable vegetation (CO List C Noxious Weed-Cheatgrass; russian thistle and kochia) were evident throughout the tank battery location, access road and well location. The reclaimed portions are not progressing towards Rule 1004 standards and are not reflective of adjacent reference areas. Refer to attached inspection photos.

Inspector Name: Edwardson, Dylan

Corrective Action:	<b>Comply with Rule 1004. The location will remain out of compliance until the corrective action has been resolved.</b>	Date <b>10/13/2023</b>				
Overall Final Reclamation	<b>Fail</b>	Well Release on Active Location <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Well Location <input type="checkbox"/>				
<b>Storm Water:</b>						
Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
Comment: <b>At the time of this inspection, no stormwater erosion issues were observed at location or along the access road.</b>						
Corrective Action: <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>						Date: <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Pits: <input type="checkbox"/> 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
403564781	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6288577">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6288577</a>
708200634	Inspection Photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6288547">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6288547</a>