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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203  
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707602386**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 302546 Inspector Name: Evins, Bret On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 100322Name of Operator: NOBLE ENERGY INCAddress: 2001 16TH STREET SUITE 900City: 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 Comments0 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
414614	WELL	PA	05/30/2019	OW	123-30795	THISTLE DOWN B 31-31D	RI

**General Comment:**

This is a **PLUGGED & ABANDONED WELL / RECLAMATION** inspection.  
 This is a Final Reclamation Inspection for PA Well API# 123-30795, on an active location.  
 Well(s) were Plugged and Abandoned | PA on 05/30/2019.  
 Well(s): 1: Plugged & Abandoned | PA.  
 Battery: Abandoned. ALL equipment has been removed.  
 Abandoned Battery SE corner GPS coordinates: 40.361388 / -104.601499

Abandoned Centralized Battery Formerly served 6 Location IDs  
 (302546, 305880, 326821, 326822, 326823, 326824).  
 (Well(s): 7: Plugged & Abandoned | PA).

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

Date Interim Reclamation Started: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Interim Reclamation Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Land Use: IRRIGATED

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: IRRIGATED \_\_\_\_\_

Reminder: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Well plugged Pass 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: **Operator has PLUGGED & ABANDONED | PA the above well(s) on an active location; therefore, this is a well release on an active location. This inspection confirms that zero (0) well(s) remain at the location. Refer to the attached inspection photo(s).**

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

Inspector Name: Evins, Bret

Overall Final Reclamation	Pass	Well Release on Active Location <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Multi-Well Location <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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**COGCC Comments**

Comment	User	Date
<p>CECMC Inspection Report Summary:</p> <p>On FRI 02/09/2024 at approximately 15:06 hrs. I, Bret Evins, conducted an onsite inspection at: Operator Name: NOBLE ENERGY INC Location Name: THISTLE DOWN B/31-31D Location ID: 302546 Well Name(s): Thistle Down B 31-31D. API: 123-30795. Location County: Weld County, Colorado Weather: Partly Sunny, damp from prior storm.</p> <p>While there, I observed: Well(s): 1: Plugged &amp; Abandoned   PA. Battery: Abandoned. ALL equipment has been removed. Abandoned Battery SE corner GPS coordinates: 40.361388 / -104.601499</p> <p>WELL STATUS COMMENT: Thistle Down B 31-31D (123-30795) Plugged &amp; Abandoned   PA. Form 6-SRA on file. Plugging, cut/cap date: 05/30/2019. Approved. Plugged &amp; Abandoned   PA well GPS coordinates: 40.361325 / -104.601206</p> <p>Routine inspection.</p>	evinsb	02/10/2024

**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
707602387	Site photo(s)	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6425138">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6425138</a>