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**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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Inspection Date:

03/07/2024

Submitted Date:

03/14/2024

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709100235

FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 327535 Inspector Name: Heibel, Krystal On-Site Inspection 2A Doc Num: _____

Status Summary:

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

Operator Information:

OGCC Operator Number: 95620
Name of Operator: WESTERN OPERATING COMPANY
Address: 1165 DELAWARE STREET #200
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80204

Findings:

- 6 Number of Comments
- 2 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
Kyle Waggoner		kyle.waggoner@state.co.us	
James, Steven	(303) 893-2438	steve@westernoperating.com	All Inspections
Krystal Heibel		krystal.heibel@state.co.us	

General Comment:

On March 7, 2024, ECMC Environmental Unit Staff Kyle Waggoner inspected the Foster 14-2 pit (Facility ID: 110690). Well was plugged and abandoned 12/10/2014.

This is an environmental inspection. Any corrective actions from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

Location

Overall Good:

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Overall Good:

Spills:

Type	Area	Volume		

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

Equipment:

Type: Other	#	corrective date
	# 1	
Comment:	Active pit on location.	
Corrective Action:	Operator shall submit a Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Form 27), which will include a sampling plan, decommissioning plan, and a plan to remove unused equipment, reclaim the location, and remove undesirable vegetation. Operator shall comply with Rule 1004.a.. "Upon the plugging and abandonment of a well, all pits, mouse and rat holes and cellars shall be backfilled. All debris, abandoned gathering line risers and flowline risers, and surface equipment shall be removed within three (3) months of plugging a well."	Date: 04/15/2024
Type:	#	
Comment:	Metershed remains on location. (Also stated in FIR #693700352 from 1/8/2020)	
Corrective Action:		Date:

Venting:

Yes/No		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Flaring:

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

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 _____ 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:

Corrective Action: Comply with Rule 1004.a. to remove (regardless of ownership) all equipment. All work should have been conducted by 3/10/2015. Previous corrective action date: 01/25/2021	Date _____
Overall Final Reclamation <input type="checkbox"/> Well Release on Active Location <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Well Location <input type="checkbox"/>	

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: _____ Date: _____

Pits: NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

COGCC Comments

Comment	User	Date
6/20/19 Inspection Doc # 693700202 is not resolved regarding sampling produced water pit	heibelk	03/14/2024
1/16/20 Inspection Doc # 693700352 is not resolved regarding sampling produced water pit		
10/30/20 Inspection Doc #697502143 is not resolved regarding removing equipment		

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
403720214	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6467558
709100236	Photo Log	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6467550