

**FORM  
INSP**Rev  
X/20**State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203  
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Inspection Date:

05/02/2024

Submitted Date:

05/06/2024

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**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 333984 Inspector Name: Mcdonough, Corey On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_**Operator Information:**

ECMC Operator Number: 53255

Name of Operator: MARALEX RESOURCES INC

Address: P O BOX 338

City: IGNACIO State: CO Zip: 81137

**Status Summary:**

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

**Findings:**

10 Number of Comments

7 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
,		maralextech@gmail.com	<a href="#">All Inspections</a>

**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
297995	WELL	PR	12/01/2019	CBM	067-09621	ARTFGANCE 33-7-14 2A	RI
298106	WELL	PR	10/01/2020	CBM	067-09623	ARTFGANCE 33-7-14 3C	RI

**General Comment:**

On 5/2/2024 Reclamation Specialist Corey McDonough conducted a Reclamation and Storm water inspection at Maralex Resources INCs Artfgance 33-7-14 2A, 3C Location in La Plata County, Colorado. This is a follow up inspection to inspection doc # 687905134.

During the inspection the following compliance issues were observed

- Weeds
- Impacted Surface Material
- Trash
- Unused Equipment
- Storm water
- Signs/PLacards

Refer to the "Storm Water", "Signs/Placards" and "Good house-keeping" section of this inspection report for additional details.

Refer to the photo-documentation of the observed compliance issues attached to this report.

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

Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:	Produced water tanks on location are now being used for operations but remain unmarked.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with rule 605. Install or repair produced water signs/placards.	Date:	06/05/2024

**Emergency Contact Number:**

Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Good Housekeeping:**

Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Inspection doc #687905134 observed impacted surface material around the well heads and required compliance by 5/14/2019. It was observed in this inspection that impacted surface material remains at the well head and has not been addressed/resolved. Original CA has not been addressed. Original CA and date remains applicable. No CA date is being provided as this location is out of compliance for the same Rule.		
Corrective Action:	Maintain equipment and clean up impacted material and dispose per Rule 906 and 1002.	Date:	
Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Impacted surface material observed at the lube oil tanks at pump jack. Secondary containments have been installed.		
Corrective Action:	Maintain equipment and clean up impacted material and dispose per Rule 906 and 1002.	Date:	05/11/2024
Type	TRASH		
Comment:	Trash/plastco tubing observed on location.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with rule 606, remove and properly dispose of trash.	Date:	05/13/2024
Type	UNUSED EQUIPMENT		
Comment:	Unused oil and gas equipment observed next to the pump jacks.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with rule 606. Remove and properly store unused equipment.	Date:	05/21/2024

Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		
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In Containment: No

Comment: ☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?**Venting:**

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Flaring:**

Type			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	297995	Type:	WELL	API Number:	067-09621	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	RI
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Facility ID:	298106	Type:	WELL	API Number:	067-09623	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	RI
The subreport 'InspWellFlowline' could not be found at the specified location \\10.14.12									

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

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

Land Use: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: [Revegetation is progressing in the interim reclamation areas.](#)**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? \_\_\_\_\_ F \_\_\_\_\_

Comment Musk thistle observed on the active well pad near pump jacks.

Corrective Action Comply with rule 1003.f

Date 05/13/2024

Overall Interim Reclamation In Process

**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: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Overall Final Reclamation \_\_\_\_\_ Well Release on Active Location ☐ Multi-Well Location ☐

**Storm Water:**

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

Comment: Rutting observed on the active pad. Additional stabilization is needed to minimize site degradation.

Corrective Action: Comply with rule 1002 Install or repair required BMPs.

Date: 05/13/2024

Pits: ☐ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
403780783	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6537099">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6537099</a>
714000745	Inspection Photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6537089">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6537089</a>