

**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:

04/04/2025

Submitted Date:

04/11/2025

Document Number:

693808299

FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 334301 Inspector Name: BROWNING, CHUCK On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

ECMC Operator Number: 10841

Name of Operator: AMERICAN HELIUM LLC

Address: 23501 CINCO RANCH BLVD, B244

City: KATY State: TX Zip: 77494

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

14 Number of Comments

3 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
Joyner, Ryan	970.385.6289	rjoyner@blm.gov	Tres Rios
Lapham, Ken	979-877-4951	klapham@americanhelium.us	All Inspections
Labowskie, Steve		steve.labowskie@state.co.us	
Browning, Chuck	970-433-4139	chuck.browning@state.co.us	Field Inspector

Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
257152	WELL	PR	07/01/2024	GW	113-06077	ANDYS MESA FEDERAL 14	TA
269548	WELL	PR	07/01/2024	GW	113-06131	ANDY'S MESA UNIT 41	TA

General Comment:

ECMC staff performed a follow up field inspection on 4/4/2025. Followup to inspection doc#693807831 on 10/10/2024. Issues were found requiring corrective action. See inspection text and photos for details. ECMC staff witnessed Bradenhead test to comply with CA.

Location

Lease Road:			
Type	Main		
comment:			
Corrective Action	L	Date:	
Type	Access		
comment:			
Corrective Action	L	Date:	

Overall Good: ☒

Signs/Marker:			
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:	Sign or label not posted or information inaccurate on tanks or containers or sign/label too small to read at distance or installed in place where not visible.		
Corrective Action:	Install sign to comply with Rule 605.h.	Date:	11/15/2024

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment: 435-631-2239

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Overall Good: ☒

Spills:			
Type	Area	Volume	

In Containment: No

Comment:

☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?

Fencing/:			
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:	Panel fence		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Equipment:			corrective date
Type: Horizontal Heated Separator	# 2		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Deadman # & Marked	# 4		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Bird Protectors	# 2		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Type: Gas Meter Run	# 2	
Comment:	Meter runs disconnected from separators and blind flanged on each end.	
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Bradenhead	# 2	
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:
Type: Plunger Lift	# 2	
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Tanks and Berms:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
CONDENSATE	1	<100 BBLs	STEEL AST		38.057812,-108.644165
Comment:	All open-topped Tanks will be equipped with screens or other appropriate equipment to prevent entry by wildlife, including birds and bats. Tanks is vented through mesh covered opening, signage on tank indicates produced water and condensate. Operator stated that vessels are operational blowdown tanks. Per Rule 608.a(9), crude oil and condensate storage tanks will function as sealed and ventless				
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
PRODUCED WATER	2	400 BBLs	STEEL AST		38.057812,-108.644165
Comment:	Tank shows signs of corrosion. Tank is need of repair or removal.				
Corrective Action:	Inspect, maintain and repair tanks to comply with rule 609.b. If tank is to be removed, stop work until Form 27 is approved. Contact COGCC EPS staff for directives per Rule 911.a.				Date: 04/25/2025

Paint

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

Berms

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Metal	Adequate	Walls Sufficient	Base Sufficient	Adequate

Inspected FacilitiesFacility ID: 257152 Type: WELL API Number: 113-06077 Status: PR Insp. Status: TA**Idle Well**Purpose: ☐ Shut In ☒ Temporarily Abandoned Reminder: _____Comment: Well shut in and locked out by BLM.

Corrective Action: _____ Date: _____

BradenHeadDate of Last Brhd Test: 10/09/2023 Annual Brhd Completed? NoLast Brhd Test Results Initial Surf Csg Pressure: 192 Fluid Type: GASEnd Surf Csg Pressure: 0Comment: Attempt Bradenhead test. Bradenhead tied into Production csg. 790 psi on gauge attached. Blow down casing to ensure isolation. Blow down bradenhead. Shut in bradenhead to allow pressur buildup for minimum 1 week. Will return to re-test. Aprox 10ppm H2S detected during blowdown. No indication of H2S reporting to COGCC.04/12/2025Corrective Action: Retest bradenhead after 4/11/2025.
Contact COGCC_Engineering@state.co.us with H2S resolution plan.

Date: _____

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Facility ID: 269548 Type: WELL API Number: 113-06131 Status: PR Insp. Status: TA**Idle Well**Purpose: ☐ Shut In ☒ Temporarily Abandoned Reminder: _____Comment: Well shut in and locked out by BLM.

Corrective Action: _____ Date: _____

BradenHeadDate of Last Brhd Test: 04/04/2025 Annual Brhd Completed? YesLast Brhd Test Results Initial Surf Csg Pressure: 204 Fluid Type: GASEnd Surf Csg Pressure: 0Comment: Perform Bradenhead test. 20 psi on gauge. Blowdown gas in 5 sec. No fluid. No pressure or flow after 30 min.

Corrective Action: _____ Date: _____

The subreport 'InspWellFlowline' could not be found at the specified location \\10.14.12

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
Berms	Pass	Compaction	Pass			

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date:

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
693808305	Inspection photos 4/4/2025	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7001462