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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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## SPILL/RELEASE REPORT

This form is to be submitted by the party responsible for the oil and gas spill or release. Any spill or release which may impact waters of the State must be reported as soon as practicable; any spill over 20 bbls must be reported within 24 hours and all spills over five bbls must be reported within ten days. Submit a Site Investigation and Remediation

Spill report taken by:

FACILITY ID:

428645

## OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of Operator: <u>Bargath LLC</u>	OGCC Operator No: <u>10128</u>	Phone Numbers
Address: <u>4289 County Road 215</u>		No: <u>970-285-5460</u>
City: <u>Parachute</u>	State: <u>CO</u> Zip: <u>81635</u>	Fax: _____
Contact Person: <u>Daniel Bartling</u>	Email: <u>Daniel.Bartling@Williams.com</u>	

## DESCRIPTION OF SPILL OR RELEASE

Date of Incident: <u>1/5/2012</u>	Facility Name & No: <u>West Rifle Station / No COGCC # found</u>	County: <u>Garfield</u>
Type of Facility (well, tank battery, flow line, pit): <u>Upright Oil Tank</u>	QtrQtr: <u>NENE</u>	Section: <u>13</u>
Well Name and Number: <u>N/A</u>	Township: <u>6S</u>	Range: <u>94W</u>
API Number: <u>N/A</u>	Meridian: <u>6th</u>	

Specify volume spilled and recovered (in bbls) for the following materials:

Oil spilled: unknown Oil recov'd: none Water spilled: unknown Water recov'd: none Other spilled: unknown Other recov'd: none

Ground Water impacted? ☐ Yes ☒ No Surface Water impacted? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Contained within berm? ☒ Yes ☐ No Area and vertical extent of spill: TBD

Current land use: Open Range Weather conditions: Clear, cold, breezy conditions

Soil/geology description: Arvada Loam, 1 to 6 percent slopes

IF LESS THAN A MILE, report distance IN FEET to nearest ... Surface water: 685 feet wetlands: None buildings: 317 feet

Livestock: None Water wells: 1,659 feet Depth to shallowest ground water: ~19 feet

Cause of spill (e.g. equipment failure, human error, etc.): Equipment Failure Detailed description of the spill/release incident:

As part of an SPCC inspection and preparatory work to improve secondary containment around an existing tank a leak was discovered on the lower man hatch of an upright tank. The leak had not been previously noted and the duration over which it may have been leaking is unknown. It appears that the leak was at a very slow rate, and no free liquids or pooling was noted in the vicinity of the tank. The preliminary investigation found that condensate had infiltrated the soil in the immediate vicinity of the tank. Please see attached site diagram.

## CORRECTIVE ACTION

Describe immediate response (how stopped, contained and recovered): Upon discovery, the tank was taken out of service and drained in order to have the hatch repaired. Initial investigation indicates the area of impact is within the boundaries of the old earthen containment cell. None of the fluids lost were recovered.

Describe any emergency pits constructed: None were constructed.

How was the extent of contamination determined? A backhoe was utilized to determine the initial impacts to soil below and adjacent to the tank. Based on these observations the area impacted by the release will require additional investigation.

Further remediation activities proposed (attach separate sheet if needed): A track mounted auger rig unit will be utilized to further determine the vertical and horizontal extent of contamination. Depending on extent of contamination, remediation options will be evaluated in order to lower the contaminant levels to below Table 910-1.

Describe measures taken to prevent problem from reoccurring: Review procedures with staff to ensure that all equipment is properly inspected during regular SPCC inspections and addition of containment liner under tankage as improvement to secondary containment.

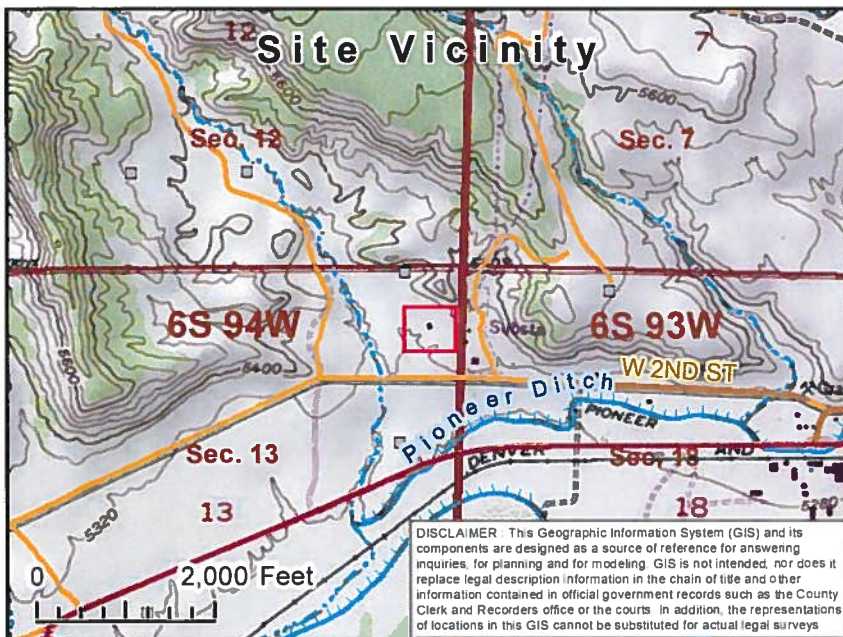
## OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

List the parties and agencies notified (County, BLM, EPA, DOT, Local Emergency Planning Coordinator or other).

Date	Agency	Contact	Phone	Response
1/5/2011	COGCC	Alex Fischer	303-894-2100 Ext 5138	Verbally notified in regards to the release
1/11/2011	Clough Sheep Co.	Ryan McKenzie	970-618-7631	Verbal notification to landowner

Spill/Release Tracking No: 02224445





## Attachment A--Spill Location Map

Location: West Rifle Tank Site  
Williams Midstream

### Legend

#### PLSS

- Township
- Section

#### Transportation Features

- Highways
- Public Roads
- Access Roads

#### Hydrographic Features

- Perennial Stream
- Intermittent Stream
- Ditch/Canal
- River



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