

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

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Inspection Date:  
11/25/2014

Document Number:  
674700640

Overall Inspection:

**ACTION REQUIRED**

**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Location Identifier	Facility ID	Loc ID	Inspector Name:	On-Site Inspection	2A Doc Num:
	<u>335035</u>	<u>335035</u>	<u>LONGWORTH, MIKE</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number:	<u>96850</u>
Name of Operator:	<u>WPX ENERGY ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC</u>
Address:	<u>1001 17TH STREET - SUITE #1200</u>
City:	<u>DENVER</u> State: <u>CO</u> Zip: <u>80202</u>

- THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION
- FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- INSPECTOR REQUESTS FORM 42 WHEN CORRECTIVE ACTIONS ARE COMPLETED

**Contact Information:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
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Moss, Brad	(970) 285-9377	Brad.Moss@WPXEnerg.com	Production foreman

**Compliance Summary:**

QtrQtr: SWSW Sec: 6 Twp: 7S Range: 95W

Insp. Date	Doc Num	Insp. Type	Insp Status	Satisfactory /Action Required	PA P/F/I	Pas/Fail (P/F)	Violation (Y/N)
02/07/2014	663902769			SATISFACTORY			No
01/31/2014	663902738			SATISFACTORY			No

**Inspector Comment:**

**Related Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
301237	WELL	PR	08/11/2009	GW	045-18097	PA 14-6	PR
301301	WELL	PR	07/31/2009	GW	045-18098	PA 414-6	PR
301302	WELL	PR	07/31/2009	GW	045-18099	PA 533-6	PR
301303	WELL	PR	05/31/2014	OW	045-18100	PA 413-6	PR
301304	WELL	PR	04/13/2014	OW	045-18101	PA 424-6	PR
301305	WELL	PR	07/31/2009	GW	045-18102	PA 11-7	PR
435133	WELL	WO	07/07/2014	LO	045-22220	PA 322-7	WO

435134	WELL	PR	05/26/2014	OW	045-22221	PA 324-6	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435135	WELL	PR	04/21/2014	OW	045-22222	PA 531-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435136	WELL	PR	04/13/2014	OW	045-22223	PA 421-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435137	WELL	PR	05/26/2014	OW	045-22224	PA 323-6	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435138	WELL	PR	08/07/2014	LO	045-22225	PA 313-6	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435139	WELL	PR	05/31/2014	OW	045-22226	PA 311-7	PR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
435140	WELL	AL	12/18/2013	LO	045-22227	PA 521-7	AL	<input type="checkbox"/>
435141	WELL	PR	08/07/2014	LO	045-22228	PA 411-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435142	WELL	PR	08/07/2014	LO	045-22229	PA 23-6	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435143	WELL	PR	04/13/2014	OW	045-22230	PA 321-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435144	WELL	PR	08/07/2014	LO	045-22231	PA 312-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435145	WELL	PR	04/21/2014	OW	045-22232	PA 331-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435146	WELL	PR	08/07/2014	LO	045-22233	PA 314-6	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435147	WELL	AL	12/18/2013	LO	045-22234	PA 22-7	AL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
435148	WELL	PR	04/13/2014	OW	045-22235	PA 431-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>
435149	WELL	PR	08/07/2014	LO	045-22236	PA 12-7	PR	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Equipment:** Location Inventory

Special Purpose Pits: _____	Drilling Pits: _____	Wells: <u>23</u>	Production Pits: _____
Condensate Tanks: <u>4</u>	Water Tanks: <u>2</u>	Separators: <u>23</u>	Electric Motors: _____
Gas or Diesel Mortors: _____	Cavity Pumps: _____	LACT Unit: <u>23</u>	Pump Jacks: _____
Electric Generators: _____	Gas Pipeline: _____	Oil Pipeline: <u>1</u>	Water Pipeline: <u>1</u>
Gas Compressors: _____	VOC Combustor: <u>1</u>	Oil Tanks: _____	Dehydrator Units: _____
Multi-Well Pits: _____	Pigging Station: _____	Flare: _____	Fuel Tanks: _____

**Location**

Emergency Contact Number (S/A/V): \_\_\_\_\_ Corrective Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume	Corrective action	CA Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Spills and Releases?				

<b>Venting:</b>		
Yes/No	Comment	

<b>Flaring:</b>				
Type	Satisfactory/Action Required	Comment	Corrective Action	CA Date

**Predrill**

Location ID: 335035

**Site Preparation:**

Lease Road Adeq.: \_\_\_\_\_ Pads: \_\_\_\_\_ Soil Stockpile: \_\_\_\_\_

**S/AV:** \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CDP Num.: \_\_\_\_\_

**Form 2A COAs:**

Group	User	Comment	Date
OGLA	kubeczkd	<p>The moisture content of any cuttings in a cuttings pit, trench, or pile shall be as low as practicable to prevent accumulation of liquids greater than de minimis amounts. At the time of closure, if the drill cuttings are to be left onsite, they must also meet the applicable standards of table 910-1.</p> <p>Flowback and stimulation fluids must be sent to tanks, separators, or other containment/filtering equipment before the fluids can be placed into any pipeline, storage vessel, or lined pit (only if an amended Form 2A has been submitted/approved and a Form 15 Earthen Pit Permitted has been submitted/approved) located on the well pad; or into tanker trucks for offsite disposal. The flowback and stimulation fluid tanks, separators, or other containment/filtering equipment must be placed on the well pad in an area with additional downgradient perimeter berming. The area where flowback fluids will be stored/reused must be constructed to be sufficiently impervious to contain any spilled or released material.</p> <p>Operator shall pressure test pipelines in accordance with Rule 1101.e.(1) prior to putting into initial service any temporary surface or permanent buried pipelines and following any reconfiguration of the pipeline network. Operator shall notify the COGCC Oil and Gas Location Assessment (OGLA) Specialist for Western Colorado (Dave Kubeczko; email dave.kubeczko@state.co.us) and the COGCC Field Inspection Supervisor for Northwest Colorado (Shaun Kellerby; email shaun.kellerby@state.co.us) 48 hours prior to testing surface poly or buried steel pipelines.</p> <p>Operator must implement best management practices to contain any unintentional release of fluids along all portions of the surface pipeline route where temporary pumps and other necessary equipment are located.</p> <p>Operator must routinely inspect the entire length of the surface pipeline to ensure integrity. Operator shall conduct daily inspections of surface poly pipeline routes for leaks during active transfer of fluids. Inspections shall be conducted by viewing the length of the pipeline; operator will endeavor to minimize surface disturbance during pipeline monitoring. The operator shall maintain records of inspections, findings and repairs, if necessary, for the life of the pipelines.</p> <p>Operator must ensure appropriate secondary containment for volume of fluids that may be released before pump shut down from the surface pipeline at all stream, intermittent stream, ditch, and drainage crossings. Catchment basins, if needed, should be sized to contain the volume between pump stations or between the nearest pump station and the frac pad being used for this well pad location. Pump stations along the surface poly or steel pipeline route will be continuously monitored when operating in order to swiftly respond to such a failure.</p> <p>Operator will utilize, to the extent practical, all existing access and other public roads, and/or existing pipeline right-of-ways, when placing/routing the surface pipelines. This will reduce surface disturbance and fragmentation of wildlife habitat in the area.</p>	10/15/2013

OGLA	kubeczkd	Operator must implement best management practices to contain any unintentional release of fluids, including any fluids conveyed via temporary surface pipelines or buried permanent pipelines.  Operator must ensure secondary containment for any volume of fluids contained at well site during drilling and completion operations; including, but not limited to, construction of a berm or diversion dike, diversion/collection trenches within and/or outside of berms/dikes, site grading, or other comparable measures (i.e., best management practices (BMPs) associated with stormwater management) sufficiently protective of nearby surface water. Any berm constructed at the well pad location will be stabilized, inspected at regular intervals (at least every 14 days), and maintained in good condition.  Berms or other containment devices shall be constructed to be sufficiently impervious (preferably corrugated steel with poly liner) to contain any spilled or released material around crude oil, condensate, and produced water storage tanks.	10/15/2013
Agency	yokleyb	Requested operator review the distance from completed portion of wellbore to nearest lease line, says 376' looks to be closer to 720'. Also, the distance to the nearest railroad, says 364' looks closer to 1650'.	10/25/2013
OGLA	kubeczkd	Notify the COGCC 48 hours prior to start of pad construction (if existing pad needs to be expanded or brought out to the original footprint), rig mobilization, spud, and start of hydraulic stimulation operations using Form 42 (the appropriate COGCC individuals will automatically be email notified, including the LGD for hydraulic stimulation operations).	10/15/2013

**S/AV:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Comment:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CA:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Wildlife BMPs:**

BMP Type	Comment
Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Maximize the utility of surface facilities by developing multiple wells from a single pad (directional drilling), and by co-locating multipurpose facilities (for example, well pads and compressors) to avoid unnecessary habitat fragmentation and disturbance of additional geographic areas.</li> <li>* Maximize the use of directional drilling to minimize habitat loss/fragmentation</li> <li>* Maximize use of remote completion/frac operations to minimize traffic</li> <li>* Maximize use of remote telemetry for well monitoring to minimize traffic</li> </ul>
Drilling/Completion Operations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Conduct well completions with drilling operations to limit the number of rig moves and traffic.</li> </ul>
Interim Reclamation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Use only certified weed-free native seed in seed mixes, except for non-native plants that benefit wildlife</li> <li>* WPX Energy will use certified, weed free grass hay, straw, hay or other mulch materials used for the reseeded and reclamation of disturbed areas.</li> <li>* Install exclusionary devices to prevent bird and other wildlife access to equipment stacks, vents and openings.</li> <li>* Reduce visits to well-sites through remote monitoring (i.e. SCADA) and the use of multi-function contractors.</li> </ul>

**General Housekeeping** Although this location is located within 500 ft. of perennial, ephemeral, or intermittent surface water according to USGS mapped surface waters, the attached Sensitive Area Determination concludes that the location is not within a sensitive area due to the low potential for impacts to surface water in the case of a facility release. However, in order to satisfy COGCC guidance requiring that all locations within 500 ft. of mapped surface water incorporate BMPs to protect that surface water, Williams will employ the following BMPs at this location:

- Williams will ensure 110 percent secondary containment for any volume of fluids contained at well site during drilling and completion operations.
- Williams will implement best management practices to contain any unintentional release of fluids.
- Either a lined drilling pit or closed loop system will be implemented.

**S/AV:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Comment:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CA:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Stormwater:**

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

**Staking:**

**On Site Inspection (305):**

Surface Owner Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Operator Rep. Contact Information:

Landman Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Onsite Request Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Rule 306 Consultation: \_\_\_\_\_

Request LGD Attendance: \_\_\_\_\_

LGD Contact Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Agreed to Attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Summary of Landowner Issues:

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Summary of Operator Response to Landowner Issues:

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Onsite Inspection Memorandum Summarizing Discussions at Inspection as Attachment:

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**Facility**

Facility ID: 435139 Type: WELL API Number: 045-22226 Status: PR Insp. Status: PR

Facility ID: 435147 Type: WELL API Number: 045-22234 Status: AL Insp. Status: AL

**Environmental**

**Spills/Releases:**

Type of Spill: \_\_\_\_\_ Description: \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated Spill Volume: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Reportable: \_\_\_\_\_ GPS: Lat \_\_\_\_\_ Long \_\_\_\_\_

Proximity to Surface Water: \_\_\_\_\_ Depth to Ground Water: \_\_\_\_\_

**Water Well:** \_\_\_\_\_ Lat \_\_\_\_\_ Long \_\_\_\_\_  
 DWR Receipt Num: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_ GPS : \_\_\_\_\_

**Field Parameters:** \_\_\_\_\_

Sample Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Emission Control Burner (ECB): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Pilot: \_\_\_\_\_ Wildlife Protection Devices (fired vessels): \_\_\_\_\_

**Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**

**Interim Reclamation:**

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

Land Use: RANGELAND

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

1003a. Debris removed? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_  
 CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Waste Material Onsite? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_  
 CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_  
 CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Pit, cellars, rat holes and other bores closed? **Fail** CM **2 conductors set for AL wells.**  
 CA **Close conductors** CA Date **12/31/2014**  
 Guy line anchors removed? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_  
 CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Guy line anchors marked? \_\_\_\_\_ CM \_\_\_\_\_  
 CA \_\_\_\_\_ CA 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 \_\_\_\_\_

1003 f. Weeds Noxious weeds? \_\_\_\_\_

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

Overall Interim Reclamation \_\_\_\_\_

**Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:**

Date Final Reclamation Started: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Final Reclamation Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Final Land Use: RANGELAND

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

S/A/V: \_\_\_\_\_ Corrective Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

CA: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pits:**  NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

## **ACTION REQUIRED**

**ANY ACTION REQUIRED** items listed on this report indicate that the oil and gas facility or the oil and gas operations listed on the report may be in violation of the rules and regulations of the Colorado Oil and Conservation Commission (“COGCC”) and corrective action is required.

There is reasonable cause to believe that a violation of the Oil and Gas Conservation Act, or of any rule, regulation, or order of the Commission, or of any permit issued by the Commission, has occurred. The Operator’s compliance with this Inspection Report is required to resolve these alleged violations. This document requires the Operator to timely respond to the COGCC and to comply with directives as listed by the **Corrective Action Deadline Date**. Failure to do so will result in the issuance of a Notice of Alleged Violation and initiation of enforcement proceedings in which COGCC will seek monetary penalties for the alleged violations pursuant to § 34-60-121, C.R.S. and Rule 523, COGCC Rules of Practice and Procedure, 2 CCR 404-1. (Please note that the COGCC's penalty authority was recently increased to a maximum of \$15,000 per day and penalties are no longer capped at a maximum of \$10,000 per violation.)