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Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Supplemental Form)

This form shall be submitted to the Director for approval prior to the initiation of site investigation and remediation activities. However, this shall not preclude the Operator from taking immediate action to protect public health or safety, the environment, wildlife, or livestock.

This Form 27 describes site conditions as currently understood by the Operator; approval of this Form 27 by COGCC is based on the site conditions accurately described herein; any changes in site conditions identified during or subsequent to the performance of the approved workplan may necessitate additional investigation or remediation which shall be described on a supplemental Form 27. This Form 27 is intended to provide basic information regarding the proposed site investigation and remediation actions, but the workplan may be more fully described in attached documentation.

Refer to Rules 340, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, and 910

OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of Operator: BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY LLC	Operator No: 10091	Phone Numbers
Address: 5201 TRUXTUN AVENUE #100		
City: BAKERSFIELD	State: CA Zip: 90339	
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 9764

Initial Form 27 Document #: 2526595

PURPOSE INFORMATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 901.e. Sensitive Area Determination | <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(5), Rule 910.b.(4): Remediation of impacted ground water |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(1), Rule 905: Pit or PW vessel closure | <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 909.e.(2)A.: Notice completion of remediation in accordance with Rule 909.b. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(2), Rule 906: Spill/Release Remediation | <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 909.e.(2)B.: Closure of remediation project |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(3), Rule 907.e.: Land treatment of oily waste | <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 906.c.: Director request |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 909.c.(4), Rule 908.g.: Centralized E&P Waste Management Facility closure | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Transfer REM #9764 to Operator 10091 |

SITE INFORMATION

N Multiple Facilities (in accordance with Rule 909.c.)

Facility Type: WELL	Facility ID:	API #: 045-11174	County Name: GARFIELD
Facility Name: LONG RIDGE 15B J15 595		Latitude: 39.611030	Longitude: -108.038190
		** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude:	Longitude:
QtrQtr: NWSE	Sec: 15	Twp: 5S	Range: 95W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications GC

Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use RANGELAND

Is domestic water well within 1/4 mile? No

Is surface water within 1/4 mile? No

Is groundwater less than 20 feet below ground surface? No

Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile

SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN

TYPE OF WASTE:

☐ E&P Waste

☐ Other E&P Waste

☒ Non-E&P Waste

☐ Produced Water

☐ Workover Fluids

Fresh water

☐ Oil

☐ Tank Bottoms

☐ Condensate

☐ Pigging Waste

☐ Drilling Fluids

☐ Rig Wash

☐ Drill Cuttings

☐ Spent Filters

☐ Pit Bottoms

☐ Other (as described by EPA)

DESCRIPTION OF IMPACT

Impacted?	Impacted Media	Extent of Impact	How Determined
	SOILS	None	LABORATORY TESTING

INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY

Description of initial action or emergency response measures take to abate, investigate, and/or remediate impacts associated with E&P Waste.

Pit will be drained and prepared for decommissioning. Drill cuttings, liquids, the synthetic liner, and any stained soil beneath the liner will be excavated and tested for Table 910-1 parameters. These cuttings will then be stockpiled on-site before land farming begins. Upon removal of water in the pit, a discrete sample will be collected from the pit bottom materials to evaluate compliance with Table 910-1 standards for this material.

PROPOSED SAMPLING PLAN

Proposed Soil Sampling

☒ Will soil samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, type (grab/composite), analyses, and locations of samples):

5 samples taken from pit bottom

Proposed Groundwater Sampling

☐ Will groundwater samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, analyses, and locations of samples):

Proposed Surface Water Sampling

☐ Will surface water samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, analyses, and locations of samples):

Additional Investigative Actions

☐ Additional alternative investigative actions described in attached Site Investigation Plan (summary):

SITE INVESTIGATION REPORT

SAMPLE SUMMARY

Soil

Number of soil samples collected 5

Number of soil samples exceeding 910-1 0

Was the areal and vertical extent of soil contamination delineated? No

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 0

NA / ND

NA Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg)

-- Highest concentration of SAR 39.6

BTEX > 910-1 No

Vertical Extent > 910-1 (in feet) 2

Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 0

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? No

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet)

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 910-1

Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Methane (mg/l)

Surface Water

0 Number of surface water samples collected

Number of surface water samples exceeding 910-1

If surface water is impacted, other agency notification may be required.

OTHER INVESTIGATION INFORMATION

☐ Were impacts to adjacent property or offsite impacts identified?

☐ Were background samples collected as part of this site investigation?

☐ Was investigation derived waste (IDW) generated as part of this investigation?

Volume of solid waste (cubic yards)

Volume of liquid waste (barrels)

☐ Is further site investigation required?

REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN

Does this Supplemental Form 27A include changes to a previously approved Remedial Action Plan? No _____

SOURCE REMOVAL SUMMARY

Describe how source is to be removed.

None is to be removed - all clean soil.

REMEDIATION SUMMARY

Describe how remediation of existing impacts to soil and groundwater is to be accomplished (i.e. summarize remedial action plan). Provide a brief narrative description including: technical justification, schedule for implementation, estimated time to attain NFA status, plus plans and specifications for the selected remedial action technology.

No remediation required.

Soil Remediation Summary

☐ In Situ

_____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

_____ Chemical oxidation

_____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

_____ Natural Attenuation

_____ Other _____

☒ Ex Situ

No _____ Excavate and offsite disposal

If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) _____

Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or COGCC Facility ID # _____

Yes _____ Excavate and onsite remediation

No _____ Land Treatment

No _____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

No _____ Chemical oxidation

Yes _____ Other _____ Spoil is clean, will be used to backfill pit.

Groundwater Remediation Summary

☐ _____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

☐ _____ Chemical oxidation

☐ _____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

☐ _____ Natural Attenuation

☐ _____ Other _____

GROUNDWATER MONITORING

If groundwater has been impacted, describe proposed monitoring plan, including # of wells or sample points, monitoring schedule, analytical methods, points of compliance. Attach a groundwater monitoring location diagram.

There are no impacts to groundwater.

REMEDIATION PROGRESS UPDATE

PERIODIC REPORTING

Frequency: ☐ Quarterly ☐ Semi-Annually ☐ Annually ☒ Other One time

Report Type: ☐ Groundwater Monitoring ☐ Land Treatment Progress Report ☐ O&M Report

☒ Other Pit bottom

WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Was E&P waste generated as part of this remediation? No

Describe beneficial use, if any, of E&P Waste derived from this remediation project:

Volume of E&P Waste (solid) in cubic yards _____

E&P waste (solid) description _____

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: _____

Volume of E&P Waste (liquid) in barrels _____

E&P waste (liquid) description _____

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: _____

REMEDIATION COMPLETION REPORT

REMEDIATION COMPLETION SUMMARY

Is this a Final Closure Request for this Remediation Project? No

Do all soils meet Table 910-1 standards? _____

Does the previous reply indicate consideration of background concentrations? _____

Are the only residual soil impacts pH, SAR, or EC at depths greater than 3 feet below ground surface? _____

Does Groundwater meet Table 910-1 standards? _____

Is additional groundwater monitoring to be conducted? _____

RECLAMATION PLAN

RECLAMATION PLANNING

Describe reclamation plan. Discuss existing and new grade recontouring; method and testing of compaction alleviation; and reseeding program, including location of new seed, seed mix and noxious weed prevention. Attach diagram or drawing.

The site is currently used for water storage. After the use of the water storage pit is completed, the pit will be drained and the liner removed and disposed of at a certified landfill. Once background levels of arsenic in the drill cuttings are demonstrated and the COGCC Table 910-1 standards are met, drill cuttings will be blended with non-contaminated on-site materials and buried in the pit and compacted. The remainder of the pit will be backfilled using native rock and soil, regarded to conform to the surrounding ground surface and reseeded using an approved seed mix. Noxious weeds will be controlled as necessary using approved methods.

If COGCC Table 910-1 standards are not met, then the spoil material taken from the pit bottom will be treated on-site by landfarming. The pit will be excavated until clean spoil is apparent and will be tested again repeatedly until 910-1 Standards are met. The existing spoil material that is on-site will also be tested and land farmed on-site if required, the treatment will include adding nitrogen and/or phosphorus amendments. The treated material meeting COGCC minimum standards will be blended with clean non-contaminated on-site materials and will be buried on locations per COGCC standards. Exterior slopes on east, west, and north sides shall be pulled up and materials will be pushed into the existing pit. The exterior slopes

will be laid back at a minimum 3:1. Top soil will be spread over all slopes and will be reseeded with an approved seed mix. LINN Operating, Inc. has addressed and will accommodate the wildlife concerns during the site stabilization of this pad.

Is the described reclamation complete? _____

Does the reclamation described herein constitute interim or final reclamation of the Oil and Gas Location?

☐ Interim? ☐ Final?

Did the Surface Owner approve the seed mix? _____

If NO, does the seed mix comply with local soil conservation district recommendations? _____

IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

PRIOR DATES

Date of Surface Owner notification/consultation, if required. _____

Actual Spill or Release date, if known. _____

SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). _____

Date of commencement of Site Investigation. 06/20/2014

Date of completion of Site Investigation. _____

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Date of commencement of Remediation. 06/20/2014

Date of completion of Remediation. 06/20/2016

SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Date of commencement of Reclamation. _____

Date of completion of Reclamation. _____

OPERATOR COMMENT

Transfer REM #9764 from Operator #10516(Linn Operating, Inc.) to Operator #10091(Berry Petroleum Co LLC). This is the J15 595 Fresh Water Pond that is in the process of being backfilled and closed.

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are to the best of my knowledge true, correct, and complete.

Signed: Tom Hogelin

Title: Construction Foreman

Submit Date: _____

Email: tgh@bry.com

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: _____

Date: _____

Remediation Project Number: 9764

COA Type

Description

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Attachment Check List

Upon approval, the approved Form 27 and all listed attachments will be indexed to the Remediation Project file. Only the approved Form 27 will also be indexed to the related Facilities.

Att Doc Num

Name

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