

# State of Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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## Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Initial 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: NOBLE ENERGY INC	Operator No: 100322	Phone Numbers Phone: (970) 3045014 Mobile: (970) 2034238
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### PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

#### PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 11746 Initial Form 27 Document #: 401744436

#### 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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> Other _____                                                                       |

#### SITE INFORMATION

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

Facility Type: LOCATION	Facility ID: 302504	API #: _____	County Name: WELD
Facility Name: WELLS RANCH USX AA-66N63W 13NENE		Latitude: 40.492002	Longitude: -104.377363
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: 40.490161		Longitude: -104.380719	
QtrQtr: NENE	Sec: 13	Twp: 6N	Range: 63W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes
Facility Type: LOCATION	Facility ID: 309680	API #: _____	County Name: WELD
Facility Name: WELLS RANCH USX AA-66N63W 11SWSW		Latitude: 40.497546	Longitude: -104.408622
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: 40.497381		Longitude: -104.408972	
QtrQtr: SWSW	Sec: 11	Twp: 6N	Range: 63W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes
Facility Type: LOCATION	Facility ID: 323672	API #: _____	County Name: WELD
Facility Name: OCOMA B-65N64W 29NESW		Latitude: 40.368240	Longitude: -104.576060
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: 40.368390		Longitude: -104.576491	
QtrQtr: NESW	Sec: 29	Twp: 5N	Range: 64W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes

Facility Type:	LOCATION	Facility ID:	447343	API #:		County Name:	WELD
Facility Name:		DPG F12-18, YAKLICH PM F 12-03		Latitude:	40.418700	Longitude:	-104.612530
				** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude:	40.418694	Longitude:	-104.612342
QtrQtr:	NENW	Sec:	12	Twp:	5N	Range:	65W
					Meridian:	6	Sensitive Area? Yes

Facility Type:	LOCATION	Facility ID:	456495	API #:		County Name:	WELD
Facility Name:		WELLS RANCH USX AA-66N63W 11NWNW		Latitude:	40.506743	Longitude:	-104.410922
				** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude:	40.504401	Longitude:	-104.408643
QtrQtr:	NWNW	Sec:	11	Twp:	6N	Range:	63W
					Meridian:	6	Sensitive Area? Yes

**SITE CONDITIONS**

General soil type - USCS Classifications	SW	Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use	Various
Is domestic water well within 1/4 mile?	Yes	Is surface water within 1/4 mile?	Yes
Is groundwater less than 20 feet below ground surface?	Yes		

**Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile**

Various
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## SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN

### TYPE OF WASTE:

☒ E&P Waste

☐ Other E&P Waste

☐ Non-E&P Waste

☒ Produced Water

☐ Workover Fluids

☐ 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
No	GROUNDWATER	N/A	Laboratory Analytical
No	SOILS	N/A	Laboratory Analytical

### INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY

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

Produced water vessel sampling per COGCC Rule 905b.

### 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 ):

Soil samples were collected and analyzed for TPH-DRO, TPH-GRO, BTEX, Naphthalene, SAR, EC, and pH. See attachments for sample locations.

#### Proposed Groundwater Sampling

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

Groundwater samples were collected and analyzed for BTEX.

#### 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 10

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

-- Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) 132

-- Highest concentration of SAR 0.99

BTEX > 910-1 No

Vertical Extent > 910-1 (in feet) 0

### Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 1

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? No

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet) 5'

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed 0

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 910-1 0

ND Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l)

ND Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l)

ND Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l)

ND Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l)

ND Highest concentration of Methane (mg/l)

### Surface Water

0 Number of surface water samples collected

0 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

## SOURCE REMOVAL SUMMARY

Describe how source is to be removed.

There was no E&P Waste generated.

## 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.

Between July 10, 2018 and July 27, 2018 five locations were sampled to investigate for potential impacts subsequent to a produced water vessel removal, in accordance with COGCC Rule 905b. All samples collected were below COGCC Table 910-1 standards.

## Soil Remediation Summary

### ☐ In Situ

- \_\_\_\_\_ Bioremediation ( or enhanced bioremediation )
- \_\_\_\_\_ Chemical oxidation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction
- \_\_\_\_\_ Natural Attenuation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### ☐ Ex Situ

- \_\_\_\_\_ Excavate and offsite disposal
- \_\_\_\_\_ If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or COGCC Facility ID # \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Excavate and onsite remediation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Land Treatment
- \_\_\_\_\_ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Chemical oxidation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 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.

## REMEDATION PROGRESS UPDATE

### PERIODIC REPORTING

**Frequency:** ☐ Quarterly ☐ Semi-Annually ☐ Annually ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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

☒ Other Produced water vessel removal \_\_\_\_\_

### 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: \_\_\_\_\_

## 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.

Reclamation will be in accordance with COGCC 1000 series rules.

Is the described reclamation complete? Yes

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). 07/10/2018

Date of commencement of Site Investigation. \_\_\_\_\_

Date of completion of Site Investigation. 07/27/2018

### REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Date of commencement of Remediation. \_\_\_\_\_

Date of completion of Remediation. \_\_\_\_\_

### SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Date of commencement of Reclamation. 07/10/2018

Date of completion of Reclamation. 07/27/2018

**OPERATOR COMMENT**

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

Signed: ` Howard Aamold \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Environmental Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_

Submit Date: ` 08/27/2018 \_\_\_\_\_

Email: howard.aamold@nbleenergy.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: RICK ALLISON \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 08/31/2018 \_\_\_\_\_

Remediation Project Number: 11746 \_\_\_\_\_

**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**

401744436	FORM 27-INITIAL-SUBMITTED
401744457	ANALYTICAL RESULTS
401744459	ANALYTICAL RESULTS
401744463	ANALYTICAL RESULTS
401744466	ANALYTICAL RESULTS
401744467	ANALYTICAL RESULTS

Total Attach: 6 Files

**General Comments****User Group****Comment****Comment Date**

Environmental	Operator may submit a Form 27 Supplemental - Remediation Complete and request closure of this investigation.	08/31/2018
Environmental	Changed Location ID 310806 to 456495 Changed Location ID 310808 to 309680 Changed Location Id 327064 to 447343	08/31/2018

Total: 2 comment(s)