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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

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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 13524

Initial Form 27 Document #: 402026987

PURPOSE INFORMATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 901.e. Sensitive Area Determination | <input checked="" 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 checked="" 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

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

Facility Type: SPILL OR RELEASE	Facility ID: 463346	API #:	County Name: WELD
Facility Name: SPILL/RELEASE POINT	Latitude: 40.180005	Longitude: -104.751538	
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude:		Longitude:	
QtrQtr: NWSW	Sec: 35	Twp: 3N	Range: 66W
Meridian: 6	Sensitive Area? Yes		

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications SP Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use Non-Crop Land

Is domestic water well within 1/4 mile? No 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

None

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
Yes	GROUNDWATER	See attached data	Groundwater sampling and laboratory analysis
Yes	SOILS	87' (N-S) x 78' (E-W) x 18' bgs	Excavation, soil sampling, and laboratory analysis

INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY

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

On December 31, 2018, a release occurred due to corrosion in the surface casing at the Brown 32-35 wellhead. The facility was shut in, the well was plugged and abandoned, associated infrastructure was removed, and excavation activities were initiated. The release became State reportable on March 11, 2019, due to the quantity of impacted soil excavated. Groundwater was encountered in the excavation area at approximately 18 feet below ground surface (bgs). The COGCC has issued Spill/Release Point ID 463346 for this release.

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 as described in the Initial Form 27. Based on the data presented, impacted soils in the excavation area were remediated to be in full compliance with COGCC standards.

Proposed Groundwater Sampling

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

Between June 27 and October 9, 2019, a total of ten (10) temporary groundwater monitoring wells (BH01 - BH10) were installed to further assess the extent of groundwater impacts. Quarterly groundwater monitoring was initiated on July 8, 2019, and is ongoing. Groundwater samples are collected from the temporary groundwater monitoring wells on a quarterly basis and analyzed for benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes (BTEX). Groundwater analytical data is presented in Table 1, and the groundwater sample locations are illustrated on Figure 1. The laboratory analytical reports for the previous two quarters of groundwater monitoring are provided as Attachment A.

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 23

Number of soil samples exceeding 910-1 9

Was the areal and vertical extent of soil contamination delineated? Yes

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 5830

NA / ND

-- Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) 12680

NA Highest concentration of SAR

BTEX > 910-1 Yes

Vertical Extent > 910-1 (in feet) 18

Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 20

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? Yes

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet) 15

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed 10

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 910-1 5

-- Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l) 612

-- Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l) 1480

-- Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l) 122

-- Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l) 1260

NA 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?

The 10 temporary groundwater monitoring wells (BH01 - BH10) will continue to be sampled on a quarterly basis and submitted for laboratory analysis of BTEX until concentrations remain in full compliance with COGCC standards for four consecutive quarters.

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.

Between January 25 and April 16, 2019, approximately 4,990 cubic yards of impacted material were excavated and transported to the Buffalo Ridge Landfill in Keenesburg, Colorado. Approximately 1,249 barrels of impacted groundwater were removed from the excavation area via vacuum truck and transported to the Kerr-McGee Aggregate Recycle Facility in Weld County, Colorado.

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.

Laboratory data indicate that impacted soils in the excavation area have been remediated to be in full compliance with COGCC standards. Prior to backfilling, approximately 605 pounds of activated carbon were added to the groundwater within the excavation area to mitigate remaining hydrocarbon impacts in groundwater. Quarterly groundwater monitoring is ongoing and will be continued until concentrations remain in full compliance with COGCC standards for four consecutive quarters. Additional remedial activities may be evaluated, as necessary, to address potential remaining hydrocarbon impacts in groundwater. Estimated time to attain NFA is TBD based on the groundwater concentrations, the extent of impacted groundwater, and the efficacy of the selected remedial technologies.

Soil Remediation Summary

☐ In Situ

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

☒ Ex Situ

Yes Excavate and offsite disposal
_____ If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) 4990
Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or COGCC Facility ID # _____
No Excavate and onsite remediation
_____ Land Treatment
_____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)
_____ Chemical oxidation
_____ Other _____

Groundwater Remediation Summary

No _____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)
No _____ Chemical oxidation
No _____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction
Yes _____ Natural Attenuation
Yes _____ Other Groundwater removal, activated carbon adsorption

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.

Between June 27 and October 9, 2019, 10 temporary groundwater monitoring wells (BH01 - BH10) were installed to further assess the extent of groundwater impacts. The temporary groundwater monitoring wells will continue to be sampled on a quarterly basis and submitted for laboratory analysis of BTEX until concentrations remain in full compliance with COGCC standards for four consecutive quarters. Groundwater sample locations and a potentiometric surface contour map for the Fourth Quarter 2019 are illustrated on Figure 1. Well completion logs for the temporary monitoring wells are provided as Attachment B.

REMEDIATION PROGRESS UPDATE

PERIODIC REPORTING

Frequency: ☐ Quarterly ☐ Semi-Annually ☒ Annually ☐ Other _____

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

WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Was E&P waste generated as part of this remediation? Yes

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

NA

Volume of E&P Waste (solid) in cubic yards 4990

E&P waste (solid) description Hydrocarbon impacted soil

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: Buffalo Ridge Landfill - Keenesburg, Colorado

Volume of E&P Waste (liquid) in barrels 1249

E&P waste (liquid) description Hydrocarbon impacted groundwater

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: 434766

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: _____

REMEDIATION COMPLETION REPORT

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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 has been restored to its pre-release grade. Kerr-McGee will conduct reclamation in accordance with COGCC 1000 Series Rules.

Is the described reclamation complete? No

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. 03/12/2019

Actual Spill or Release date, if known. 12/31/2018

SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 01/25/2019

Date of commencement of Site Investigation. 01/25/2019

Date of completion of Site Investigation.

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Date of commencement of Remediation. 01/25/2019

Date of completion of Remediation.

SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Date of commencement of Reclamation.

Date of completion of Reclamation.

OPERATOR COMMENT

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

Signed: Phillip Hamlin

Title: Senior Environmental Rep

Submit Date:

Email: Phil_Hamlin@oxy.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: 13524

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

402252450	LOGS
402252460	GROUND WATER ELEVATION MAP
402252463	ANALYTICAL RESULTS
402252472	ANALYTICAL RESULTS

Total Attach: 4 Files

General Comments

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