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700701165**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 322369 Inspector Name: Ramsey, Scott On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 53255Name of Operator: MARALEX RESOURCES INCAddress: P O BOX 338City: IGNACIO State: CO Zip: 81137**Status Summary:**

- ☒ THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION
- ☒ FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED
- ☐ NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED

**Findings:**13 Number of Comments7 Number of Corrective Actions

- ☒ Corrective Action Response Requested

**ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM  
PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT  
BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE****Contact Information:**

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**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
210371	WELL	SI	09/01/2017	GW	045-06127	RIFLE-BOULTON 1	SI

**General Comment:****COGCC Inspection Report Summary**

On Wednesday 7/22/20 at approximately 12:30 PM, I, Inspector Scott Ramsey, conducted a follow up inspection at Maralex Rifle-boulton #1, at Location # 322369 in Garfield county Colorado.

While there, I observed all C/A(s) from previous inspections document #S 689302263, 689301993 and 700700518 have not been completed, previous inspections were done 11/05/2018, 9/26/2018 and 4/21/2020. This well is T/A.

The Braden head is plumbed into the tank and is open to the tank, I could hear the Braden head venting into the tank from approximately 300 foot away. The tank has a pipe on the side that is attached and open to atmosphere.

During this inspection the following possible compliance issues were observed:

- Well head sign is missing (C/A date 10/28/2018)
- Unused, unmarked flow lines (C/A date 10/28/2018)
- Debris in and around tank battery
- MIT is not current and there is no form 4 (C/A date for form 4 is 10/28/2018)
- Secondary containment is not satisfactory
- Emergency contact does not have 911
- Casing master valve is actively leaking called operator

Refer to photograph of observed compliance issue.

A follow up on this site inspection will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules. This is a summary of inspection report.

Location				
<b>Lease Road:</b>				
Type	Access			
comment:				
Corrective Action	L		Date:	
Overall Good: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
<b>Signs/Marker:</b>				
Type	WELLHEAD			
Comment:	Well head sign missing			
Corrective Action:	Install sign to comply with Rule 210.b.		Date:	10/28/2018
Emergency Contact Number:				
Comment:	970-563-4000/ no evidence of 911			
Corrective Action:	Install sign to reflect EMS		Date:	07/17/2020
<b>Good Housekeeping:</b>				
Type	OTHER			
Comment:	Casing master valve is actively leaking called operator spoke with Jim Graves.			
Corrective Action:	Securely fasten all valves, pipes, and fittings to ensure good mechanical condition, inspect at regular intervals and maintain in good mechanical condition. If leak is found Immediate call to operator 24 hours to fix the leak or isolate leak.		Date:	07/23/2020
Type	UNUSED EQUIPMENT			
Comment:	Unused, unmarked flowlines.			
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 603.f . For unused , unmarked flowline risers 24 hrs to lock out tag out. 30 days to remove riser.		Date:	10/28/2018
Type	DEBRIS			
Comment:	weeds and debris in and around tank batery containment, and Wellhead			
Corrective Action:	Remove all weeds and debris see photos		Date:	05/08/2020
Overall Good: <input type="checkbox"/>				
<b>Spills:</b>				
Type	Area	Volume		
In Containment: No				
Comment:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Spills and Releases?				
<b>Fencing/:</b>				
Type	WELLHEAD			
Comment:				
Corrective Action:			Date:	
<b>Equipment:</b>				
			corrective date	
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 1			
Comment:				
Corrective Action:			Date:	
Type: Plunger Lift	# 1			

Comment:	well is T/A		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Tanks and Berms:**

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
PRODUCED WATER	1	300 BBLs	STEEL AST		,
Comment:					
Corrective Action:					Date:

**Paint**

Condition	Adequate	
Other (Content)		
Other (Capacity)		
Other (Type)		

**Berms**

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Earth	Inadequate	Walls Insufficient	Base Insufficient	Inadequate
Comment:	Inadequate berms around tank			
Corrective Action:	Repair or install berms or other secondary containment devices			
		Date:	06/12/2020	

**Venting:**

Yes/No	YES		
Comment:	braden head is venting to tank, it can be heard from a distance. There is a form 17 on file.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Flaring:**

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

**Inspected Facilities**Facility ID: 210371 Type: WELL API Number: 045-06127 Status: SI Insp. Status: SI**Idle Well**Purpose: ☐ Shut In ☒ Temporarily Abandoned Reminder: \_\_\_\_\_Comment: Last MIT document #2493367 was done 10/9/2014 and is over due for another MIT to maintain status, No Form 4 on file for continued TA status.

Corrective Action: A Sundry Notice, Form 4, shall be submitted annually stating the method the well is closed to the atmosphere and plans for future operation. no evidence in well file of T/A status.

A mechanical integrity test shall be performed on each temporarily abandoned well on five year intervals from the date of the initial mechanical integrity test was performed, as long as the well remained temporarily abandoned.

Date: 10/28/2018

**Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit****Storm Water:**

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
Berms		Culverts				
		Ditches				

Comment: Corrective Action: Date: **Pits:** ☒ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT**Attached Documents**You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
700701167	Photos for rifle-boulton #1	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5205426">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5205426</a>