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X/15**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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Inspection Date:

07/14/2020

Submitted Date:

07/15/2020

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696201509**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 335618 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 10456

Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC

Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1600

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

4 Number of Comments

1 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
335618	LOCATION	AC			-	UNOCAL-ENCANA- 66S96W 4NESW	RI

General Comment:

On 7/14/2020, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted an interim reclamation inspection and stormwater inspection at Caerus Piceance LLC's Unocal-Encana-66S96W /4NESW location in Garfield County, Colorado.

This inspection is a followup inspection to #696201269 to document compliance with the following corrective actions:

1003.b: Interim reclamation of areas no longer in use

1003.f: Weed Management

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

1003.f: Weed Management.

Refer to the "Reclamation" section of this inspection report for additional details.

Refer to the photo-documentation of the observed compliance issues attached to this report.

Any corrective action(s) from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

A follow up on this site inspection will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules.

LocationOverall Good: ☐

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Good Housekeeping:

Type	WEEDS		
Comment:	<p>In order to allow Operator the opportunity to separately address corrective action within a Resolution Form, the corrective action regarding 1003.f noxious weed management is being addressed within the "Good Housekeeping" section of this report.</p> <p>Previous inspection observed noxious weeds (Musk thistle) within the current interim areas of the Location. Inspection required Operator to conduct weed management by 5/27/2020. Operator submitted FIRR #402413689 stating "Weeds were treated, and will be re-monitored later in the year".</p> <p>It was observed in this inspection that weed management activities per the CA are evident. However ongoing management appears insufficient; Viable musk thistle plants/rosettes remain evident within interim areas.</p>		
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 1003.f; Ongoing noxious weed management and monitoring is required until Location receives a passing final inspection.	Date:	07/31/2020

Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		
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In Containment: No

Comment:

☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?**Venting:**

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Flaring:

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

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

Date Interim Reclamation Started: _____ Date Interim Reclamation Completed: _____

Land Use: _____

Comment: _____

1002 SITE PREPARATION AND STABILIZATION

1002a. FENCING _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002b. SOIL REMOVAL AND _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002c. PROTECTION OF SOILS _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002E. SURFACE DISTURBANCE MINIMIZATION _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1003a. Waste and Debris removed? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Pit, cellars, rat holes and other bores closed? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Guy line anchors marked? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

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 REVEGETATIONCropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ Perennial forage re-established _____

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ 80% Revegetation _____

1003e. INTERIM VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

1003 f. Weeds Noxious weeds? _____ F _____

Comment

Operator received an approved Waste Management plan to utilize the Unocal location to place surface cuttings from the NPR /O04-696 Pad. Sundry doc. #402379629 requesting approval to begin transporting surface cuttings was approved 6/15/2020.

It was observed in this inspection that cutting transport and storage does not appear to have commenced.

Per COA from Doc. #402379629, Operator has six (6) months to conduct interim reclamation of the Location per Rules. Interim reclamation shall be completed by 9/24/2020.

Corrective Action

Date _____

Overall Interim Reclamation In Process

Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:

Date Final Reclamation Started: _____ Date Final Reclamation Completed: _____

Final Land Use: _____

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 _____

1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

Comment: Corrective Action:

Date _____

Overall Final Reclamation

Well Release on Active Location ☐Multi-Well Location ☐**Attached Documents**You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
402443958	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5196769
696201509	INSPECTION APPROVED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5201102
696201510	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5196751