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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: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC	Operator No: 10456	Phone Numbers
Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1600		Phone: (970) 778-2314
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202		Mobile: (970) 778-2314
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 14788

Initial Form 27 Document #: 402257424

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 checked="" 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: 469290	API #: _____	County Name: MESA
Facility Name: C16OU Flowline Release	Latitude: 39.355417	Longitude: -108.114461	
	** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: 39.355173	Longitude: -108.114118	
QtrQtr: NENW	Sec: 16	Twp: 8S	Range: 96W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications SM

Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use Rangeland

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? 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

☐ 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	SOILS	Attached	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.

Please see COGCC Document 402297038 for a description of activities completed prior to 6/9/2020.

Please see the attached document titled "Caerus C16OU - Soil Investigation" for a description of Site Assessment activities conducted 6/9/2020-6/11/2020. This document includes a request for consideration for inorganic exceedances under FAQ 32 as well as a summary of soil analytical data that was collected during the assessment and soil boring logs.

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):

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 40

Number of soil samples exceeding 910-1 24

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

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 2500

NA / ND

-- Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) 11.45

-- Highest concentration of SAR 62.1

BTEX > 910-1 No

Vertical Extent > 910-1 (in feet) 50

Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 0

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? Yes

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

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 910-1

NA Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l)

NA Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l)

NA Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l)

NA Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l)

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?

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.

The source is a failed portion of dumpline which was removed.

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 further remediation is necessary.

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
- _____ No Land Treatment
- _____ No Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)
- _____ No Chemical oxidation
- _____ No 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.

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:

None

Volume of E&P Waste (solid) in cubic yards 846

E&P waste (solid) description Soil impacted by E&P Waste - Manifests Attached

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: Greenleaf Environmental Services

Volume of E&P Waste (liquid) in barrels 70

E&P waste (liquid) description Mixture of impacted soil and hydrovac rinsate

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: 426582

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: _____

REMEDIATION COMPLETION REPORT

REMEDIATION COMPLETION SUMMARY

Is this a Final Closure Request for this Remediation Project? Yes

Do all soils meet Table 910-1 standards? No

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? Yes

Does Groundwater meet Table 910-1 standards? Yes

Is additional groundwater monitoring to be conducted? No

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.

Excavation will be backfilled to match pad elevation.

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. 11/18/2019

Actual Spill or Release date, if known. _____

SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 11/15/2019

Date of commencement of Site Investigation. 11/15/2019

Date of completion of Site Investigation. 06/11/2020

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Date of commencement of Remediation. 11/15/2019

Date of completion of Remediation. 06/11/2020

SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Date of commencement of Reclamation. _____

Date of completion of Reclamation. _____

OPERATOR COMMENT

Caerus contracted an environmental drilling company to assess inorganic concentrations in soils below the release point at the C16OU location. Due to lack of available field screening tools, Caerus was unable to determine the approximate area where inorganic concentrations met COGCC Table 910-1 Concentration Levels during drilling activities. Therefore the site was drilled to a pre-determined depth of 50 feet below pad surface which was approved via COGCC Document 402297038.

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

Signed: ` Jake Janicek

Title: EHS Specialist

Submit Date: ` 07/31/2020

Email: jjanicek@caerusoilandgas.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: Steven Arauza

Date: 09/14/2020

Remediation Project Number: 14788

COA Type**Description**

	Based on review of information presented it appears that no further action is necessary at this time, and COGCC approves the closure request. However, should future conditions at the site indicate contaminant concentrations in soils exceeding COGCC standards or if surface and/or ground water is found to be impacted, then further investigation and/or remediation activities will be required at the site. In addition, the non-working surface area disturbed by the remediation activity shall be reclaimed in accordance with the 1000 Series Reclamation Rules including the establishment of vegetative cover on non-cropland and successful growth on cropland. Landowner must approve reclamation of cropland.
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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**

402455680	FORM 27-SUPPLEMENTAL-SUBMITTED
402457065	ANALYTICAL RESULTS

Total Attach: 2 Files

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

Environmental	Based on sample depths and minimal risk to potential receptors described in attached report doc #402457065, the operator's request for consideration of inorganics exceedances under FAQ 32 is conditionally approved.	09/14/2020
Environmental	Updated Corrected Lat/Long for Remediation Project to 39.355173/-108.114118 to correspond to location of release, excavation, and residual subsurface impacts.	09/14/2020
Environmental	Attached report (doc #402457065) documents Table 910-1 exceedances for SAR, EC, and pH at depths ranging from 10 feet bgs to 50+ feet bgs in the vicinity of the point of release and excavated area.	09/14/2020
Environmental	Operator's final reclamation plan has been provided via eForm 04 Sundry Notice doc #402485841.	09/14/2020

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