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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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OGCC RECEPTION

Receive Date:
10/19/2020

Accident Tracking No.:
402513459

ACCIDENT REPORT

As required by Rule 602.d.

CONTACT INFORMATION

☒ Initial Notice of Accident ☐ Subsequent Notice of Accident

OGCC Operator Number: 10456

Contact Name: Jake Janicek

Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC

Phone: (970) 778-2314

Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1600

Fax: ()

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

Email: jjanicek@caerusoilandgas.com

ACCIDENT DATE, TIME, and LOCATION (Please be as specific as possible)

Date of Accident: 10/16/2020

Time of Accident: 09:52 AM

API Number: 05- 045-12300

Facility ID:

Type of Facility: WELL

Well/Facility Name: NOCKS

Well/Facility Num: 1-11D

County: GARFIELD

Location: QTRQTR: NWNW

Sec: 1

Twp: 8S

Rng: 96W

Meridian: 6

Lat: 39.384881

Long: -108.063351

Field Name: PARACHUTE

Field Number: 67350

Was there a reportable E & P waste spill or release associated with this accident? Yes ☐ No ☒

If YES, enter the Document Number of the Initial Spill/Release Report, Form 19:

Was there a Grade 1 Gas Leak associated with this accident? Yes ☐ No ☒

If YES, enter the Document Number of the Initial Spill/Release Report, Form 19:

DESCRIPTION OF ACCIDENT

Number of members of the general public injured: 0

Number of workers injured: 0

Number of general public fatalities: 0

Number of worker fatalities: 0

Type of Accident (check all that apply):

☐ Fire

☐ Explosion

☐ Detonation

☒ Uncontrolled Release

☐ Other Description:

Detailed Description of Accident:

- Do not include names of injured, injuries, or medical treatment information.
- Subsequent Report must include Root Cause.

During a routine visit to the location by a contract gas measurement employee, gas was heard escaping from the wellhead of the Nocks 1-11D well. Gas control was immediately contacted and dispatched the lease operator responsible for the pad location. As a precaution, the local county fire dispatch was contacted and arrived on location. The production employees informed the fire department that their services were unnecessary. Attempts were made to terminate the release of gas, but the lease operator was unable to with any fittings connected to the wellhead at the pad surface. As a result, Caerus employees who specialize in wellbore troubleshooting were dispatched to the location along with a daylighting crew. In order to observe the sub surface part of the well, approximately 3 feet of the subsurface portion of the wellhead was daylighted. Following the daylighting of the subsurface part of the wellhead, Caerus employees started to diagnose the issues and determined that the surface casing was leaking into the conductor casing at a fairly shallow elevation below the pad surface. As a short term corrective action, a flair was connected to the bradenhead of the wellhead until a permanent solution can be formulated.

OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

List all parties and agencies that were notified or responded to the accident. (For example: Local Government Designee, Municipality, County, BLM, EPA, CDOT, Local Emergency Planning Coordinator, etc.)

Date	Agency	Contact	Response
10/16/2020	Grand River Fire Protection District	Emergency Dispatch	Mobilized to location
10/16/2020	COGCC	Craig Burger	Discussed issue with ops staff
10/16/2020	COGCC	Mike Lennord	
10/16/2020	Garfield County LGD	Kirby Wynn	
10/17/2020	Landowner		Left voicemail

OPERATOR COMMENTS and SUBMITTAL

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This form must be signed by an authorized agent of the entity making assertion.

I certify under penalty of perjury that this report has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge is true, correct and complete.

Print Name: Jake Janicek

Email: jjanicek@caerusoilandgas.com

Signature: _____

Title: EHS Specialist

Date: 10/19/2020

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:**COA Type****Description**

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Attachment Check List**Att Doc Num****Name**

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Total Attach: 0 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Field Operations	Update COGCC Engineering as work progresses	10/21/2020

Total: 1 comment(s)

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