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Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Initial 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: CHEVRON USA INC	Operator No: 16700	Phone Numbers Phone: (970) 675-3814 Mobile: (307) 871-5363
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City: RANGELY	State: CO	Zip: 81648
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

**PROJECT INFORMATION**  
Remediation Project #: 18370 Initial Form 27 Document #: 402643058

**PURPOSE INFORMATION**

<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 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: 452394	API #: _____	County Name: RIO BLANCO
Facility Name: Fee 40	Latitude: 40.112391	Longitude: -108.845676	
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: _____		Longitude: _____	
QtrQtr: NWSE	Sec: 28	Twp: 2N	Range: 102W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? No

**SITE CONDITIONS**

General soil type - USCS Classifications   CH   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?   No  

**Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile**

# SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN

## TYPE OF WASTE:

- |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E&P Waste      | <input type="checkbox"/> Other E&P Waste             | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-E&P Waste |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water | <input type="checkbox"/> Workover Fluids             | _____                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Oil                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Tank Bottoms                |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Condensate                | <input type="checkbox"/> Pigging Waste               |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling Fluids           | <input type="checkbox"/> Rig Wash                    |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drill Cuttings            | <input type="checkbox"/> Spent Filters               |  |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Pit Bottoms                 |  |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (as described by EPA) | _____                                  |

## DESCRIPTION OF IMPACT

Impacted?	Impacted Media	Extent of Impact	How Determined
Yes	SOILS	1118ft. x 8ft. x 0.5 ft	Field determined with tape measure
Yes	VEGETATION	Minor distressed vegetation noted.	Visual

## 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 Wednesday September 20, 2017 we had a release of 41 bbls produced water and no visible oil from process piping. 10 bbls total fluid was recovered. The line was isolated and will be repaired. The cleanup process is complete and the area will be water washed. Samples will be taken to ensure compliance with table 910.1 A soil sample location map and preliminary analytical results are included as an attachment.

## 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 ):

Preliminary soil samples were collected on October 6, 2017 from the spill path. A total of seven (7) grab samples analyzed for Table 910-1 parameters were collected at a depths from 0 to 6 inches below ground surface (ft-bgs). Results show elevated SAR, EC and pH levels within the impacted area. Subsequent soil samples analyzed for SAR at the SS1-SS4 sample locations, EC at SS1, SS2 and SS4 sample locations and pH at the SS3-SS5 sample locations will be collected during 2021 to monitor natural attenuation. SAR, EC, pH impacted soils will be treated in-situ by Natural Attenuation. After initial water wash seasonal precipitation events will be utilized.

### 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 7

Number of soil samples exceeding 910-1 5

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

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 8944

### NA / ND

--            Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) 35

--            Highest concentration of SAR 31

BTEX > 910-1 No

Vertical Extent > 910-1 (in feet) 0

### Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 0

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? No

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet)           

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed           

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 910-1           

           Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l)           

           Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l)           

           Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l)           

           Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l)           

           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?

Background samples were collected as part of this 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

## SOURCE REMOVAL SUMMARY

Describe how source is to be removed.

No soil is intended for removal. Subsequent soil samples analyzed for SAR at the SS1-SS4 sample locations, EC at SS1, SS2 and SS4 sample locations and pH at the SS3-SS5 sample locations will be collected during 2021 to monitor natural attenuation. SAR, EC, pH impacted soils will be treated in-situ by Natural Attenuation. After initial water wash seasonal precipitation events will be utilized.

## 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.

Subsequent soil samples analyzed for SAR at the SS1-SS4 sample locations, EC at SS1, SS2 and SS4 sample locations and pH at the SS3-SS5 sample locations will be collected during 2021 to monitor natural attenuation.

## Soil Remediation Summary

In Situ

Ex Situ

\_\_\_\_\_ Bioremediation ( or enhanced bioremediation )

\_\_\_\_\_ Excavate and offsite disposal

\_\_\_\_\_ Chemical oxidation

\_\_\_\_\_ If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

\_\_\_\_\_ Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or COGCC Facility ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Natural Attenuation

\_\_\_\_\_ Excavate and onsite remediation

\_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Land Treatment

\_\_\_\_\_ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

\_\_\_\_\_ Chemical oxidation

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 REM Progress Rpt. \_\_\_\_\_

## WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

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

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

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

E&P waste (solid) description \_\_\_\_\_

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: \_\_\_\_\_

Volume of E&P Waste (liquid) in barrels \_\_\_\_\_

E&P waste (liquid) description \_\_\_\_\_

COGCC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

Non-COGCC Disposal Facility: \_\_\_\_\_

## 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.

Site will be reclaimed and seeded once repairs are completed.

Is the described reclamation complete? \_\_\_\_\_

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. \_\_\_\_\_

Actual Spill or Release date, if known. 09/20/2017

### SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 10/06/2017

Date of commencement of Site Investigation. \_\_\_\_\_

Date of completion of Site Investigation. 10/06/2017

### REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Date of commencement of Remediation. \_\_\_\_\_

Date of completion of Remediation. \_\_\_\_\_

### SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Date of commencement of Reclamation. \_\_\_\_\_

Date of completion of Reclamation. \_\_\_\_\_

**OPERATOR COMMENT**

Please see attachment

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

Signed: Chris Patterson

Title: Lead ENV Specialist

Submit Date: 03/30/2021

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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: KRIS NEIDEL

Date: 06/04/2021

Remediation Project Number: 18370

**Condition of Approval****COA Type****Description**

	If SAR impacts remain elevated in 2021 sampling, Chevron shall propose Remediation methods, other than Natural Attenuation.
	Soil delineation shall include a sample, at appropriate depth, at the Spill/Release Point Location.
	By December 2021 the Operator shall collect samples and provide soil delineation results on a form 27.
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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**

402643058	FORM 27-INITIAL-SUBMITTED
402643069	ANALYTICAL RESULTS

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