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### FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 334716 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection  2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_

**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 96850  
Name of Operator: TEP ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC  
Address: 1058 COUNTY ROAD 215  
City: PARACHUTE State: CO Zip: 81635

**Status Summary:**

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

**Findings:**

- 3 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**

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**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
334716	LOCATION	AC			-	WILLIAMS-67S96W 1NWNE	RI

**General Comment:**

On 3/9/2022, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo inspected TEP's WILLIAMS-67S96W /1NWNE location in Garfield County, Colorado.

This inspection is a follow-up to:  
#699804129 dated 2/10/2022 to document compliance with the following corrective action:  
-Stormwater.

This inspection is also in response to Resolution #402966820 dated 2/25/2022 stating corrective actions from inspection #699804129 have been completed.

It was observed in this inspection that the Location remains out of compliance with COGCC Rules and Corrective actions.

New observed compliance issues per this inspection:  
-Stormwater

Refer to the "Reclamation" and "Stormwater" sections 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 inspection on this site will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules

**Inspected Facilities**

Facility ID: 334716 Type: LOCATION API Number: - Status: AC Insp. Status: RI

**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 SEGREGATION \_\_\_\_\_

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 ? Fail

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? In

Production areas have been stabilized? \_\_\_\_\_ Segregated soils have been replaced? \_\_\_\_\_

RESTORATION AND REVEGETATION

Cropland

Top soil replaced \_\_\_\_\_ Recontoured \_\_\_\_\_ Perennial forage re-established \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced \_\_\_\_\_ Recontoured \_\_\_\_\_ 80% Revegetation In

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? \_\_\_\_\_

Comment It was observed in this inspection that interim areas of the Location appear to be progressing towards 1003 standards; shrub establishment is not as prevalent on the east end of the Location, as it is on the west; desirable perennial grass establishment observed throughout reclaimed areas. Continue to monitor/manage interim areas of the Location until site receives a passing final inspection

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 <input type="checkbox"/>
	Multi-Well Location <input type="checkbox"/>

**Storm Water:**

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment

**Comment:** Inspection #699804129 observed that the Location lacks stabilization; insufficient tracking BMPs. Inspection required Operator to implement and maintain BMPs by 2/23/2022.

Operator submitted FIRR #402966820 stating corrective actions have been completed.

It was observed in this inspection that BMPs to stabilize the Location, and address tracking remain missing or insufficient.

New compliance issues observed in this inspection: erosion degradation at cut slopes evident; control measures to protect/stabilize cut slopes are missing or insufficient.

**Corrective Action:** Original corrective action and date from #699804129 remains applicable: Oil and gas operators shall implement and maintain Best Management Practices (BMPs) at all oil and gas locations.

New corrective action and date for compliance issues observed in this inspection: Comply with 1002.f by 3/21/2022; Oil and gas operators shall implement and maintain Best Management Practices (BMPs) at all oil and gas locations.

Date: 02/23/2022

**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
696203478	Inspection Photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5692766">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5692766</a>