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**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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Inspection Date:

05/25/2022

Submitted Date:

06/08/2022

Document Number:

702800267

FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID _____ Inspector Name: O'Malley, Anna On-Site Inspection 2A Doc Num: _____

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

- 7 Number of Comments
- 3 Number of Corrective Actions
- Corrective Action Response Requested

ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE

Operator Information:

OGCC Operator Number: 16700
Name of Operator: CHEVRON USA INC
Address: 760 HORIZON DRIVE STE 401
City: GRAND JUNCTION State: CO Zip: 81506

Contact Information:

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
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Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
149002	CENTRALIZED EP WASTE MGMT FAC	AC	08/23/2000		-	WILSON CREEK LANDFARM	RI

General Comment:

On 05/25/2022, Reclamation Specialist O'Malley conducted a reclamation and stormwater inspection Chevron USA Inc's Centralized E&P Waste Management Facility, Wilson Creek Landfarm, Facility ID 149002 in Rio Blanco County, Colorado. West Environmental Supervisor, Alex Fischer was also present for the inspection.

The Location is presently being used as a storage yard.

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

- Wildlife protection BMPs missing or insufficient
- Noxious weeds: Canada thistle, houndstongue
- Final Reclamation required

Refer to the "Location," "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.

Location

Overall Good:

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Good Housekeeping:

Type

WEEDS

Comment: List B Noxious Weeds (Canada thistle and houndstongue) were present on Location.

Corrective Action: Conduct weed management to prevent further establishment and spread of Noxious Weeds; ongoing weed management required until location passes final reclamation.

Date: 06/15/2022

Overall Good:

Spills:

Type

Area

Volume

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

Equipment:

corrective date

Type: Other

#

Comment: It was observed in this inspection that the secondary containment tanks for the chemical tanks at the west of the Location lack control measures to enable wildlife egress.

Corrective Action: Install or repair wildlife protection equipment.

Date: 06/15/2022

Venting:

Yes/No

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date:

Flaring:

Type

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date:

Inspected Facilities

Facility ID: 149002 Type: CENTRALIZE 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 _____

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 REVEGETATION

Cropland

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

Corrective Action

Date _____

Overall Interim Reclamation

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 **Fail** Contoured **Fail** Culverts removed _____

Gravel removed _____

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed **Fail** Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured **Fail**

Compaction alleviation **Fail** Dust and erosion control _____

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% **Fail** Cropland: perennial forage _____

Weeds present **Fail** Subsidence _____

1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

Comment:

Refer to the "Location" section of this report for noxious weeds corrective action.

Per Form 27 (S) doc #402532270 Remediation Project 14816 Closure Request was approved on 11/25/2020. Per Rule 1004.a reclamation work shall be completed within twelve (12) months on non-crop land. On 1/7/2021 Operator submitted a Rule 502.b Variance Request from 1004 Rules, doc #402568763. Per the 1/15/2021 Rule Change variances submitted prior to 1/15/2021 must be resubmitted via hearings application to the commission per Rules 502 and 510. Location remains subject to 1004 Final Reclamation requirements.

It was observed in this inspection that Final Reclamation activities have not been initiated. The Location is being used as a storage yard.

Corrective Action: **Submit a Final Reclamation Variance request via hearings application to the Commission, or complete final reclamation activities pursuant to 1004 Rules including, but not limited to, gravel removal, compaction alleviation (cross ripping to a minimum depth of 18 inches), recontouring/regrading, replacement of topsoil, and revegetation activities on the Location and access road. Use a seed mixture provided by the surface owner, or a mixture prescribed by the local soil conservation district.**

Date **06/22/2022**

Overall Final Reclamation **Fail** Well Release on Active Location Multi-Well Location

Storm Water:

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

Comment: At the time of this inspection, no stormwater issues were observed.

Corrective Action:

Date:

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
403071345	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5773622
702800268	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5773620