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X/20**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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Inspection Date:

10/13/2022

Submitted Date:

10/18/2022

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700200081**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 335918 Inspector Name: Gomez, Jason On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 8840Name of Operator: BLUE CHIP OIL INCAddress: 155 E BOARDWALK DR STE 400City: FORT COLLINS State: CO Zip: 80525**Status Summary:**

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

Findings:6 Number of Comments2 Number of Corrective Actions☒ Corrective Action Response Requested**ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM
PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT
BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE****Contact Information:**

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General Comment:[This inspection was the result of Fire on plugging operation on location see Inspector comments for summary](#)

LocationOverall Good: ☐

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment: Corrective Action: Date: Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		
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In Containment: No

Comment: ☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?**Equipment:**

Type: Other	#		corrective date
Comment:	open top tank with gas buster		
Corrective Action:	remove damaged tanks and move tanks from possible ignition sources insure and test for proper grounding		Date: 10/14/2022
Type: Other	#		
Comment:	transfer pump damaged by fire		
Corrective Action:	remove and replace pump and move pump to safe distance from possible venting gases from tanks test and assure proper grounding		Date: 10/14/2022

Venting:

Yes/No		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

Flaring:

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

COGCC Comments

Comment	User	Date
<p>this is a follow up inspection to inspection document#700200077</p> <p>On Thursday, October 12, 2022 at 08:15 Hrs, I, conducted an on-site inspection at: Stonehocker location in Adams County Operated by: Blue Chip Oil Inc While there I observed: A plugging operation on location being conducted by Ensign supervised by PDC Energy on behave of Blue Chip Oil company. I spoke to PDC staff and Ensign staff who indicated they had a fire on location on 10-11-2022 at approx 1600hrs. The rig operator from Ensign indicated he heard the pump on location start to take off and he saw a flash fire at the pump which was shutdown immediately, but the fire travelled NW to the open top tank which was located approx 50' to 60' from the pump. The fire was extinguished by the responding fire department using foam and water. There were no injuries and the only equipment damaged was the pump and the tank (see attached photos). Possible compliance issues observed: Upon inspection it appeared as the front of the tank was only approx 50 to 60' from the pump which was the cause of the flash fire. Several of the grounding rods did not appear to have proper grounding or depth for proper grounding of equipment. Weather: Skies: Partly Cloudy, Wind: Calm, Corrective Action Dialogue: Remove and replace damaged equipment and move tanks further from possible ignition sources This is a summary of the inspection report</p>	gomezj	10/18/2022

Attached Documents

You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/weblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
403201212	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5889410
700200082	location photos of damaged equipment from fire	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5889406