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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.

Closure request is not available for an Initial Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan.

OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of Operator: SMITH ENERGY CORP	Operator No: 70385	<b>Phone Numbers</b>
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 26747 Initial Form 27 Document #: 403275652

PURPOSE INFORMATION

- Rule 913.c.(1): Pit or Cuttings Trench closure.
- Rule 913.c.(2): Buried or partially buried vessel closure, which will be by removal.
- Rule 913.c.(3): Remediation of Spill and Releases pursuant to Rule 912.
- Rule 913.c.(4): Land treatment of Oily Waste pursuant to Rule 905.e.
- Rule 913.c.(5): Closure of Centralized E&P Waste Management Facilities pursuant to Rule 907.h.
- Rule 913.c.(6): Remediation of impacted Groundwater pursuant to Rule 915.e.(3).D, and the contaminant concentrations in Table 915-1.
- Rule 913.c.(7): Investigation and remediation of natural gas in soil or Groundwater.
- Rule 913.c.(8): When requested by the Director due to any potential risk to soil, Groundwater, or surface water.
- Rule 913.c.(9): Decommissioning of Oil and Gas Facilities.
- Rule 913.g: Changes of Operator.
- Rule 915.b: Request to leave elevated inorganics in situ.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

SITE INFORMATION

No Multiple Facilities

Facility Type: LOCATION	Facility ID: 328412	API #: _____	County Name: WELD
Facility Name: UPRR-AMOCO 23-1-63-61N63W 23SWNW	Latitude: 40.038850	Longitude: -104.411857	
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: _____		Longitude: _____	
QtrQtr: SWNW	Sec: 23	Twps: 1N	Range: 63W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications CL Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use Cropland  
Is domestic water well within 1/4 mile? Yes 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**

Irrigation pond ~160 ft South; Single-family residential ~1,000 ft North

**SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN**

**TYPE OF WASTE:**

- E&P Waste       Other E&P Waste       Non-E&P Waste
- Produced Water       Workover Fluids
- Oil       Tank Bottoms
- Condensate       Pigging Waste
- Drilling Fluids       Rig Wash
- Drill Cuttings       Spent Filters
- Pit Bottoms
- Other (as described by EPA)

**DESCRIPTION OF IMPACT**

Impacted?	Impacted Media	Extent of Impact	How Determined
UNDETERMINED	SOILS	UNKNOWN	Visually, Field Screening, Analytical

**INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY**

Description of initial action or emergency response measures take to abate, investigate, and/or remediate impacts associated with E&P Waste.

Smith Energy Corp. - UPRR-AMOCO 23-1-63-61N63W 23 SWNW Tank Battery and Flowline Decommissioning associated with Civitas Resources plugging and abandoning (PA) of the UPRR-AMOCO 23-1-63 #1 (OWP) well. This location is in the COGCC Orphaned Well Program (OWP).

**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 ):

Grab soil samples will be collected as part of this investigation including beneath the former aboveground storage tank(s), partially buried produced water tank, separator, and along the length of the flowline.

**Proposed Groundwater Sampling**

Will groundwater samples be collected as part of this investigation? ( Number, analyses, and locations of samples ):

Groundwater samples are not expected to be collected as part of this investigation.

**Proposed Surface Water Sampling**

Will surface water samples be collected as part of this investigation? ( Number, analyses, and locations of samples ):

Surface water samples are not expected to be collected as part of this investigation.

**Additional Investigative Actions**

Additional alternative investigative actions described in attached Site Investigation Plan ( summary ):

No additional alternative investigation actions are expected to be conducted as part of this initial site investigation. If impacted soils are encountered additional actions will be evaluated.

**SITE INVESTIGATION REPORT**

**SAMPLE SUMMARY**

Soil

NA / ND

Number of soil samples collected \_\_\_\_\_ 0

\_\_\_\_\_ Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) \_\_\_\_\_

Number of soil samples exceeding 915-1 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Highest concentration of SAR \_\_\_\_\_

Was the areal and vertical extent of soil contamination delineated? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ BTEX > 915-1 \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate areal extent (square feet) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Vertical Extent > 915-1 (in feet) \_\_\_\_\_

**Groundwater**

Number of groundwater samples collected \_\_\_\_\_ 0

\_\_\_\_\_ Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l) \_\_\_\_\_

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? No \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l) \_\_\_\_\_

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l) \_\_\_\_\_

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l) \_\_\_\_\_

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 915-1 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Highest concentration of Methane (mg/l) \_\_\_\_\_

**Surface Water**

\_\_\_\_\_ 0 Number of surface water samples collected

\_\_\_\_\_ Number of surface water samples exceeding 915-1

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?

\_\_\_\_\_

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.

If E&P waste impacted soils are encountered during facility decommissioning, the impacted soils will be excavated, temporarily stockpiled on location, and hauled to a commercial disposal facility.

**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.

If E&P waste impacts are encountered during decommissioning, remediation of soil impacts will be evaluated. Impacted soils will be excavated, temporarily stockpiled on location, and hauled to a commercial disposal facility. Clean fill will be brought to the site to fill excavations.

**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 # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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

### Approved Reporting Schedule:

Quarterly     Semi-Annually     Annually     Other   

### Request Alternative Reporting Schedule:

Semi-Annually     Annually     Other   

Rule 913.e:

After initial approval of a Form 27, the Operator will provide quarterly update reports in a Supplemental Form 27 to document progress of site investigation and remediation, unless an alternative reporting schedule has been requested by the Operator and approved by the Director. The Director may request a more frequent reporting schedule based on site-specific conditions.

**Report Type:**     Groundwater Monitoring     Land Treatment Progress Report     O&M Report  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

## Adequacy of Operator's General Liability Insurance and Financial Assurance

Describe the adequacy of the Operator's general liability insurance and Financial Assurance to fully address the anticipated costs of Remediation, including the estimated remaining cost for this project (below).

If this information has been provided on a Form 27 within the last 12 months, provide the Document Number of that form.

Operator anticipates the remaining cost for this project to be: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## 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.

The site will be reclaimed per 1000 Series Rules.

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 provide the seed mix? \_\_\_\_\_

If YES, does the seed mix comply with local soil conservation district recommendations? \_\_\_\_\_

Did the local soil conservation district provide the seed mix? \_\_\_\_\_

## SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Proposed date of commencement of Reclamation. \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed date of completion of Reclamation. \_\_\_\_\_

## IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

Per Rule 913.d.(2): Any change from the approved implementation schedule will be requested at least 14 days in advance, and the Operator may not make the change without the Director's approval.

### PRIOR DATES

Date of Surface Owner notification/consultation, if required. \_\_\_\_\_

Actual Spill or Release date, or date of discovery. \_\_\_\_\_

### SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 01/16/2023

Proposed site investigation commencement. \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed completion of site investigation. \_\_\_\_\_

### REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Proposed start date of Remediation. \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed date of completion of Remediation. \_\_\_\_\_

Per Rule 913.d.(2): Any change from the approved implementation schedule will be requested at least 14 days in advance, and the Operator may not make the change without the Director's approval.

Change from approved implementation schedule per Rule 913.d.(2).

Basis for change in implementation schedule:

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**OPERATOR COMMENT**

The Smith Energy Corp. UPRR-AMOCO 23-1-63 #1 (OWP) well and UPRR-AMOCO 23-163-61N63W 23 SWNW location (Location ID #328412) are in the COGCC Orphaned Well Program. This initial Form 27 is submitted for soil sampling during decommissioning of the tank battery, separator, and on-location flowlines. Civitas Resources is plugging and abandoning the UPRR-AMOCO 23-1-63 #1 (OWP) well.

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

Signed: James Hix \_\_\_\_\_

Title: East OWP EPS \_\_\_\_\_

Submit Date: 12/30/2022 \_\_\_\_\_

Email: james.hix@state.co.us \_\_\_\_\_

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: CHRIS CANFIELD \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 01/11/2023 \_\_\_\_\_

Remediation Project Number: 26747 \_\_\_\_\_

**COA Type****Description**

COA Type	Description
0 COA	

**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**

403275652	FORM 27-INITIAL-SUBMITTED
403275822	MAP
403275823	SITE MAP

Total Attach: 3 Files

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