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

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**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Loc ID 334690 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

**Operator Information:**

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

**Findings:**

- 10 Number of Comments
- 5 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:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
, TEP		COGCCInspectionReports@terraep.com	<a href="#">All Inspections</a>

**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
211024	WELL	PR	01/01/2023	GW	045-06782	QUARTER CIRCLE 43-33H	RI
290944	WELL	PR	06/06/2007	GW	045-14235	WILLIAMS RWF 442-33	RI
290945	WELL	PR	07/01/2021	GW	045-14234	WILLIAMS RWF 433-33	RI
290946	WELL	PR	06/06/2007	GW	045-14233	WILLIAMS RWF 533-33	RI
290947	WELL	PR	01/11/2008	GW	045-14232	WILLIAMS RWF 333-33	RI
298902	WELL	PR	08/31/2010	GW	045-17465	WILLIAMS RWF 413-34	RI
298903	WELL	PR	06/06/2010	GW	045-17466	WILLIAMS RWF 44-33	RI
298904	WELL	PR	05/30/2014	GW	045-17467	WILLIAMS RMV 131-34	RI
298906	WELL	PR	01/01/2012	GW	045-17469	WILLIAMS RWF 313-34	RI
334690	LOCATION	AC			-	QUARTER CIRCLE-66S94W 33NESE	RI

**General Comment:**

On 4/5/2023, Reclamation Specialist O'Malley conducted an interim reclamation and stormwater inspection at TEP ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC's QUARTER CIRCLE-66S94W/33NESE Location #334690 in Garfield County, Colorado.

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

- Tank line missing bull plugs
- Tank manway cover open
- Unused load line container equipment
- Noxious Weeds
- Stormwater: berms unstable, eroding

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.

A follow up inspection on this site will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules.

**Location**

Overall Good:

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Good Housekeeping:**

Type	WEEDS		
Comment:	Scotch thistle (List B Noxious) plants were observed in the northern and southern interim areas. Plants had gone to seed. Weed monitoring and management is necessary in the 2023 growing season. Ongoing weed management is required.		
Corrective Action:	Conduct weed management to prevent further establishment and spread of noxious weeds; ongoing weed management required until location passes final reclamation.	Date:	05/04/2023
Type	UNUSED EQUIPMENT		
Comment:	Two (2) load line containers stored within the southern tank battery secondary containment structure.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 606.	Date:	04/22/2023

Overall Good:

**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

**Equipment:**

Type: Other	#		corrective date
Comment:	Bull plugs observed to be not installed on tank lines.		
Corrective Action:	Install bull plugs on tank lines.	Date:	04/12/2023
Type: Other	#		
Comment:	Tank manway cover observed not fastened and partially ajar.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 608.e. Close and fasten manway cover.	Date:	04/12/2023

**Venting:**

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Flaring:**

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

**Inspected Facilities**

Facility ID: <u>211024</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-06782</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>290944</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-14235</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>290945</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-14234</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>290946</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-14233</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>290947</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-14232</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>298902</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-17465</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>298903</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-17466</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>298904</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-17467</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>298906</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-17469</u>	Status: <u>PR</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>334690</u>	Type: <u>LOCATION</u>	API Number: <u>-</u>	Status: <u>AC</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>

**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? Pass

Comment \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? \_\_\_\_\_

Comment [Two \(2\) load line containers in tank battery. Refer to the "Location" section of this report.](#)

Corrective Action \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Pit, cellars, rat holes and other bores closed? Pass

Comment \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Guy line anchors marked? Pass

Comment \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

1003b. Area no longer in use? Pass 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? 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 Pass 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? F

Comment

[Refer to the "Location" section for weed control corrective action.](#)

Areas of the location not needed for production have been reduced and reclaimed. Interim areas appear vegetated with native shrubs (sagebrush, four-wing saltbush, rubber rabbitbrush) and introduced and native perennial grasses (smooth brome, slender and western wheatgrass). However, full vegetation assessment was not possible due to dormant season. A follow up inspection will be conducted during a future growing season to determine compliance with 1003 requirements.

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: <input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>	
Corrective Action: <input style="width: 95%;" type="text"/>	Date: <input style="width: 50%;" type="text"/>
Overall Final Reclamation <input type="checkbox"/>	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
Berms	Fail					Unstabilized
Gravel						
Compaction						
Ditches						

Comment:	Insufficient stormwater and sediment control BMPs in place; the perimeter stormwater berm at the south of the location is unstable and not in proper functioning condition. Rill erosion was observed throughout the berm. Sediment transported from the berm was observed accumulating on the location.	
Corrective Action:	Install or repair required BMPs per Rule 1002.f. Continue to monitor and manage stormwater on the Location. Ongoing stormwater management is required until the site receives a passing final inspection.	Date: 04/10/2023

**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
702801424	Inspection Photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6075284">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6075284</a>