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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:

04/24/2023

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04/26/2023

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FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 398959 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 10779

Name of Operator: SCOUT ENERGY MANAGEMENT LLC

Address: 13800 MONTFORT DRIVE SUITE 100

City: DALLAS State: TX Zip: 75240

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

4 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****Contact Information:**

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Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
199951	WELL	PA	08/30/2019	LO	103-40191	MCLAUGHLIN 68	RI
398959	LOCATION	AL			-	MCLAUGHLIN-61N102W 5NENE	RI

General Comment:

On 4/24/2023 Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted a final reclamation inspection at the McLaughlin 68 Location in Rio Blanco, County, Colorado

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

-606.c / 1004.e- Undesirable Plant Establishment

-1004- Final reclamation

Refer to the "Reclamation" 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:	199951	Type:	WELL	API Number:	103-40191	Status:	PA	Insp. Status:	RI
Facility ID:	398959	Type:	LOCATION	API Number:	-	Status:	AL	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 ? _____

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 REVEGETATIONCropland

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? _____

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 Pass Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled Pass

Debris removed _____ No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads Regraded Pass Contoured Pass Culverts removed Pass

Gravel removed Pass

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed In Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured Pass

Compaction alleviation _____ Dust and erosion control In

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: [See "COGCC Comments".](#)

Corrective Action: _____ Date **06/30/2023**

Comply with Rules 606.c and 1004.e, and conduct weed management on the Location/Access Road; continue to monitor and manage weeds to ensure Location/Road is kept free of all Undesirable Plant Species.

Comply with Rule 1004.d and conduct additional reclamation efforts on the Location/Access Road; continue to monitor and manage the reclamation to ensure site progresses towards a uniform, desirable perennial vegetative cover of at least 80% of the adjacent, undisturbed reference areas.

Overall Final Reclamation

Well Release on Active Location ☐Multi-Well Location ☐**COGCC Comments**

Comment	User	Date
RECLAMATION COMMENTS Form 6(s) #402193908 shows well was Cut/Capped by Whiting O&G Corp on 8/30/2019. Pursuant to Form 27(s) #402267551, reclamation commenced 5/1/2020. Scout Energy Management became Operator for Location/Well effective 7/15/2022. It was observed in this inspection that final reclamation work has been performed on the Location and access road; areas appear to have been recontoured, revegetation activities conducted, and soils mulched; reclamation work appears to have also included the McLaughlin 67 well site. At least 3 growing seasons have passed; it was also observed that the reclamation areas are predominantly an Undesirable Plant Species (Halogeton) monoculture; desirable plant germination and establishment was not apparent. Reclamation and weed management efforts insufficient; additional revegetation efforts required.	trujilloam	04/26/2023

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
696204879	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6094447