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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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07/31/2023

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696205122**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 334927 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_**Operator Information:**OGCC Operator Number: 10456Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLCAddress: 1001 17TH STREET #1600City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202**Status Summary:**

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

**Findings:**4 Number of Comments0 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
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**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
264882	WELL	PA	07/22/2021	GW	045-08959	COUEY 5-14B (N5A)	RI
265838	WELL	PA	07/22/2021	GW	045-09067	COUEY 5-10C (N5A)	RI
265841	WELL	PA	07/22/2021	GW	045-09070	COUEY 5-15A (N5A)	RI
334927	LOCATION	CL			-	COUEY-67S92W 5SESW	RI

**General Comment:**

On 7/31/2023, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted a final reclamation inspection at Caerus Piceance LLC's COUEY-67S92W/5SESW location in Garfield County, Colorado.

Refer to the "Reclamation" section of this report for additional details.

**Inspected Facilities**

Facility ID: <u>264882</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-08959</u>	Status: <u>PA</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>265838</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-09067</u>	Status: <u>PA</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>265841</u>	Type: <u>WELL</u>	API Number: <u>045-09070</u>	Status: <u>PA</u>	Insp. Status: <u>RI</u>
Facility ID: <u>334927</u>	Type: <u>LOCATION</u>	API Number: <u>-</u>	Status: <u>CL</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 4-strand fence; top/bottom smooth, middle barbed. Fence in proper functioning condition at time of inspection.

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 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? \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Debris removed \_\_\_\_\_ No disturbance /Location never built \_\_\_\_\_

Access Roads Regraded \_\_\_\_\_ Contoured \_\_\_\_\_ Culverts removed \_\_\_\_\_

Gravel removed Pass

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

Compaction alleviation \_\_\_\_\_ Dust and erosion control Pass

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% In Cropland: perennial forage \_\_\_\_\_

Weeds present In Process Subsidence \_\_\_\_\_

## 1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% \_\_\_\_\_

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER \_\_\_\_\_

VEGETATIVE COVER \_\_\_\_\_

Comment:

Location facilities closed via F27s; wells PAd 2021.

It was observed in this inspection that Reclamation appears to be progressing towards ECMC Standards; though Location, at time of inspection, was predominantly Undesirable Plant Species such as Kochia, desirable plant germination and establishment was observed within weeds; additional time likely necessary for desirable to outcompete weedy plants.

Continue to monitor/manage reclamation areas, conduct additional work as necessary to ensure vegetation progresses towards 1004 standards. Continue to monitor/manage weeds until site receives a passing final reclamation inspection.

Corrective Action:

Date

Overall Final Reclamation

In Process

Well Release on Active Location



Multi-Well Location

**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
696205123	Inspection Photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6201147">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6201147</a>