

**FORM
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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:

08/15/2023

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FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 334967 Inspector Name: Smelser, Wayne On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 10456

Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC

Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1600

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

Status Summary:☐ THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION☒ FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED☐ NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED**Findings:**

22 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:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
, Caerus		COGCC.inspections@caerus oilandgas.com	

Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
271628	WELL	PR	08/27/2004	GW	045-09917	BENZEL 36-15D (N36NWB)	PR
271629	WELL	PR	09/13/2004	GW	045-09918	BENZEL 36-11D (N36NWB)	PR
271630	WELL	PR	10/01/2004	GW	045-09919	BENZEL 36-14D (N36NWB)	PR
271631	WELL	PR	08/23/2004	GW	045-09920	BENZEL 1-5D (N36NWB)	PR
272295	WELL	PR	09/09/2004	GW	045-10057	BENZEL 36-11A (N36NWB)	PR
272297	WELL	PR	08/31/2004	GW	045-10058	BENZEL 36-12D (N36NWB)	PR

General Comment:**CECMC Inspection Report Summary**

On 08/15/2023 at approximately 12:29 hours, I, Compliance Specialist, Wayne Smelser

Conducted an on-site inspection at CAERUS PICEANCE LLC N36NWB Pad.

Location # 334967 in Garfield County Colorado.

Location is within High Priority/Density/Black Bear Habitat areas.

While there, I observed normal production operations.

During this inspection the following compliance issues were observed:

1. Stormwater - Erosion & transport of sediment with a CA date of 08/31/2023

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

This is a summary of inspection report.

Location**Lease Road:**

Type	Access		
comment:			
Corrective Action	L	Date:	

Overall Good: ☐**Signs/Marker:**

Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Separator units include attached storage tanks. The sight glass located on the side of the units indicates the storage tanks are full of an unknown fluid. No form of labeling or markers are present to identify a potential hazard or the contents of the storage tanks.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	BATTERY		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:	911/970-285-2615	
Corrective Action:		Date: _____

Good Housekeeping:

Type	DEBRIS		
Comment:	Debris - please refer to photo log		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		
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In Containment: No

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

			corrective date
Type: Vertical Heated Separator	# 5		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 6		
Comment:			

Corrective Action:				Date:	
Type: Plunger Lift	# 6				
Comment:	All wells on plunger lift				
Corrective Action:				Date:	
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 1				
Comment:	Summit Midstream				
Corrective Action:				Date:	
Type: Horizontal Heated Separator	# 1				
Comment:					
Corrective Action:				Date:	
Type: Bradenhead	# 6				
Comment:	Pressure transducers located on all bradenhead. All bradenhead valves are accessible.				
Corrective Action:				Date:	
Type: Bird Protectors	# 2				
Comment:					
Corrective Action:				Date:	

Tanks and Berms:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS	
CONDENSATE	1	300 BBLS	STEEL AST		,	
Comment:	Centralized containment					
Corrective Action:					Date:	

Paint

Condition	Adequate				
Other (Content)					
Other (Capacity)					
Other (Type)					

Berms

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance		
Metal	Adequate	Walls Sufficent	Base Sufficent			
Comment:						
Corrective Action:					Date:	
Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS	
CONDENSATE	2	500 BBLS	STEEL AST		,	
Comment:	Centralized containment					
Corrective Action:					Date:	

Paint

Condition	Adequate				
Other (Content)					
Other (Capacity)					
Other (Type)					

Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	271628	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-09917	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	PR
Producing Well									
Comment:	Producing, well on plunger lift								
Corrective Action:						Date:			
Facility ID:	271629	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-09918	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	PR
Producing Well									
Comment:	Producing, well on plunger lift								
Corrective Action:						Date:			
Facility ID:	271630	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-09919	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	PR
Producing Well									
Comment:	Producing, well on plunger lift								
Corrective Action:						Date:			
Facility ID:	271631	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-09920	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	PR
Producing Well									
Comment:	Producing, well on plunger lift								
Corrective Action:						Date:			
Facility ID:	272295	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-10057	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	PR
Producing Well									
Comment:	Producing, well on plunger lift								
Corrective Action:						Date:			
Facility ID:	272297	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-10058	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	PR
Producing Well									
Comment:	Producing, well on plunger lift								
Corrective Action:						Date:			

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**Storm Water:**

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
		Culverts				
		Ditches				
		Compaction				
Compaction						Light compaction
Ditches						
Other	Fail					Erosion & transport of sediment
Berms						
Gravel						Sparse
Retention Ponds						
		Other				Mag chloride on some sections of lease road
		Gravel				Sparse

Comment: 1. Erosion & transport of sediment/insufficient runoff controls/BMP's (NE area of location near ditch that runs off location)

Corrective Action: Oil and gas operators shall implement and maintain Best Management Practices (BMPs) at all oil and gas locations to control stormwater runoff in a manner that minimizes erosion, transport of sediment offsite, and site degradation. BMPs shall be maintained until the facility is abandoned and final reclamation is achieved.

Date: 08/31/2023

Pits: ☒ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

COGCC Comments

Comment	User	Date
Please refer to Stormwater for observed compliance issues.	smelserw	08/16/2023

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
403499652	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6221367
708901375	Inspection 708901374 photo log	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6221365
708901377	Inspection 708901374 Stormwater photo log	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6221366