

**FORM  
INSP**Rev  
X/20**State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203  
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Inspection Date:

09/29/2023

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09/30/2023

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708901819

**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 323989 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:**

17 Number of Comments

2 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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, Caerus		COGCC.inspections@caerus oilandgas.com	

**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
211425	WELL	PR	09/20/1997	GW	045-07185	FEDERAL 1-42	PR

**General Comment:****CECMC Inspection Report Summary**

On 09/29/2023 at approximately 12:14 hours, I, Compliance Specialist, Wayne Smelser  
Conducted an on-site inspection at CAERUS PICEANCE LLC FEDERAL 1-42 (RN1) Pad.  
Location # 323989 in Garfield County Colorado.

Location is within Black Bear Habitat area & in close proximity to High Priority/Density/NSO Habitat areas.

Location is within Rule 411a Surface Water External Buffer.

Location is approximately 480 yards from Beaver Creek.

While there, I observed normal production operations.

During this inspection the following compliance issues were observed:

1. Equipment - Open ended pipe/wildlife hazard with a CA date of 10/07/2023
2. Equipment - Unmarked deadman with a CA date of 10/14/2023

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

<b>Lease Road:</b>			
Type	Access		
comment:			
Corrective Action	L	Date:	

Overall Good: ☐

<b>Signs/Marker:</b>			
Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Separator unit includes attached storage tank. The sight glass located on the side of the unit indicates the storage tank is full of an unknown fluid. No form of labeling or markers are present to identify a potential hazard or the contents of the storage tank.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	BATTERY		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment: 911/970-285-2615

Corrective Action:

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

Overall Good: ☐

<b>Spills:</b>			
Type	Area	Volume	

In Containment: No

Comment:

☐ Multiple Spills and Releases?

<b>Fencing/:</b>			
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:	Pipe rail fence		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK BATTERY		
Comment:	Barbed wire		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Summit Midstream meter house - bollard fencing		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Type	SEPARATOR		
Comment:	Barbed wire		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

<b>Equipment:</b>			corrective date
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 1		
Comment:	Summit Midstream		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Other	# 1		
Comment:	Open ended pipe/wildlife hazard		
Corrective Action:	Operators will prevent & minimize adverse impacts to wildlife resources.	Date:	10/07/2023
Type: Bradenhead	# 1		
Comment:	Pressure transducer located on bradenhead, bradenhead valve is accessible.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Horizontal Heated Separator	# 1		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Bird Protectors	# 2		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Deadman # & Marked	# 1		
Comment:	1 unmarked deadman		
Corrective Action:	All guy line anchors left buried for future use will be identified by a marker of bright color not less than 4 feet in height and not greater than 1 foot east of the guy line anchor.	Date:	10/14/2023
Type: Plunger Lift	# 1		
Comment:	Well on plunger lift		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Tanks and Berms:**

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS	
CONDENSATE	2	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
Earth				
Comment:				

Corrective Action:		Date:	
<b><u>Venting:</u></b>			
Yes/No	NO		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
<b><u>Flaring:</u></b>			
Type			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	211425	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-07185	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
		Ditches				
Compaction						
		Gravel				Sparse in sections
		Culverts				
Gravel						Sparse in some areas
		Compaction				

Comment: Corrective Action: Date: **Pits:** ☒ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT**COGCC Comments**

Comment	User	Date
<a href="#">Please refer to Equipment for observed compliance issues.</a>	smelserw	09/30/2023

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

Document Num	Description	URL
708901820	Inspection 708901819 Stormwater photo log	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6270059">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6270059</a>
708901821	Inspection 708901819 photo log	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6270060">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6270060</a>