

**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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**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID \_\_\_\_\_ Inspector Name: \_\_\_\_\_ On-Site Inspection ☐  
Anderson, Laurel 2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_**Operator Information:**

OGCC Operator Number: 46290

Name of Operator: KP KAUFFMAN COMPANY INC

Address: 1700 LINCOLN ST STE 4550

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

**Status Summary:**

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

**Findings:**

6 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
484896	SPILL OR RELEASE	AC	10/04/2023		-	Facility 9 Section 1415 Corp Unit C	EI

**General Comment:**

This is an environmental inspection at KP Kauffman's Facility 9 Section 1415 Corp Unit C spill (Spill ID #484896/Remediation Project #31904) associated with Flowline Facility ID #478843.

On November 16, 2023, ECMC EPS (Laurel Anderson) met Operator personnel and subcontractors, to witness soil boring and monitoring well installation upgradient of the spill and within the area estimated to be between the former trench/spill area and surface water to the west.

The soil in and around the spill area has been reworked. A majority of the former trench and a portion of the berm to the west extending from the source area to the first culvert downgradient has been covered with ~3-5' of dark brown/gray clay. Depth to water is estimated to be at ~3' below the road surface.

ECMC collected a soil sample from soil recovered from the 5-10 foot interval of soil boring B4 (ECMC soil sample ID SB-04@5-10'). The soil sample was collected downgradient of the source. Soils in the 5-10' interval were comprised of stiff dark gray clay with minor silt (~5-6') followed by saturated fine sand (~6-7')\* and saturated brown clay (7-10'). The sample was packed in laboratory provided jars using standard environmental practices and immediately placed on ice and submitted to ALS Analytical under standard chain of custody. The sample was analyzed for all Table 915-1 contaminants of concern in soil.

\*The saturated coarse-grained soils in other borings ranged from sand-silt mixtures to gravel-sand mixtures with little to no fines.

See field notes and subsections for additional information regarding site conditions and oversight.

Any corrective actions/conditions of approval from previous inspections/forms that have not been addressed remain applicable. Field notes and photo documentation are attached to document oversight and site conditions at the time of the inspection.

The spill extent is located:

- In Weld County on a parcel owned by City of Thornton

- Adjacent to cropland

- Within a USFWS National Wetlands Inventory buffer for a Freshwater Emergent wetland.

- <10' east of surface water (Big Dry Creek)

- Within 100-year floodplain

- Within 1/4 mile of a(n): occupied structure, livestock, 1/2 mile buffer for active bald eagle nest, additional surface water, riverine wetland, CR 18, and agricultural land.



**Environmental****Spills/Releases:**

Type of Spill: \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated Spill Volume: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reportable: \_\_\_\_\_ GPS: Lat \_\_\_\_\_ Long \_\_\_\_\_

Proximity to Surface Water: \_\_\_\_\_ Depth to Ground Water: \_\_\_\_\_

**Water Well Complaint:**

Lat \_\_\_\_\_ Long \_\_\_\_\_

DWR Receipt Num: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner Name: \_\_\_\_\_ GPS : \_\_\_\_\_

**Field Parameters:**

Sample Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

**Waste Management:**

Type	Management	Condition	GPS (Lat) (Long)
Oily Soil			
Comment	<p>E&amp;P Waste not properly stored, handled, transported, treated, recycled, or disposed per Rule 905.</p> <p>Pieces of the liner for impacted soil previously stockpiled on location were observed on location. Investigation derived waste (Soil cuttings from soil boring and monitoring well installation) were disposed on the ground surface.</p> <p>Note: a possible salt crust was observed in various locations (including around the former stockpile area).</p>		
Corrective Action	Operator shall properly store, handle, transport, treat, recycle, and/or dispose E&P waste in accordance with Rule 905.		Date: 12/03/2023

**Spill/Remediation:**

Comment: Operator failed to submit an approvable Form 27, Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan and Form 19, Supplemental Spill/Release Report requesting closure no later than 90 days after the discovery of a Spill or Release, violating Rule 912.b. (6).

Corrective Action: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Emission Control Burner (ECB): \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

Pilot: \_\_\_\_\_ Wildlife Protection Devices (fired vessels): \_\_\_\_\_

**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
403600782	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6328350">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6328350</a>
710100089	ECMC Photo Documentation	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6328348">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6328348</a>
710100090	ECMC Field Notes	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6328349">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6328349</a>