

Inspection Photos

06/4/2024

Operator: TEP ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC #96850

Location ID: 315513

Inspection Doc: 696205869

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Photo 1: Photo taken from the top of the cut slope above the cuttings trench, on the south end of the Location. Cuttings are not being placed directly into the cuttings trench. Rather, cuttings are being dumped over the cutslope near the Location entrance. Yellow line polygon represents actual cuttings trench Location.



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Photo 2: See comments under photo 1.



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Photo 3: Continued from photo 1. Photo shows areas where drill cuttings are being dumped over the cut slope above the cuttings trench. Drill cutting material is also being spread over the WPS of the Location and tracked off-site.



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Photo 4: Photos taken from the south end of the Location. Photo left shows the dump area identified in Photo 3. Photo right shows Location entrance- cuttings material is currently being spilled throughout the Location that receives frequent vehicle traffic, resulting in vehicle tracking and off-site transport of E&P waste. Additional tracking controls required to prevent off-site transport of E&P Waste. Spills require cleanup.



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Photo 5: See comments under photo 4.



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Photo 6: Photo example of pallets of materials stored on the south end of the Location missing proper material covering.



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Photo 7: Photos 7-8 examples showing material spills. Spills requiring cleaning.



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Photo 8: See comments under photo 7.



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Photo 9: Tanks on the south end of the Location (including two produced water tanks). Secondary containment missing or insufficient at tanks.



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Photo 10: Secondary containment at equipment no longer in proper functioning condition to contain a spill or release.



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Photo 11: Example of Porta-johns on location. Facilities have not been physically secured.



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