

**FORM  
INSP**Rev  
X/20**State of Colorado  
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696205961**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**Loc ID 323800 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: **Operator Information:**

ECMC Operator Number: 16700

Name of Operator: CHEVRON USA INC

Address: 760 HORIZON DRIVE STE 401

City: GRAND JUNCTION State: CO Zip: 81506

**Status Summary:**

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

**Findings:**

4 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
210835	WELL	PA	08/08/2014	CBM	045-06593	CHEVRON SHALE 1-25A CHEVRON	RI

**General Comment:**

On 7/8/2024, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted a final reclamation inspection at Chevron Usa Inc's CHEVRON SHALE #1-25A CHEVRON location in Garfield County, Colorado.

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:  
-1004 Final Reclamation.

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

Refer to the photo-documentation of the observed compliance issues attached to this report.

Any corrective action(s) from previous inspection that have not been addressed are still applicable.

Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	210835	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-06593	Status:	PA	Insp. Status:	RI
The subreport 'InspWellFlowline' could not be found at the specified location \\10.14.12									

**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 \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

1002b. SOIL REMOVAL AND  
SEGREGATION \_\_\_\_\_

Comment \_\_\_\_\_

Corrective Action \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

1002c. PROTECTION OF SOILS \_\_\_\_\_ Fail \_\_\_\_\_

Comment \_\_\_\_\_

Topsoil on Location has not been replaced, is predominantly bare, and has not been protected pursuant to Rule 1002.c.

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 **Fail** Contoured **Fail** Culverts removed \_\_\_\_\_

Gravel removed \_\_\_\_\_

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed **Fail** Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured **Fail**

Compaction alleviation **Fail** Dust and erosion control **Fail**

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% **Fail** Cropland: perennial forage \_\_\_\_\_

Weeds present **Fail** Subsidence \_\_\_\_\_

## 1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

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

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

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

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

Comment: [See "COGCC Comments" at the end of this report.](#)

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

Comply with Rule 1004.a and conduct reclamation on the Location and access road including, but not limited to, recontouring/regrading, replacement of topsoil and revegetation activities. Ensure erosion controls are implemented to stabilize the seeded soil pursuant to Rule 1002.f. Comply with Rule 1004.e and 606.c and perform ongoing weed management; Oil and Gas Locations will be kept free of all Undesirable Plant Species.

Continue to monitor and manage the Location; ongoing stormwater and weed management required until the site receives a passing final reclamation inspection.

Overall Final Reclamation

Fail

Well Release on Active Location ☐Multi-Well Location ☐**ECMC Comments**

Comment	User	Date
Form 6(s) #400682542 states well was P&Ad 8/8/2014.	trujilloam	07/09/2024
On Operator submitted Form 4 #401407509 stating "Final Reclamation was complete".		
Inspection #692400010 observed that final reclamation of the Location has not been performed in accordance with 1004 Rules:		
"Location & Access Road have not been re-contoured & reclaimed. Debris and facilities have been removed. Operator indicated that Pad area had been seeded after Well was PA'd. Portions of site have good establishment of perennial vegetation though pad area remains compacted & areas are bare or sparsely vegetated. Tops of Berms (which may be topsoil) around site are not revegetated & appear to be used for livestock access & loafing areas. This site shows most pronounced Cut slope & has largest compacted, unvegetated area of the 3 Locations visited. Weed, Mullein established on site shows evidence of having controls applied".		
Inspection required Operator to comply with 1004 Rules.		
It was observed in this inspection that the Location remains out of compliance with ECMC Rules and Corrective actions: Location and access road have not been recontoured/regraded, and reclaimed in accordance with Rule 1004.a. Cut and fill slopes remain apparent. Additionally, topsoil remains bare and stockpiled on the north, west and southeastern ends of the Location, and has not been replaced. Undesirable Plant Species (Mullein) have continued to establish and spread on the Location and access road.		
This corrective action per #692400010 has not been addressed and remains applicable.		

**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
696205963	Inspection Photos	<a href="https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6616282">https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6616282</a>