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**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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08/09/2024

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FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 335294 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection 2A Doc Num: _____

Status Summary:

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

Operator Information:

ECMC Operator Number: 96850
Name of Operator: TEP ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC
Address: 1058 COUNTY ROAD 215
City: PARACHUTE State: CO Zip: 81635

Findings:

- 7 Number of Comments
- 3 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
335294	LOCATION	AC			-	GIBSON GULCH UNIT-66S91W 30NESW	RI

General Comment:

On 8/9/2024, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted an inspection at TEP Rocky Mountain's GIBSON GULCH UNIT-66S91W/30NESW in Garfield County, Colorado.

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

- Hay storage near production equipment
- Loadlines not capped
- Interim Reclamation

Refer to the Location and Reclamation sections of this inspection report for additional details.

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

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Location

Overall Good:

Signs/Marker:

Type	BATTERY		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date:

Good Housekeeping:

Type	OTHER		
Comment:	It was observed in this inspection that Hay bales are being stored within close proximity of production equipment, on the south end of the Location; this is a potential fire hazard.		
Corrective Action:	The storage or placement of materials, and all other supplies not necessary for use on an Oil and Gas Location is prohibited. Coordinate with the Surface Owner and relocate Hay bales off the Location and away from production equipment.		Date: <u>08/28/2024</u>

Overall Good:

Spills:

Type	Area	Volume		

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

Equipment:

Type:	#		corrective date
Comment:	Loadline at tanks observed missing required cap or plug. Fluids also observed within honeypot		
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rule 603.i. Remove and properly dispose fluids within containment.		Date: <u>08/28/2024</u>

Venting:

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Flaring:

Type		
Comment:		

Corrective Action:

Date:

Inspected Facilities

Facility ID: 335294 Type: LOCATION API Number: - Status: AC 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 _____

Comment _____

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? **Fail**

Production areas have been stabilized? _____ Segregated soils have been replaced? _____

RESTORATION AND REVEGETATION

Cropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ Perennial forage re-established **Fail**

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced _____ Recontoured _____ 80% Revegetation **Fail**

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? **F**

Comment

It was observed in this inspection that interim reclamation is not progressing towards ECMC 1003 Reclamation requirements; interim areas are predominantly bare, or Undesirable Plant Species. Perennial establishment that was observed was sparse.

Noxious weed establishment, including Jointed Goatgrass and Field Bindweed observed throughout interim areas of the Location.

Corrective Action

Comply with 1003 rules:

Conduct additional reclamation and ensure Location progresses towards 1003.e standards.

Comply with 1003.f and 606.c- Oil and Gas Locations will be kept free of all Undesirable Plant Species.

Date **11/15/2024**

Overall Interim Reclamation **Fail**

Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:

Date Final Reclamation Started: _____ Date Final Reclamation Completed: _____

Final Land Use: _____

Reminder: _____

Comment: _____

Well plugged _____ Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled _____

Debris removed _____ No disturbance /Location never built _____

Access Roads Regraded _____ Contoured _____ Culverts removed _____

Gravel removed _____

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed _____ Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured _____

Compaction alleviation _____ Dust and erosion control _____

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% _____ Cropland: perennial forage _____

Weeds present _____ Subsidence _____

1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____
 VEGETATIVE COVER _____

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: _____

Date _____

Overall Final Reclamation _____

Well Release on Active Location

Multi-Well Location

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment

Comment: No immediate stormwater issues were observed at time of inspection.

Corrective Action: _____

Date: _____

Pits: NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
696206109	Inspection Photos	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6664356