

Well Name: GOV`T.	Well Location: T4S / R102W / SEC 30 / NWSW /	County or Parish/State: RIO BLANCO / CO
Well Number: 7611	Type of Well: CONVENTIONAL GAS WELL	Allottee or Tribe Name:
Lease Number: COC11059	Unit or CA Name:	Unit or CA Number:
US Well Number: 0510308897	Operator: UTAH GAS CORPORATION	

Subsequent Report

Type of Submission: Subsequent Report

Type of Action: Final Abandonment Notice

Date Sundry Submitted: 07/15/2019

Disposition: Approved

Disposition Date: 10/02/2019

Remarks: RENETA KAWCAK:APPROVAL:2019-07-15 Utah Gas Corp has achieved reclamation success criteria on the Evacuation Creek 7611 well pad. We are requesting a final site evaluation and submitting for FAN approval. JAY JOHNSON:ONSITE:2019-08-23 Recommend approve final reclamation and FAN. As part of final reclamation approval, fence needs to be removed. This well pad was looked at with the operator and the WRFO Oil and Gas Ecologist Woodruff, Hale from Utah Gas and Russ Knight, Utah Gas president were present. When this well pad reclamation took place in 2011, when the company was Encana, it was assigned to WRFO NRS Potts. There is a road leading to this well pad that shows as existing on the topo map in ArcMap. With that, the access road has not been reclaimed and it has not been requested that Utah Gas reclaimed this road during this site inspection or in the past. The access road showing up on the topo map indicates the road may have existed prior to well pad development. In addition, adjacent to the fenced well pad, there is a primitive campground with a fire ring present. So, reclamation of the road will not be pursued with Utah Gas. The process currently in existince to review roads for need for final reclamation in the WRFO Tuesday NEPA meeting was not in place during that time. The well pad is fenced and overall looks really good with dense, lush vegetation. Reclamation on this well pad took place in 2011. In 2015, spot treatment (seeding) took place on the well pad. Vegetation noted: Pubescent wheatgrass, rabbitbrush, scarlet gilia, Indian ricegrass, Timothy, bluebunch wheatgrass, alfalfa, Sandberg wheatgrass, penstemon spp., pubescent wheatgrass, gumweed, sage spp., western wheatgrass, flax, houndstongue (small amount, what was found was killed no plants seen in bloom), mullein (plants found were killed). There is an area on the NW side of the well pad that appears to have a void of soil on the surface, though vegetation is growing. It was mentioned by the operator that with this being on the ridgetop and the ridgetops tending to be windy areas, soil may have blown off. JAY JOHNSON:ONSITE:2019-09-25 Discussed road remaining with NRS Supervisor Roberts - email attached to FAN from Roberts to state what the process will be. In short, since road existed prior to development, will remain in place and will not require operator to remove it and reclaim it. Will ask the operator to seed the roads at the final reclamation of the well pad to the south of this well pad along same access road.