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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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Inspection Date:

09/10/2024

Submitted Date:

10/11/2024

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FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 449274 Inspector Name: Maxwell, Logan On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

ECMC Operator Number: 10805

Name of Operator: FULCRUM ENERGY OPERATING LLC

Address: 240 SAINT PAUL STREET SUITE 502

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80206

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

3 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
449274	LOCATION	AC			-	Rabbit Ears 0681 23	RI

General Comment:

On 9/10//2024, Eastern Reclamation Work Lead Binschus and Reclamation Specialist Maxwell conducted an Interim Reclamation and Stormwater inspection at Fulcrum Energy Operating's Rabbit Ears 0681 23 Pad Oil and Gas Location in Jackson County, Colorado. This inspection is a follow-up to Doc #697505287 dated 4/15/2024, to document compliance with the following corrective actions:

-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.

A follow up inspection on this site will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with ECMC rules.

Any corrective actions from previous inspections that have not been addressed remain applicable. Any new corrective actions without corrective action dates, requires that the Operator comply with the Rules as soon as possible or when environmental conditions permit. Location will remain out of compliance until corrective action(s) has (have) been resolved and a follow up inspection will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with ECMC rules.

Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	449274	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: COMMERCIAL, OTHER

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? In
Production areas have been stabilized? Pass Segregated soils have been replaced? Pass

RESTORATION AND REVEGETATIONCropland

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

Non-Cropland

Top soil replaced Pass Recontoured Pass 80% Revegetation In

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 It was observed in this inspection that the interim areas have been re-contoured and seeded with a mix predominantly of introduced species that are not reflective of the reference area vegetation.

Operator provided Staff with a seed mix that was indicated to be from BLM. The BLM seed mix appeared to be used at this Location.

Pursuant to Rule 1003.e, Seed Mixtures are to be provided by the Surface Owner, or by the local soil conservation district.

Corrective Action Pursuant to Rule 210.a, submit documentation showing Surface Owner provided/approved the seed mixture/species used during reclamation.

Date 10/18/2024

Overall Interim Reclamation In Process

Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:

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

Final Land Use: COMMERCIAL, OTHER

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:

At the time of inspection, it was observed that the pad was re-contoured to allow for better drainage to the outlet. A follow-up inspection will be conducted to determine the effectiveness of stormwater drainage.

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
403954997	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6743408
712300078	Inspection Photos	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6743398