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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:

01/08/2025

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01/10/2025

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FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 312553 Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

ECMC Operator Number: 10770

Name of Operator: VISION ENERGY LLC

Address: P O BOX 370

City: IGNACIO State: CO Zip: 81137

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

2 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
221899	WELL	PA	09/25/2022	GW	077-08501	LIPAN WASH 10-16-2-2	RI

General Comment:

On 1/8/2025 Western Reclamation Work Lead Trujillo conducted a Final Reclamation inspection at Vision Energy LLC's Lipan Wash #10-16-2-2 location in Mesa County, Colorado.

Location is Fee Surface / Fed Minerals

The following compliance issues were observed during this inspection:

-911/913: Facility Closure, Remediation and Reporting Requirements

-1004: Final Reclamation Requirements.

Due to the extent, duration and/or nature of the compliance issues observed, and ECMC's expectation that Operators are in compliance with Rules at all times, the "date of inspection" is being provided for corrective actions required in this report, as this is the date the location was observed to be out of compliance; Location will remain out of compliance until corrective actions are addressed.

Refer to the Reclamation sections 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:	221899	Type:	WELL	API Number:	077-08501	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 _____

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? _____

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

RESTORATION AND REVEGETATIONCropland

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 _____ 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 _____

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:

Records show well was P&A 9/25/2022, pursuant to Rule 1004.a., final reclamation of the Location was required to be completed by 9/25/2023.

It was observed in this inspection that the Location and access road have not been reclaimed in accordance with 1004 requirements; Location/Road has not been decompacted, recontoured/reggraded and reclaimed; Undesirable and Noxious Plant Species (Halogeton) observed established throughout the Location disturbance.

Additionally, Facility Closure pursuant to Rule 911, and work to address/close Remediation Proj. #25520 is not progressing in an appropriate and timely manner; Operator has not provided quarterly updates pursuant to Rule 913.e, and COAs per F27 #403159494 remain outstanding.

Corrective Action:

Contact area EPS and comply with outstanding COAs per F27 #403159494.

Comply with 1004 Rules and perform Final Reclamation including, but not limited to, compaction alleviation, recontouring/reggrading, and establish vegetation with total perennial, non-invasive uniform plant cover of at least eighty (80) percent of pre-disturbance or reference area levels on the Location and access road.

Comply with Rule 1002.f and ensure erosion controls are implemented to stabilize the seeded soil, and continue to monitor and manage this site until Final Reclamation has passed.

Comply with Rules 1004.e and 606.c- Locations shall be kept free of Undesirable Plant Species.

Date **01/08/2025**

Overall Final Reclamation

FailWell Release on Active Location ☐Multi-Well Location ☐**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
404054835	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6871558
718100153	Inspection Photos	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6871546