

**FORM
INSP**Rev
X/20**State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203
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Inspection Date:

01/28/2025

Submitted Date:

01/31/2025

Document Number:

708905619

FIELD INSPECTION FORMLoc ID 323957 Inspector Name: Smelser, Wayne On-Site Inspection ☐ 2A Doc Num: _____**Operator Information:**

ECMC Operator Number: 10456

Name of Operator: CAERUS PICEANCE LLC

Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1600

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

Status Summary:

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

Findings:

20 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:**

Contact Name	Phone	Email	Comment
QB Energy		ecmc.inspections@qb-energy.com	
Toews, Wesley		wtoews@blm.gov	

Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
211354	WELL	PR	12/21/1996	GW	045-07114	HMU FEDERAL 5-16 (P5E)	PR

General Comment:**CECMC Inspection/Audit Report Summary**

On 01/28/2025 at approximately 13:45 hours, I, Compliance Specialist, Wayne Smelser

Conducted a follow up inspection/audit at QB Energy HMU FEDERAL 5-16 (P5E) pad.

Location # 323957 in Garfield County Colorado.

Please refer to inspection/audit 708905502 conducted on 01/18/2025, previous corrective action has not been completed.

Location is within High Priority, Density, Black Bear Habitat areas & in close proximity to NSO Habitat area & Bald Eagle Roost Site.

Location is approximately 572 yards from Mamm Creek.

While there, I observed normal production operations.

During this inspection/audit the following compliance issues were observed:

1. Stormwater - Failure to maintain chemical BMP with a CA date of 01/21/2025

A follow up on this site inspection/audit needs to be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with CECMC rules.

This is a summary of inspection/audit report.

Location**Lease Road:**

Type	Access		
comment:			
Corrective Action	L	Date:	

Overall Good: ☐**Signs/Marker:**

Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Separator unit includes attached storage tank. The sight glass located on the side of the unit indicates the storage tank is full of an unknown fluid. No form of labeling or markers are present to identify a potential hazard or the contents of the storage tank.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	BATTERY		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	CONTAINERS		
Comment:	Chemical tank		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type	WELLHEAD		
Comment:	Sign at separator		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:	911/970-285-2615	
Corrective Action:		Date: _____

Overall Good: ☐**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		
In Containment:	No			
Comment:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Spills and Releases?				

Fencing/:

Type	LOCATION		
Comment:	Barbed wire fence		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Equipment:

Type: Bird Protectors	# 1		corrective date
Comment:			

Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Deadman # & Marked	# 1		
Comment:	Marked		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Horizontal Heated Separator	# 1		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Bradenhead	# 1		
Comment:	Pressure transducer located on bradenhead, bradenhead valve is accessible.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Plunger Lift	# 1		
Comment:	Well on plunger lift		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Ancillary equipment	# 1		
Comment:	Chemical tank		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 1		
Comment:	Summit Midstream		
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Type: Gas Meter Run	# 1		
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Tanks and Berms:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS
CONDENSATE	1	300 BBLS	STEEL AST		,
Comment:	Tank equipped with telemetry				
Corrective Action:				Date:	

Paint

Condition	Adequate
Other (Content)	
Other (Capacity)	
Other (Type)	

Berms

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance
Metal	Adequate	Walls Sufficent		
Comment:				
Corrective Action:			Date:	

Venting:

Yes/No	NO	
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Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	
Flaring:			
Type			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

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Inspected Facilities									
Facility ID:	211354	Type:	WELL	API Number:	045-07114	Status:	PR	Insp. Status:	PR
Producing Well									
Comment:	Producing, well on plunger lift								
Corrective Action:				Date:					

The subreport 'InspWellFlowline' could not be found at the specified location \\10.14.12

Reclamation - Storm Water - Pit**Storm Water:**

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
		Gravel				Sparse to none in sections
		Compaction				Light compaction in some areas
		Culverts				
				Material Handling And Spill Prevention		Failure to maintain chemical BMP
Check Dams						
Berms						
		Ditches				
Compaction						Light compaction in some areas
Ditches						
Rip Rap						
Gravel						Sparse to none in areas

Comment: 1. Failure to maintain chemical BMP – Chemical tank containment approximately 2/3 full of fluid/BMP insufficient to contain possible spill

Corrective Action: **Comply with CECMC Stormwater rules**

Date: 01/21/2025

Pits: ☒ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

ECMC Comments

Comment	User	Date
Please refer to Stormwater for corrective action	smelserw	01/31/2025

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
404077568	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6900412
708905620	Inspection/Audit 708905619 Stormwater photo log	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6900405
708905621	Inspection/Audit 708905619 photo log	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=6900406