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Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Initial Form)

This form shall be submitted to the Director for approval prior to the initiation of site investigation and remediation activities. However, this shall not preclude the Operator from taking immediate action to protect public health or safety, the environment, wildlife, or livestock.

This Form 27 describes site conditions as currently understood by the Operator; approval of this Form 27 by ECOM is based on the site conditions accurately described herein; any changes in site conditions identified during or subsequent to the performance of the approved workplan may necessitate additional investigation or remediation which shall be described on a supplemental Form 27. This Form 27 is intended to provide basic information regarding the proposed site investigation and remediation actions, but the workplan may be more fully described in attached documentation.

Closure request is not available for an Initial Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan.

OPERATOR INFORMATION

Name of Operator: SCOUT ENERGY MANAGEMENT LLC	Operator No: 10779	Phone Numbers
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 39181 Initial Form 27 Document #: 404059139

PURPOSE INFORMATION

- ☐ Rule 913.c.(1): Pit or Cuttings Trench closure.
- ☐ Rule 913.c.(2): Buried or partially buried vessel closure, which will be by removal.
- ☒ Rule 913.c.(3): Remediation of Spill and Releases pursuant to Rule 912.
- ☐ Rule 913.c.(4): Land treatment of Oily Waste pursuant to Rule 905.e.
- ☐ Rule 913.c.(5): Closure of Centralized E&P Waste Management Facilities pursuant to Rule 907.h.
- ☐ Rule 913.c.(6): Remediation of impacted Groundwater pursuant to Rule 915.e.(3).D, and the contaminant concentrations in Table 915-1.
- ☐ Rule 913.c.(7): Investigation and remediation of natural gas in soil or Groundwater.
- ☐ Rule 913.c.(8): When requested by the Director due to any potential risk to soil, Groundwater, or surface water.
- ☐ Rule 913.c.(9): Decommissioning of Oil and Gas Facilities.
- ☐ Rule 913.g: Changes of Operator.
- ☐ Rule 915.b: Request to leave elevated inorganics in situ.
- ☐ Other: _____

SITE INFORMATION

No Multiple Facilities

Facility Type: SPILL OR RELEASE	Facility ID: 487954	API #: _____	County Name: RIO BLANCO
Facility Name: AC McLaughlin 65X	Latitude: 40.132216	Longitude: -108.932992	
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: _____		Longitude: _____	
QtrQtr: SWNW	Sec: 23	Twp: 2N	Range: 103W
Meridian: 6	Sensitive Area? Yes		

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications CH Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use NON-CROP LAND

Is domestic water well within 1/4 mile? No Is surface water within 1/4 mile? No

Is groundwater less than 20 feet below ground surface? No

Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile

The nearest "surface water" is an unnamed dry ephemeral drainage approximately 880 feet south of the location.

SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN**TYPE OF WASTE:**

☒ **E&P Waste** ☐ **Other E&P Waste** ☐ **Non-E&P Waste**

☒ Produced Water ☐ Workover Fluids

☒ Oil ☐ Tank Bottoms

☐ Condensate ☐ Pigging Waste

☐ Drilling Fluids ☐ Rig Wash

☐ Drill Cuttings ☐ Spent Filters

☐ Pit Bottoms

☐ Other (as described by EPA)

DESCRIPTION OF IMPACT

Impacted?	Impacted Media	Extent of Impact	How Determined
Yes	SOILS	60' x 12' x 2' BGS	Field measured with tape and wheel.

INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY

Description of initial action or emergency response measures take to abate, investigate, and/or remediate impacts associated with E&P Waste.

On September 18, 2024 about 2:30 PM a low flowline pressure alarm led to the discovery of a riser leak on AC McLaughlin 65X. Produced injection water and oil were released to ground. All fluids stayed on well pad location. The well was shut in immediately following discovery the leak was contained on location. All proper notifications were made. Repair and clean up plans were also made. Spill area was washed with fresh clean water from the water plant.

PROPOSED SAMPLING PLAN**Proposed Soil Sampling**

☒ Will soil samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, type (grab/composite), analyses, and locations of samples):

This spill was initially assessed and sampled on 10/14/24 with exceedances to Table 915-1 standards of TPH (SS2), SAR (SS1 and SS2), EC (SS2), and hot water soluble boron (SS2) above local background levels. Please see the attached data package for sample locations, depths and analytical results.

Proposed Groundwater Sampling

☐ Will groundwater samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, analyses, and locations of samples):

Proposed Surface Water Sampling

☐ Will surface water samples be collected as part of this investigation? (Number, analyses, and locations of samples):

Additional Investigative Actions

☐ Additional alternative investigative actions described in attached Site Investigation Plan (summary):

SITE INVESTIGATION REPORT**SAMPLE SUMMARY**

Soil

Number of soil samples collected 2

Number of soil samples exceeding 915-1 2

Was the areal and vertical extent of soil contamination delineated? No

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 720

Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 0

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? No

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet)

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 915-1

NA / ND

-- Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) 746

-- Highest concentration of SAR 60.1

BTEX > 915-1 No

Vertical Extent > 915-1 (in feet) 1

Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l)

Highest concentration of Methane (mg/l)

Surface Water

0 Number of surface water samples collected

Number of surface water samples exceeding 915-1

If surface water is impacted, other agency notification may be required.

OTHER INVESTIGATION INFORMATION☐ Were impacts to adjacent property or offsite impacts identified?☒ Were background samples collected as part of this site investigation?

One background sample was collected as part of this investigation. Please see the attached analytical results.

☐ Was investigation derived waste (IDW) generated as part of this investigation?

Volume of solid waste (cubic yards)

Volume of liquid waste (barrels)

☒ Is further site investigation required?

Confirmation samples will be collected following the removal of contaminated soils around SS2.

REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN**SOURCE REMOVAL SUMMARY**

Describe how source is to be removed.

TPH impacted soils will be removed from the area around SS2 to a depth of approximately two (2) feet BGS using hand tools and equipment. TPH impacted soil will be taken to Scout's Rangely Landfarm.

REMEDIATION SUMMARY

Describe how remediation of existing impacts to soil and groundwater is to be accomplished (i.e. summarize remedial action plan). Provide a brief narrative description including: technical justification, schedule for implementation, estimated time to attain NFA status, plus plans and specifications for the selected remedial action technology.

After TPH impacted soil removal, SAR, EC and HSB concentrations will be monitored for natural attenuation, utilizing seasonal precipitation events. Scout request approval of a reduced analyte list on all future samples consisting of these analytes only.

Soil Remediation Summary☒ In Situ☒ Ex Situ

Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

Yes Excavate and offsite disposal

Chemical oxidation

If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) 1

Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or ECMC Facility ID #

Yes Natural Attenuation

Other _____

Excavate and onsite remediation

Land Treatment

Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

Chemical oxidation

Other _____

Groundwater Remediation Summary

Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

Chemical oxidation

Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

Natural Attenuation

Other _____

GROUNDWATER MONITORING

If groundwater has been impacted, describe proposed monitoring plan, including # of wells or sample points, monitoring schedule, analytical methods, points of compliance. Attach a groundwater monitoring location diagram.

REMEDIATION PROGRESS UPDATE

PERIODIC REPORTING

Approved Reporting Schedule:

☐ Quarterly☐ Semi-Annually☐ Annually☐ Other

☒ Request Alternative Reporting Schedule:

☐ Semi-Annually☒ Annually☐ Other

Rule 913.e:

After initial approval of a Form 27, the Operator will provide quarterly update reports in a Supplemental Form 27 to document progress of site investigation and remediation, unless an alternative reporting schedule has been requested by the Operator and approved by the Director. The Director may request a more frequent reporting schedule based on site-specific conditions.

Report Type:

☐ Groundwater Monitoring☐ Land Treatment Progress Report☐ O&M Report☒ Other Remediation Progress Report

Adequacy of Operator's General Liability Insurance and Financial Assurance

Describe the adequacy of the Operator's general liability insurance and Financial Assurance to fully address the anticipated costs of Remediation, including the estimated remaining cost for this project (below).

If this information has been provided on a Form 27 within the last 12 months, provide the Document Number of that form.

The policies described below afford industry standard terms and conditions for said policy types, noting that Scout's pollution coverage is broadened pollution legal liability which does not dictate cover based on gradual pollution or sudden or accidental pollution losses. The coverage is intended to respond if a loss occurs during the policy period as respects to a particular property (owned, leased, operated). Note that all layers of excess coverage shown act in excess of the general liability policy, and note that only the Lead \$10M Umbrella Policy is afforded in excess of pollution coverage.

Operator anticipates the remaining cost for this project to be: \$ 2000

WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Was E&P waste generated as part of this remediation? _____

Describe beneficial use, if any, of E&P Waste derived from this remediation project:

Volume of E&P Waste (solid) in cubic yards _____

E&P waste (solid) description _____

ECMC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-ECMC Disposal Facility: _____

Volume of E&P Waste (liquid) in barrels _____

E&P waste (liquid) description _____

ECMC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-ECMC Disposal Facility: _____

RECLAMATION PLAN

RECLAMATION PLANNING

Describe reclamation plan. Discuss existing and new grade recontouring; method and testing of compaction alleviation; and reseeding program, including location of new seed, seed mix and noxious weed prevention. Attach diagram or drawing.

If reclamation is necessary, it will be completed following 1000 Series regulations.

Is the described reclamation complete? _____

Does the reclamation described herein constitute interim or final reclamation of the Oil and Gas Location?

☐ Interim ☐ Final

Did the Surface Owner provide the seed mix? _____

If YES, does the seed mix comply with local soil conservation district recommendations? _____

Did the local soil conservation district provide the seed mix? _____

SITE RECLAMATION DATES

Proposed date of commencement of Reclamation. _____

Proposed date of completion of Reclamation. _____

IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

Per Rule 913.d.(2): Any change from the approved implementation schedule will be requested at least 14 days in advance, and the Operator may not make the change without the Director's approval.

PRIOR DATES

Date of Surface Owner notification/consultation, if required. 09/20/2024

Actual Spill or Release date, or date of discovery. 09/18/2024

SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 10/14/2024

Proposed site investigation commencement. _____

Proposed completion of site investigation. _____

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Proposed start date of Remediation. _____

Proposed date of completion of Remediation. _____

Per Rule 913.d.(2): Any change from the approved implementation schedule will be requested at least 14 days in advance, and the Operator may not make the change without the Director's approval.

☐ Change from approved implementation schedule per Rule 913.d.(2).

Basis for change in implementation schedule:

OPERATOR COMMENT

This Form 27 is being submitted in reference to Spill #487954. Scout requests approval of a reduced analyte list on all future samples consisting of TPH, SAR, EC and HSB only.

Scout also requests an annual reporting schedule for this remediation.

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are to the best of my knowledge true, correct, and complete.

Signed: Cody Christian

Title: HSE Coordinator I

Submit Date: 01/16/2025

Email: cody.christian@scoutep.com

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan complies with ECMC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

ECMC Approved: KRIS NEIDEL

Date: 02/24/2025

Remediation Project Number: 39181

COA Type**Description**

	A supplemental Form 19 shall be submitted with work proceeding here.
	The reported depth of release is 2 feet, a sample near that depth shall be taken to properly delineate the spill.
	Annual reporting is approved, however this spill is relatively small and confined and should be remediated and closure documented in 2025. The Area near SS2 (soil) should be removed due to the presence of DRO and ORO, natural attenuation may be a prolonged experience.
	Request for amended sampling is approved per Rule 915.e.(2).C. with the addition of BTEX.
4 COAs	

ATTACHMENT LIST

Upon approval, the approved Form 27 and all listed attachments will be indexed to the Remediation Project file. Only the approved Form 27 will also be indexed to the related Facilities.

Att Doc Num**Name**

404059139	INVESTIGATION/REMEDIATION WORKPLAN (INITIAL)
404061538	ANALYTICAL RESULTS
404104202	FORM 27-INITIAL-SUBMITTED

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