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Site Investigation and Remediation Workplan (Supplemental 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 ECMC 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: NOBLE ENERGY INC	Operator No: 100322	Phone Numbers
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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 29232 Initial Form 27 Document #: 403396330

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

Yes Multiple Facilities

Facility Type: WELL	Facility ID: _____	API #: 123-15089	County Name: WELD
Facility Name: BOULTER 14-14G	Latitude: 40.306870	Longitude: -104.632080	
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: _____		Longitude: _____	
QtrQtr: SESW	Sec: 14	Twp: 4N	Range: 65W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes
Facility Type: SPILL OR RELEASE	Facility ID: 485240	API #: _____	County Name: WELD
Facility Name: Boulter 14-14G	Latitude: 40.307630	Longitude: -104.632197	
** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: _____		Longitude: _____	
QtrQtr: SESW	Sec: 14	Twp: 4N	Range: 65W Meridian: 6 Sensitive Area? Yes

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications SC

Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use Cropland

Is domestic water well within 1/4 mile? Yes

Is surface water within 1/4 mile? Yes

Is groundwater less than 20 feet below ground surface? Yes

Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile

Holding Pond 0.24mi NE
Tank Batteries 0.15 SW
NA



SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN

TYPE OF WASTE:

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E&P Waste | <input type="checkbox"/> Other E&P Waste | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-E&P Waste |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water | <input type="checkbox"/> Workover Fluids | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil | <input type="checkbox"/> Tank Bottoms | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Condensate | <input type="checkbox"/> Pigging Waste | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling Fluids | <input type="checkbox"/> Rig Wash | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drill Cuttings | <input type="checkbox"/> Spent Filters | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Pit Bottoms | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (as described by EPA) | _____ |

DESCRIPTION OF IMPACT

Impacted?	Impacted Media	Extent of Impact	How Determined
No	GROUNDWATER	NA	Lab analysis
Yes	SOILS	TBD	Lab analysis

INITIAL ACTION SUMMARY

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

Pursuant to ECMC Rule 911 a site investigation was conducted pertaining to the BOULTER 14-14G flowline removal. Approximately 374' of flowline was removed. Soil samples were collected at the flowline terminuses at the wellhead and separator (2) and along the flowline path (3). Soil samples were analyzed by a certified laboratory for TPH, organic compounds in soil per ECMC Table 915-1, EC, SAR, pH, and boron.

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):

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	NA / ND
Number of soil samples collected <u> 5 </u>	-- Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) <u> 1604 </u>
Number of soil samples exceeding 915-1 <u> 3 </u>	-- Highest concentration of SAR <u> 6.44 </u>

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

BTEX > 915-1 Yes

Approximate areal extent (square feet) 15

Vertical Extent > 915-1 (in feet) 5

Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 1

ND Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l) _____

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? Yes

ND Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l) _____

Depth to groundwater (below ground surface, in feet) 3

ND Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l) _____

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed 0

ND Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l) _____

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 915-1 0

NA Highest concentration of Methane (mg/l) _____

Surface Water

0 Number of surface water samples collected

0 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?

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?

Additional investigation activities associated with the excavation and any other delineation and/or background sampling will be proposed in a subsequent form submittal, as required.

REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN

Does this Supplemental Form 27A include changes to a previously approved Remedial Action Plan? No

SOURCE REMOVAL SUMMARY

Describe how source is to be removed.

Operator will complete source removal activities at the site to address hydrocarbon impacts associated with sample location FL-SS-03 @ 4'.

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.

Laboratory analysis from samples collected on 27 September 2023 during previous investigation activities identified TPH exceedances along the flowline at sample location FL-SS-03@4' that was not addressed during initial excavation activities.

Source excavation activities are currently being scheduled to be continued at the site by the end of second quarter of 2025. NFA will be considered when soil and/or groundwater (if encountered) concentrations are in compliance with ECMC Table 915-1 standards.

Soil Remediation Summary

In Situ

Ex Situ

_____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)

_____ Excavate and offsite disposal

_____ Chemical oxidation

_____ If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) _____

_____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction

_____ Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or ECMC Facility ID # _____

_____ Natural Attenuation

_____ Excavate and onsite remediation

Other _____

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.

If groundwater is encountered during source removal activities, a grab groundwater will be collected and analyzed for organic and inorganic compounds per ECMC Table 915-1.

REMOVED

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 Quarterly Update _____

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.

Operator intends to directly address the costs of remediation at the locations as part of our asset retirement obligation process and operations. Operator has general liability insurance (policy MWZZ 316714) and financial assurance in compliance with ECMC rules. Records are available on the ECMC's website.

Operator anticipates the remaining cost for this project to be: \$ 75000 _____

WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Was E&P waste generated as part of this remediation? No _____

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: _____

REMEDIATION COMPLETION REPORT

REMEDIATION COMPLETION SUMMARY

Is this a Final Closure Request for this Remediation Project? No _____

If YES:

Compliant with Rule 913.h.(1).

Compliant with Rule 913.h.(2).

Compliant with Rule 913.h.(3).

Do all soils meet Table 915-1 standards? No _____

Does the previous reply indicate consideration of background concentrations? _____

Does Groundwater meet Table 915-1 standards? Yes _____

Is additional groundwater monitoring to be conducted? _____

Operator shall comply with the ECMC 1000-Series Reclamation Requirements for all impacted and disturbed areas.

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.

Reclamation will be in accordance with ECMC 1000 Series Rules.

Is the described reclamation complete? No

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. 09/27/2023

Proposed date of completion of Reclamation. 12/31/2029

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. 03/09/2023

Actual Spill or Release date, or date of discovery. 10/10/2023

SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 09/27/2023

Proposed site investigation commencement. 06/12/2023

Proposed completion of site investigation. 06/30/2025

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Proposed start date of Remediation. 09/27/2023

Proposed date of completion of Remediation. 06/30/2025

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:

Implementation scheduled updated for scheduling and completion of remedial excavation, pending and landowner access.

OPERATOR COMMENT

This is a quarterly update. The Operator's Environmental Consultant on this Site has recently changed and is conducting a thorough review of the project. Any required information, proposed additional investigation activities, reports, and addressing of COAs will be provided in Supplemental Form 27 submittals.

The work plan for excavation activities is being reviewed and finalized, and will be submitted to ECMC for review and approval within 45-days of this form submittal. Consultant and Operator are concurrently in the process of scheduling further excavation activities, pending site access and other unforeseen considerations.

Please note the Implementation Schedule has been updated to reflect the intent to complete excavation activities by the end of Q2 2025.

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

Signed: William Schoff

Title: Environmental Consultant

Submit Date: 02/07/2025

Email: cvxform27@erm.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: _____

Date: _____

Remediation Project Number: 29232

COA Type

Description

COA Type	Description
0 COA	

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

Att Doc Num	Name
404078118	FORM 27 DENIED
404149447	FORM 27-SUPPLEMENTAL-SUBMITTED

Total Attach: 2 Files

General Comments

User Group

Comment

Comment Date

User Group	Comment	Comment Date
Environmental	ECMC has denied this form as the Operator has provided no substantial and verifiable information as to how the documentation was verified or who verified the information. ECMC will not approve any future forms until all of this information has been provided and verified.	04/01/2025

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