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**State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**

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Inspection Date:

04/28/2025

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714002118

**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Loc ID 334035 Inspector Name: Mcdonough, Corey On-Site Inspection  2A Doc Num: \_\_\_\_\_

**Status Summary:**

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

**Operator Information:**

ECMC Operator Number: 10755  
Name of Operator: MORNINGSTAR OPERATING LLC  
Address: 400 W 7TH ST  
City: FORT WORTH State: TX Zip: 76102

**Findings:**

- 6 Number of Comments
- 3 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
		abyars@mspartners.com	

**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
262	WELL	PR	02/04/2008	CBM	067-09493	QUINTANA 32-6 15-4	RI
282247	WELL	PR	02/01/2011	CBM	067-09096	QUINTANA 32-6 15-2	RI

**General Comment:**

On 4/28/2025 Reclamation Specialist Corey McDonough conducted a Interim Reclamation and Stormwater Inspection at Morningstar Operating's Quintana 32-6 15-2, 4 Location in La Plata County, Colorado. This is a follow up inspection to inspection doc #714000676. Any Corrective Actions from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

This inspection is also in response to resolution doc #403771242 stating corrective actions' have been completed. It was observed in this inspection that the previously observed corrective actions' regarding debris, stormwater and guyline anchors have only been partially addressed. Erosion issues persist and stormwater BMPs have not been maintained.

During the inspection the following compliance issues were observed:

- Stormwater/Erosion
- Produced water signs/labels
- Interim Veg (cut slope)

Refer to the "Stormwater" and "Signs/Markers" sections of this inspection report for additional details.

Refer to the photo-documentation of the observed compliance issues attached to this report.

**Location**

Overall Good:

**Signs/Marker:**

Type	TANK LABELS/PLACARDS		
Comment:	Produced water tank not displaying current operator or emergency contact #.		
Corrective Action:	Update signs per rule 605a.	Date:	06/01/2025

**Emergency Contact Number:**

Comment:	<input type="text"/>	Date:	<input type="text"/>
Corrective Action:	<input type="text"/>		

Overall Good:

**Spills:**

Type	Area	Volume		

In Containment: No

Comment:

Multiple Spills and Releases?

**Venting:**

Yes/No			
Comment:			
Corrective Action:		Date:	

**Flaring:**

Type		
Comment:		
Corrective Action:		Date:

**Inspected Facilities**

Facility ID: 262 Type: WELL API Number: 067-09493 Status: PR Insp. Status: RI

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Facility ID: 282247 Type: WELL API Number: 067-09096 Status: PR Insp. Status: RI

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**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 [No waste/debris observed on location.](#)

Corrective Action \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? \_\_\_\_\_

Comment [No unused equipment observed on location.](#)

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? Pass Production areas stabilized ? Pass  
 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 REVEGETATION

Cropland

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 Locaiton cut slope of the interim reclamation remains with bare soil and sparse vegetation.

Corrective Action Conduct revegetation/reseeding efforts within portions of the interim reclamation area with bare soils and sparse vegetation.

Date 05/15/2025

Overall Interim Reclamation Fail

**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 \_\_\_\_\_ 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

<b>Storm Water:</b>						
Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment
<p><b>Comment:</b> Inspection doc #71400676 observed loose bare soils, culvert filled with sediment and active gully erosion occurring on the location and required compliance by 11/1/2020. It was observed in this inspection that loose bare soils remain on the location cut slope, culvert remains filled with sediment, stormwater BMPs are not sufficient and not been maintained. Original CA has not been addressed. Original CA and date remains applicable. No CA date is being provided as this location is out of compliance for the same Rule.</p>						<p><b>Date:</b> _____</p>
<p><b>Corrective Action:</b> Erosion controls need to be installed and maintained until bare soils are stabilized with desirable perennial vegetation. Comply with rule 1002 Install or repair required BMPs.</p>						
<p><b>Pits:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT</p>						

**Attached Documents**

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

Document Num	Description	URL
714002124	Inspection Photos	<a href="https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7031376">https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7031376</a>