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

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Inspection Date:

08/06/2025

Submitted Date:

08/07/2025

Document Number:

714002366

FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 326481 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

Findings:
5 Number of Comments
2 Number of Corrective Actions
 Corrective Action Response Requested

Operator Information:
 ECMC Operator Number: 10133
 Name of Operator: HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY
 Address: P O BOX 61229
 City: HOUSTON State: TX Zip: 77208

ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE

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Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
216565	WELL	PR	03/14/2000	CBM	067-08171	ARGENTA 34-10 32-1	RI

General Comment:

On 8/6/2025 Reclamation Specialist Corey McDonough conducted an Interim Reclamation and Stormwater Inspection at Hilcorp Energy's Argenta 34-10 32-1 Location in La Plata County, Colorado.

This is a follow up inspection to inspection doc #714000825. Any Corrective Actions from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

This inspection is also in response to resolution doc # 403890626 stating corrective actions' have been completed. It was observed in this inspection that the previously observed corrective actions' regarding stormwater and weeds have only been partially addressed. No weeds nor rutting along the access road were observed during this inspection however, active erosion persists along the eastern edge of the location.

During the inspection the following additional compliance issues were observed.

- Wildlife Netting

Refer to the "Stormwater" and "Wildlife BMPs" sections of this inspection report for additional details.

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

Location Construction

Location ID: 326481 CDP: _____

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: _____

Date: _____

Form 2A COAs:

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: _____

Date: _____

Wildlife BMPs:

Comment: Wildlife netting at pump jack lube tank has caved in and is no longer functioning.

Corrective Action: comply with rule 608.

Date: 08/14/2025

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: _____

Date: _____

On Site Inspection (305):

Surface Owner Contact Information:

Name: _____ Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Operator Rep. Contact Information:

Landman Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Date Onsite Request Received: _____ Date of Rule 306 Consultation: _____

Request LGD Attendance: _____

LGD Contact Information:

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____ Agreed to Attend: _____

Summary of Landowner Issues:

Summary of Operator Response to Landowner Issues:

Onsite Inspection Memorandum Summarizing Discussions at Inspection as Attachment:

Inspected Facilities

Facility ID: 216565 Type: WELL API Number: 067-08171 Status: PR 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 [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? _____ 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 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 _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Overall Interim Reclamation In Process

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

Storm Water:

Loc Erosion BMPs	BMP Maintenance	Lease Road Erosion BMPs	Lease BMP Maintenance	Chemical BMPs	Chemical BMP Maintenance	Comment

Comment: [Inspection doc #71400825](#) observed erosion along the eastern edge of the location and required compliance by 6/21/2024. It was observed in this inspection that BMPs have not been maintained and stormwater/erosion issues persist. 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.

Corrective Action: **Comply with rule 1002 Install or repair required BMPs.**

Date: _____

Pits: NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

Attached Documents

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

Document Num	Description	URL
404309877	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7179163
714002371	Inspection Photos	https://ecmc.state.co.us/weblink/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7179142