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**State of Colorado
Energy and Carbon Management Commission**

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Inspection Date:

12/12/2025

Submitted Date:

12/22/2025

Document Number:

714003037

FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID 484496 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: 10764
Name of Operator: NUEVIDA RESOURCES LLC
Address: 5950 CEDAR SPRINGS RD STE #100
City: DALLAS State: TX Zip: 75235

Findings:

- 13 Number of Comments
- 7 Number of Corrective Actions
- Corrective Action Response Requested

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
484496	LOCATION	AC			-	Ardourel 33081718	CI

General Comment:

On December 12th, 2025 Reclamation Specialist Corey McDonough conducted a Construction and stormwater inspection at the Ardourel well and associated TUA tank pad location in La Plata County, Colorado. Additionally, Western Reclamation Work lead Aaron Trujillo and Senior Reclamation Advisor Denise Arthur were in attendance to meet with Operator representatives (AnCELL Environmental) to conduct soil sampling related NOAV #404220260 requirements.

It was noted that several compliance issues remain unresolved on the location, any Corrective Actions from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

During this inspection the following compliance issues were observed:

- Stormwater
- Weeds
- Trash/Debris/Unused equipment (tubing, pipes)
- Top Soil Stockpile Protections
- Wildlife Protections
- Signage
- Form 2A posting requirements
- Secondary Containment

Refer to the various sections of this report regarding unresolved and newly identified corrective actions on both the well pad and TUA tank pad.

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

Location			
Overall Good: <input type="checkbox"/>			
Signs/Marker:			
Type	OTHER		
Comment:	Inspection doc #714002164 noted that the form 2A had not been posted on the location and required compliance by 5/19/2025. It was observed in this inspection that a copy of the approved Form 2A, and any Form 4 modifying the approved Form 2A, has not been posted in a protected and conspicuous place on location upon commencement of operations with heavy equipment until the conclusion of interim Reclamation. 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 406.c		Date:
Type	BATTERY		
Comment:	Inspection doc #714002164 observed that signage requirements at the tank battery facility were inadequate and required compliance by 6/16/2025. It was observed in this inspection that signage at the tank battery secondary containment has been installed but each individual tank is now missing signage/labelling requirements (including Operator name, contact info, capacity, NFPA label and contents). 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 605.e and 605.h		Date:
Emergency Contact Number:			
Comment:	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>		
Corrective Action:	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>		Date: _____
Good Housekeeping:			
Type	TRASH		
Comment:	Inspection doc #714002164 observed various trash/debris throughout the location and required compliance by 5/23/2025. It was observed in this inspection that debris remain including fabric mats on the western edge of the TUA and tubing/piping on the well pad. 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 606, remove and properly dispose of all trash and debris stored on the location.		Date:
Type	WEEDS		
Comment:	Inspection doc #714000911 observed Musk thistle, Cheatgrass, Lambsquarter and Kochia throughout the Location and topsoil stockpiles. Inspection required Operator to manage weeds by 7/10/2024. It was observed in this inspection that weed management efforts have either not been performed, or have been insufficient; Vegetation on the topsoil stockpiles is now a complete monoculture of Cheatgrass (with Kochia and Redstem Filaree also observed). This CA has not been addressed and remains applicable.		
Corrective Action:	Comply with Rules 1003.f, 606.c and 1002.c.		Date:
Overall Good: <input type="checkbox"/>			
Spills:			
Type	Area	Volume	
In Containment: No			
Comment: <input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Spills and Releases?			
Equipment:			
Type: _____ # _____			corrective date

Comment:	It was observed in this inspection that Ardourel pipeline on the northwest corner of the TUA has been plugged/capped.		
Corrective Action:		Date:	

Tanks and Berms:

Contents	#	Capacity	Type	Tank ID	SE GPS	
Comment:						
Corrective Action:						Date:

Paint

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

Berms

Type	Capacity	Permeability (Wall)	Permeability (Base)	Maintenance	
Comment:	It was observed in this inspection that the liner within the TUA Location is not sufficiently impervious to contain a spill or release; holes/tears observed throughout liner along the walls of the BMP. It is unclear if the integrity of the liner within the base of the BMP is also sufficiently impervious.				
Corrective Action:	Comply with rule 603.o and Form 2A COA's				Date: 01/05/2026

Venting:

Yes/No					
Comment:					
Corrective Action:					Date:

Flaring:

Type					
Comment:					
Corrective Action:					Date:

Location Construction

Location ID: 484496 CDP: _____

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: _____

Date: _____

Form 2A COAs:

Comment: _____

Corrective Action: _____

Date: _____

Wildlife BMPs:

Comment: It was observed in this inspection that wildlife protection BMPs are missing or insufficient:
-Wildlife netting on lube/chemical tank secondary containment on the northern edge of the well pad has fallen in/ripped and is no longer functioning.
-Cellar covers at the well heads contain gaps and are insufficient to prevent wildlife access
Operator was notified of compliance issues via email on December 18th 2025.

Corrective Action: **Comply with Rule 902.b.: Install or repair wildlife protection BMPs.**

Date: 12/29/2025

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: 484496 Type: LOCATION API Number: - Status: AC Insp. Status: CI

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: RANGELAND

Comment: _____

1002 SITE PREPARATION AND STABILIZATION

1002a. FENCING _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002b. SOIL REMOVAL AND SEGREGATION Fail

Comment [Refer to stormwater section of this report regarding improper soil segregation requirements.](#)
[Previous inspections observed that Operator failed to conduct sufficient topsoil salvage operations; this Location remains out of compliance with Rule 1002.b.\(2\). Refer to Inspection No. 714000099 for additional details.](#)
[Soil sampling efforts were conducted during the time of this inspection.](#)

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002c. PROTECTION OF SOILS Fail

Comment [See good-housekeeping and stormwater sections regarding improper 1002.c requirements.](#)

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1002E. SURFACE DISTURBANCE MINIMIZATION _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

1003a. Waste and Debris removed? _____

Comment _____

Corrective Action _____

Date _____

Unused or unneeded equipment onsite? _____

Comment _____

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

Refer to good-housekeeping section for weed management requirements.
 Records show Wells drilled on the Location began producing September, 2024. Two additional Form 2 Permits were approved on the Location on 12/20/2024.
 Ongoing operations were not observed at time of inspection. Operator on Location stated that additional drilling operations were planned in the near future.
 If continuous and ongoing drilling operations are not commenced, Location will be subject to reclamation requirements pursuant to Rule 1003, or a "Delayed Interim Reclamation" variance will need to be submitted and approved per the NTO.

Corrective Action

Date

Overall Interim Reclamation

Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:

Date Final Reclamation Started: _____ Date Final Reclamation Completed: _____

Final Land Use: RANGELAND

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 #714000631 observed rill and gully erosion forming site wide with lacking and inadequate storm water BMPs and required compliance by 6/15/2023. It was observed in this inspection that the Location remains out of compliance with Rule 1002.f requirements. BMPs throughout the Location remain missing or insufficient, or have not been installed or maintained in a proper functioning condition per good engineering practices. Erosion, water ponding, degradation, sediment transport, as well as sediment deposition on topsoil stockpiles has persisted throughout the Location. 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
714003075	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7388261