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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

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PROJECT, PURPOSE & SITE INFORMATION

PROJECT INFORMATION

Remediation Project #: 25550 Initial Form 27 Document #: 403202579

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: <u>LOCATION</u>	Facility ID: <u>481074</u>	API #: _____	County Name: <u>WELD</u>
Facility Name: <u>20-4N-64W SESE Balboa TB Loc</u>	Latitude: <u>40.291000</u>	Longitude: <u>-104.567000</u>	
	** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: <u>40.291220</u>	Longitude: <u>-104.567100</u>	
QtrQtr: <u>SESE</u> Sec: <u>20</u> Twp: <u>4N</u> Range: <u>64W</u> Meridian: <u>6</u> Sensitive Area? <u>Yes</u>			
Facility Type: <u>SPILL OR RELEASE</u>	Facility ID: <u>484342</u>	API #: _____	County Name: <u>WELD</u>
Facility Name: <u>Balboa Hanscome Tank Battery</u>	Latitude: <u>40.291009</u>	Longitude: <u>-104.567072</u>	
	** correct Lat/Long if needed: Latitude: <u>40.291009</u>	Longitude: <u>-104.567072</u>	
QtrQtr: <u>SESE</u> Sec: <u>20</u> Twp: <u>4N</u> Range: <u>64W</u> Meridian: <u>6</u> Sensitive Area? <u>Yes</u>			

SITE CONDITIONS

General soil type - USCS Classifications SW _____

Most Sensitive Adjacent Land Use Rangeland _____

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? No _____

Other Potential Receptors within 1/4 mile

Palustrine Wetlands 0.05mi SSW, Holding Pond 0.10 WSW
Farm Structures 0.04/0.06 SE, 0.13/0.13/0.14 W, 0.21 N, 0.23 NE, 0.12 ENE, 0.15/0.16 ESE, 0.19/0.21/0.25 SE
Residential 0.12 NE, 0.16 NNE, 0.23 N, 0.04 NW, 0.12 W, 0.04 S
No other potential receptors are located within 1/4 mile of the Site.
Above distances are approximations.

SITE INVESTIGATION PLAN

TYPE OF WASTE:

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|--|--|--|
| <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
Yes	SOILS	10'x10x3' deep (two locations)	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.

A site investigation was conducted pursuant to COGCC Rule 911 at the BALBOA HANSCOME T4N-R64W-S20 L01 Tank Battery location.

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):

Grab confirmation soil samples were collected from the produced water vessel(s) excavation, beneath the ground oil tank(s), and at the separator(s). Soil samples were analyzed by a certified laboratory for TPH (total volatile [C6-C10] and extractable [C10-C36] hydrocarbons) organic compounds in soil per ECMC Table 915-1, and EC, SAR, pH, and boron. All samples collected were analyzed by a certified laboratory using approved ECMC laboratory analysis methods.

Proposed Groundwater Sampling

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

If groundwater is encountered during the site investigation a grab groundwater sample will be collected and analyzed for all organic compounds and inorganic parameters per ECMC Table 915-1.

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):

A detailed summary of decommissioning/supplemental source mass removal activities, including field notes, site photos, figures, and laboratory analytical results, was previously attached to Form 27 document number 403559223 and Form 27 document number 403721170.

SITE INVESTIGATION REPORT

SAMPLE SUMMARY

<p>Soil</p> <p>Number of soil samples collected <u> 7 </u></p> <p>Number of soil samples exceeding 915-1 <u> 7 </u></p> <p>Was the areal and vertical extent of soil contamination delineated? Yes <u> </u></p>	<p>NA / ND</p> <p>ND Highest concentration of TPH (mg/kg) <u> </u></p> <p>-- Highest concentration of SAR <u> 0.735 </u></p> <p>BTEX > 915-1 No <u> </u></p>
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Approximate areal extent (square feet) 700

Vertical Extent > 915-1 (in feet) 2

Groundwater

Number of groundwater samples collected 0

Highest concentration of Benzene (µg/l) _____

Was extent of groundwater contaminated delineated? Yes

Highest concentration of Toluene (µg/l) _____

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

Highest concentration of Ethylbenzene (µg/l) _____

Number of groundwater monitoring wells installed _____

Highest concentration of Xylene (µg/l) _____

Number of groundwater samples exceeding 915-1 _____

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?

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?

See Remedial Action Plan

REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN

Does this Supplemental Form 27A include changes to a previously approved Remedial Action Plan? Yes

SOURCE REMOVAL SUMMARY

Describe how source is to be removed.

Impacted soil was removed from the release area at the Hanscome Balboa location by excavation. The impacted soil was disposed of at an approved landfill as non-hazardous waste in accordance with Rules 905 and 906. Copies of the waste manifests are available upon request.

REMEDICATION 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.

Excavation of impacted soil was undertaken to remove PAH impacts observed at two feet below ground surface at the former separator and produced water vault locations at the Hanscome Balboa tank battery.

The laboratory analyses indicate that organic petroleum constituents in soil samples collected from the sidewalls and floor of each excavation achieved the ECMC Table 915-1 Protection of Groundwater Soil Screening Levels (PGSSLs). However, three samples ((PWV) S01@2.5', (PWV) E01@2.5' and (PWV) W01@2.5') exceeded ECMC Table 915-1 Soil Suitability Limits for pH. Since elevated concentrations of pH were not initially observed any of the decommissioning samples it is likely that elevated pH is not attributable to an oil & gas release. The Operator resampled Table 915-1 SSR constituents in the (PWV) S01@2.5', (PWV) E01@2.5' and (PWV) W01@2.5' sample locations. The resamples and additional delineation samples exceeded the Table 915-1 concentration standards for pH. The Operator proposed four additional sample locations on Figure 2 attached to document number 404239580 to delineate pH at the site. If the sample results comply with the Table 915-1 standards the Operator will provide a comprehensive reclamation plan that includes, but is not limited to, soil analysis from adjacent undisturbed lands, revegetation techniques, site stabilization, and details of seeded species and will request NFA designation.

All samples, including local background samples exceeded ECMC Table 915-1 residential soil screening levels for arsenic (As). The concentrations of As observed in the excavation confirmation sample are less than 125% of the average background concentration (3.91 mg/kg) and it is proposed that elevated As be attributed to native soil conditions.

Soil Remediation Summary

In Situ

Ex Situ

- _____ Bioremediation (or enhanced bioremediation)
- _____ Chemical oxidation
- _____ Air sparge / Soil vapor extraction
- _____ Natural Attenuation
- _____ Other _____

- Yes _____ Excavate and offsite disposal
- _____ If Yes: Estimated Volume (Cubic Yards) _____ 10
- _____ Name of Licensed Disposal Facility or ECMC Facility ID # _____
- _____ 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.

Groundwater was not encountered.

REMEDATION 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 Timeline 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.

Noble intends to directly address the costs of remediation at the locations as part of our asset retirement obligation process and operations. Noble has general liability insurance (policy MWZZ 316714) and financial assurance in compliance with ECMC rules. Records are available on the ECMC's website. The cost for remediation is an estimate only, costs may change upwards or downward based on site-specific information. Noble makes no representation or guarantees as to the accuracy of the estimate.

Operator anticipates the remaining cost for this project to be: \$ 50000

WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

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

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

No beneficial use

Volume of E&P Waste (solid) in cubic yards 10

E&P waste (solid) description hydrocarbon impacted soil

ECMC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-ECMC Disposal Facility: Buffalo Ridge Landfill, Keenesburg, CO

Volume of E&P Waste (liquid) in barrels 0

E&P waste (liquid) description _____

ECMC Disposal Facility ID #, if applicable: _____

Non-ECMC Disposal Facility: _____

REMEDATION COMPLETION REPORT

REMEDATION 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? Yes

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. 10/31/2025

Proposed date of completion of Reclamation. 10/31/2027

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. 03/23/2022

Actual Spill or Release date, or date of discovery. 04/18/2023

SITE INVESTIGATION DATES

Date of Initial Actions described in Site Investigation Plan (start date). 03/22/2023

Proposed site investigation commencement. 11/15/2022

Proposed completion of site investigation. 03/22/2023

REMEDIAL ACTION DATES

Proposed start date of Remediation. 10/26/2023

Proposed date of completion of Remediation. 03/31/2026

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:

The implementation schedule has been changed due to the decommissioning/source mass removal of the 20-4N-64W SESE Balboa tank battery and necessity for supplemental site investigation activities adjacent to the tank battery.

OPERATOR COMMENT

This form serves to address the denial provided 10/27/2025, on document number 404350729, the denial provided on 12/19/2025, on document number 404467706, and to provide a timeline update for additional pH delineation soil sampling at the 20-4N-64W SESE Balboa TB Loc., REM 25550.

The review status of the previously proposed workplan (Doc. # 404239580) is "In Process" on Web Forms. The as directed by the COA provided on document number 404350729 the operator will not delay execution of remedial or investigative actions. Operator will complete the additional site investigation as outlined on Doc. # 404239580 and this F27 before the end of Q1 2026.

Supplemental Form 27s will be prepared and submitted on a quarterly schedule to provide updates and progress of the remediation until closure criteria has been achieved.

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

Signed: Jordan Suttles

Title: Environmental Consultant

Submit Date: _____

Email: jordans@fremontenv.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: 25550

COA Type

Description

<u>COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>
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

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>

Total Attach: 0 Files

General Comments

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