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

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Inspection Date:

05/04/2026

Submitted Date:

05/07/2026

Document Number:

714003598

FIELD INSPECTION FORM

Loc ID: 325388 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: 7650
 Name of Operator: BENSON-MONTIN-GREER DRILLING CORPORATION
 Address: 4900 COLLEGE BLVD
 City: FARMINGTON State: NM Zip: 87402

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
		zstradling@bmgdrilling.com	All Inspections

Inspected Facilities:

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
214687	WELL	PA	11/17/2021	GW	067-06291	LA POSTA CANYON 4	RI

General Comment:

On May 4th, 2026 Reclamation Specialist Corey McDonough conducted a Final Reclamation Inspection at BMG Drilling Corp's La Posta Canyon 4 location in La Plata County, Colorado.

This is a follow up inspection to inspection doc #714002167. It was noted that no FIRR document was submitted in response to previously observed corrective actions.

During the inspection the following compliance issues were observed.

- Weeds
- Debris
- Vegetation

Any Corrective Actions from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

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

Location

Overall Good:

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment:

Corrective Action:

Date: _____

Good Housekeeping:

Type

Comment: Inspection doc #714002167 observed and old anchor/cable on location and required removal by 6/3/2025. It was observed in this inspection that anchor remains on location. 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 anchor debris.

Date:

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: 214687 Type: WELL API Number: 067-06291 Status: PA Insp. Status: RI

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 _____

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 Inspection doc #714002167 observed Patches of Field Bindweed and Musk/Canada Thistle on location. It was observed in this inspection that various patches of Musk thistle and Canada thistle were observed throughout the project area.

Corrective Action Comply with rule 1003.f. Date _____

Overall Interim Reclamation **Fail**

Final Reclamation/ Abandoned Location:

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

Final Land Use: _____

Reminder: _____

Comment:

Well plugged Pass Pit mouse/rat holes, cellars backfilled _____

Debris removed Fail 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% In Cropland: perennial forage _____

Weeds present Fail Subsidence _____

1004.d. FINAL VEGETATION TRANSECT

TRANSECT RESULTS OF DISTURBED AREA% _____

TRANSECT RESULTS OF REFERENCE AREA% _____

TOTAL % OF DESIRABLE VEGETATION COVER _____

VEGETATIVE COVER _____

Comment: _____

A majority of the project area and associated access road is progressing towards 1004 vegetation standards.

However, portions of the project area including the Northwest corner and portion where sediment has deposited is struggling to establish with desirable vegetation. Additional seeding efforts are needed in these areas.

Corrective Action: **Comply with Rule 1004. Reseed areas struggling to establish using a seed mixture requested by the surface owner, or a mixture prescribed by the local county NRCS.**

Date _____

Overall Final Reclamation In Process 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: **No active erosion was observed at this time; previously identified gully erosion is filling in with vegetation. Continue monitoring and managing storm water and erosion controls to ensure compliance with storm water regulations.**

Corrective Action: _____

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
404650235	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7541445
714003609	Inspection Photos	http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=7541420