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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission**1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado 80203  
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08/10/2022

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696203926

**FIELD INSPECTION FORM**

Loc ID 312436	Inspector Name: Trujillo, Aaron	On-Site Inspection <input type="checkbox"/>	2A Doc Num: _____	<b>Status Summary:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> THIS IS A FOLLOW UP INSPECTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> NO FOLLOW UP INSPECTION REQUIRED  <b>Findings:</b> 5 Number of Comments 3 Number of Corrective Actions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corrective Action Response Requested
<b>Operator Information:</b> OGCC Operator Number: 10433 Name of Operator: LARAMIE ENERGY LLC Address: 1700 LINCOLN ST STE 3950 City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203				<b>ANY CORRECTIVE ACTION(S) FROM PREVIOUS INSPECTIONS THAT HAVE NOT BEEN ADDRESSED ARE STILL APPLICABLE</b>

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**Inspected Facilities:**

Facility ID	Type	Status	Status Date	Well Class	API Num	Facility Name	Insp Status
221599	WELL	PA	07/19/2013	GW	077-08201	PALLAORO 14-2	RI
312436	LOCATION	CL			-	PALLAORO-610S96W 14SESW	RI

**General Comment:**

On 8/10/2022, Reclamation Specialist Trujillo conducted a final reclamation inspection at Laramie Energy LLC's Pallaoro 14-2 Location in Mesa County, Colorado.

This inspection is a followup to #696202907 to document compliance with the following corrective action:

-Final Reclamation  
-Noxious Weeds  
-Stormwater

It was observed in this inspection that the Location remains out of compliance with COGCC Rules and Corrective Actions.

Refer to the "Location", "Reclamation" and "Stormwater" sections of this inspection report for additional details.

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

Any corrective action(s) from previous inspections that have not been addressed are still applicable.

A follow up inspection on this site will be conducted to ensure the compliance issues have been corrected to comply with COGCC rules.

**Location**Overall Good: ☐

Emergency Contact Number:

Comment: Corrective Action: Date: **Good Housekeeping:**

Type

WEEDS

Comment:

Inspection #696202907 observed Undesirable and Noxious Plant establishment throughout the Location. Inspection required Operator to comply with 1004.e.

It was observed in this inspection that work to control, and prevent further spread and establishment of Undesirable and Noxious Plant species has not been performed, or is inadequate. Noxious weeds have continued to spread throughout the Locaiton; CA has not been addressed and remains applicable.

Corrective Action:

Comply with Rule 1004.e and Rule 606.c. Ongoing weed monitoring/management required until site receives a passing final inspection.

Date: 07/23/2021Overall 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:	221599	Type:	WELL	API Number:	077-08201	Status:	PA	Insp. Status:	RI
Facility ID:	312436	Type:	LOCATION	API Number:	-	Status:	CL	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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Overall Interim Reclamation****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 **Fail** Contoured **Fail** Culverts removed \_\_\_\_\_

Gravel removed **Fail**

Location and associated production facilities reclaimed **Fail** Locations, facilities, roads, recontoured **Fail**

Compaction alleviation **Fail** Dust and erosion control **Fail**

Non cropland: Revegetated 80% **Fail** Cropland: perennial forage **Fail**

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:

Inspection #696202907 observed that final reclamation has not been performed on the Location and access road in accordance with COGCC 1004 Rules; Gravel has not been removed; Location and access road have not been decompacted, recontoured/regraded and revegetated; Undesirable and Noxious Plant Species observed (see "Good Housekeeping"). Inspection required Operator to comply with 1004 Rules.

It was observed in this inspection that work to comply with 1004 Rules and the corrective action has not been performed; Location has not been reclaimed; weeds have continued to establish/spread; stormwater has further degraded the Location (see stormwater)

CA has not been addressed and remains applicable.

Corrective Action: **Comply with 1004 Rules.**

Date **07/19/2014**

Overall Final Reclamation **Fail**

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 #696202907 observed erosion degradation at the cut slopes on the east end of the Location due to runoff and inadequate stormwater and erosion control measures. Inspection required Operator to Install or repair required BMPs per Rule 1002.f.(2)C.

It was observed that stormwater and erosion control BMPs remain missing or insufficient; degradation has persisted resulting in large areas of the cut slope eroding.

This CA has not been addressed and remains applicable.

Corrective Action: **Install or repair required BMPs per Rule 1002.f.(2)C**

Date: **07/16/2021**

**Pits:** ☐ NO SURFACE INDICATION OF PIT

#### **Attached Documents**

You can go to COGCC Images (<https://cogcc.state.co.us/webblink/>) and search by document number:

Document Num	Description	URL
403132936	INSPECTION SUBMITTED	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5826259">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5826259</a>
696203927	Inspection Photos	<a href="http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5826256">http://ogccweblink.state.co.us/DownloadDocumentPDF.aspx?DocumentId=5826256</a>