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State of New Mexico
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Resources Department

Oil Conservation Division
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Form C-141
Revised August 24, 2018
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	NAPP2226241849
District RP	
Facility ID	
Application ID	

Release Notification

Responsible Party

Responsible Party	Tap Rock Operating	OGRID	372043
Contact Name	Christian Combs	Contact Telephone	720-360-4028
Contact email	ccombs@taprk.com	Incident #	(assigned by OCD)
Contact mailing address	523 Park Point Dr. #200 Golden CO 80401		

Location of Release Source

Latitude 32.19560 Longitude -103.35750
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name	Prometheus Frac Line (Nearest Well: Jackson Unit 20H)	Site Type	Production/Completions
Date Release Discovered	09/12/2022	API# (if applicable)	30-025-41139

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
O	27	24S	35E	LEA

Surface Owner: ☒ State ☐ Federal ☐ Tribal ☐ Private (Name: _____)

Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) 3249 bbls	Volume Recovered (bbls) 240 bbls
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

Cause of Release

During Frac, miscommunication among field personnel caused the water transfer line to be pressured up with a valve closed. The result of this cause the line to rupture and spill approximately 3249 bbls in the pasture near the lease road. A vacuum truck was dispatched out but upon arrival some fluid had soaked into the sand, therefore only 240 bbls of fluid was recovered. The water transfer line belongs to ACE Fluids, and will be held responsible for the remediation of the release.


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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release? Volume of the Release
If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)? Email was Sent By Bill Ramsey, to OCD online email, Bratcher, Hamlet, at on 9/13/2022	

Initial Response

The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The source of the release has been stopped.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.	
If all the actions described above have <u>not</u> been undertaken, explain why:	
Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.	
I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.	
Printed Name: Bill Ramsey	Title: Environmental Specialist
Signature: 	Date: 09/19/2022
email: bramsey@taprk.com	Telephone: 720-238-2787
<u>OCD Only</u>	
Received by: Jocelyn Harimon	Date: 09/19/2022

Soil Type	Porosity	Length	Width	Depth (.083 per inch)	Cubic Feet	Estimated Barrels	Soil Type
Clay	0.15	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.22	Clay
Peat	0.40	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.59	Peat
Glacial Sediments	0.13	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.19	Glacial Sediments
Sandy Clay	0.12	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.18	Sandy Clay
Silt	0.16	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.24	Silt
Loess	0.25	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.37	Loess
Fine Sand	0.16	2525.45	543.53	0.083	113930.6	3249.36	Fine Sand
Medium Sand	0.25	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.37	Medium Sand
Coarse Sand	0.26	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.38	Coarse Sand
Gravelly Sand	0.26	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.38	Gravelly Sand
Fine Gravel	0.26	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.38	Fine Gravel
Medium Gravel	0.20	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.30	Medium Gravel
Coarse Gravel	0.18	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.27	Coarse Gravel
Sandstone	0.25	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.37	Sandstone
Siltstone	0.18	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.27	Siltstone
Shale	0.05	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.07	Shale
Limestone	0.13	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.19	Limestone
Basalt	0.19	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.28	Basalt
Volcanic Tuff	0.20	10	10	0.083	8.3	0.30	Volcanic Tuff
Standing Liquids	X	10	10	0.083	8.3	1.48	Standing Liquids

1	2	3	4	5	6
0.083	0.166	0.250	0.332	0.415	0.500
7	8	9	10	11	12
0.581	0.664	0.750	0.830	0.913	1.000

NOTE: This is an **estimate** tool designed for quick field estimates or whether a C-141 should be required (i.e. a release is estimated to be greater than or less than 5 barrel volumes)

Choose the one prevailing ground type for estimating spill volumes at a single location.

Note that the depth should be measured in feet and tenths of feet (1 inch = .083)

$$\text{Cubic Feet} = L \times W \times D$$

$$\text{Estimated Barrels} = ((\text{Cubic Feet} \times \text{Porosity}) / 5.61)$$

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CONDITIONS

Action 144479

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Operator: TAP ROCK OPERATING, LLC 523 Park Point Drive Golden, CO 80401	OGRID: 372043
	Action Number: 144479
	Action Type: [C-141] Release Corrective Action (C-141)

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Created By	Condition	Condition Date
jharimon	None	9/19/2022