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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural
Resources Department

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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

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| Incident ID | NAPP2132242126 |
| District RP | |
| Facility ID | |
| Application ID | |

Release Notification

Responsible Party

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| Responsible Party: Tap Rock Operating | OGRID: 372043 |
| Contact Name: Bill Ramsey | Contact Telephone: 720-238-2787 |
| Contact email: bramsey@taprk.com | Incident # (assigned by OCD): nAPP2132242126 |
| Contact mailing address: 523 Park Point Drive, Suite 200 Golden, CO 80401 | |

Location of Release Source

Latitude 32.002738 Longitude -103.841578
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

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| Site Name: Nailed It Fed Com CTB B | Site Type: Tank Battery |
| Date Release Discovered: 11/17/2021 | API# (if applicable): 30-015-46857 |

| Unit Letter | Section | Township | Range | County |
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| E | 36 | 26S | 30E | EDDY |

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)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil | Volume Released (bbls) | Volume Recovered (bbls) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Produced Water | Volume Released (bbls) | Volume Recovered (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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) | Volume/Weight Released (provide units) 60 bbls of distillate | Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units) 60 bbls of distillate |

Cause of Release:


At approximately 7:05 p.m. on the 17th of November, 2021 the onsite flowback crew was overseeing flowback operations when the frac tank being used as the gas buster ignited and began to burn. The on-site personnel evacuated to the muster area at the northeast corner of the location and then moved further away to the adjoining location to the north. Once there they contacted the local fire department for assistance in at which they arrived on location at 8:45 p.m. extinguishing the fire using fire suppression foam and departed at 9:00 p.m. It is believed that the cause of ignition was a flash gas at the diverter that traveled down into the Frac tank igniting the entire tank. 60 bbls of distillate were estimated to be in the tank prior to ignition and no liquid was spilled outside of the tank.

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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? This is a major release per 19.15.29.7(A) as this release resulted in a fire. |
| If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)? Immediate notice was made the morning of 11/18/2021 via phone call and email from Bill Ramsey to Mike Bratcher at the NMOCD. Notice of Release was also filed through epermitting on 11/18/2021. | |

Initial Response

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

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| <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: <u>Bill Ramsey</u> Title: <u>Regulatory Analyst</u> Signature: <u></u> Date: <u>11/18/2021</u> email: <u>bramsey@taprk.com</u> Telephone: <u>720-238-2787</u> |
| <u>OCD Only</u> Received by: <u>Ramona Marcus</u> Date: <u>11/18/2021</u> |

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CONDITIONS

Action 62518

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| Operator: TAP ROCK OPERATING, LLC 523 Park Point Drive Golden, CO 80401 | OGRID: 372043 |
| | Action Number: 62518 |
| | Action Type: [C-141] Release Corrective Action (C-141) |

CONDITIONS

| Created By | Condition | Condition Date |
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| marcus | When submitting future reports regarding this release, please submit the calculations used or specific justification for the volumes reported on the initial C-141 | 11/18/2021 |