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Energy Minerals and Natural  
Resources Department  
  
Oil Conservation Division  
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Form C-141  
Revised August 24, 2018  
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	NAPP2121858121
District RP	
Facility ID	
Application ID	

## Release Notification

### Responsible Party

Responsible Party <b>TapRock Operating LLC</b>	OGRID <b>372043</b>
Contact Name <b>Christian Combs</b>	Contact Telephone <b>(720) 360-4028</b>
Contact email <b>ccombs@taprk.com</b>	Incident # <i>(assigned by OCD)</i>
Contact mailing address <b>523 Park Point Dr #200</b>	<b>Golden CO, 80401</b>

### Location of Release Source

Latitude 32.002090 Longitude -104.001657  
*(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)*

Site Name <b>Money Graham CTB (closest well Money Graham Fed Com CTB)</b>	Site Type <b>Production Facility</b>
Date Release Discovered <b>8/5/2021</b>	API# <i>(if applicable)</i> <b>30-015-46220</b>

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
<b>H</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>26S</b>	<b>29E</b>	<b>Eddy</b>

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls) <b>25bbls</b>	Volume Recovered (bbls) <b>20bbls</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) <b>5213bbls</b>	Volume Recovered (bbls) <b>5020bbls</b>
	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

**The release occurred due to multiple PLC alarm failures. High level alarms did not activate, causing the disposal pump to not open, the tanks then flowed into the slop tank. With the amount of fluid moving to the slop tank, the slope tank began to breach at the top hatch. Release was not found until personnel arrive at the site and they activated the facility ESD to shut in wells. The fluid released into the lined containment which then overflowed onto the facility pad and pasture area. Vacuum trucks were dispatched to location to recover the standing fluid.**

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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? <b>Amount of fluid that was released.</b>
If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)? <b>Once the release and recovery volumes were received an email was sent to both the BLM and the NMOCD. Email was sent to the OCD online email, Mike Bratcher with the OCD and to the BLM CFO email as well as to Jim Amos.</b>	

### 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: <u>Natalie Gladden</u> Title: <u>Director of Environmental and Regulatory</u>
Signature: <u></u> Date: <u>08/06/2021</u>
email: <u>natalie@energystaffingllc.com</u> Telephone: <u>575-390-6397</u>
<b><u>OCD Only</u></b>
Received by: <u>Ramona Marcus</u> Date: <u>8/9/2021</u>

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<b>SPILL CALCULATOR</b>			
<b>LOCATION</b>	MONEY GRAHAM FED COM CTB		
<b>DATE</b>	8/5/2021	<b>TIME</b>	8:37
<b>PAD AND PASTURE AREA</b>		<b>FACILITY CONTAINMENT</b>	
SQUARE FT	240014	SQUARE FT	11047
DEPTH	.2"	DEPTH	2' 3"
CUBIC FT	4000.233	CUBIC FT	25408.1
GALLONS	29923.82	GALLONS	190065.787
BBLS	712.47	BBLS	4525.38

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CONDITIONS  
 Action 40491

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Operator: TAP ROCK OPERATING, LLC 523 Park Point Drive Golden, CO 80401	OGRID: 372043
	Action Number: 40491
	Action Type: [C-141] Release Corrective Action (C-141)

**CONDITIONS**

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
marcus	When submitting a C-141, please include the date your email was sent to OCD staff regarding notification of release.	8/9/2021