



OKLAHOMA Environmental Quality

Environmental Issues at Medical
Marijuana Grow Facilities

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Roadmap



DEQ Complaint Process



Complaint Stats



Typical Issues observed within DEQ jurisdiction



Photos from the field



Cooperation with partner agencies

Complaint Process

Complaint received (from public, OBN, OMMA)

DEQ conducts inspection

DEQ initiates enforcement (Notice of Violation, Administrative Order)

DEQ conducts reinspection(s) to ensure issues are addressed

DEQ closes enforcement when issues are resolved

Complaint Statistics

Total complaints DEQ has worked at MM sites: 517

Complaints referred to OBN: 46

Complaints referred to OMMA: 21

Complaints referred to ODAFF: 4

Complaints investigated but unresolved: 0

Common Environmental Issues Observed



Open Dumping



Open Burning



Surfacing Sewage



Improper Industrial
Wastewater Discharge















147 SE
2801 N Meridian Ave
Crescent OK 73028
Speed: 0.0 mph
ES: Kambridge Stephens









Nov 8, 2022 at 10:33:28 AM
+36.227695,-96.502904





36.1153N 96.7187W
300° NW
ES: Kory Collier
Feb 9, 2023 9:22:55 AM









Jun 17, 2026 at 11:40:43 AM
Kaw City OK 74641
United States



Sep 28, 2026 at 11:19:38 AM
Kaw City OK 74641
United States



Sep 28, 2026 at 11:19:54 AM
Kaw City OK 74641
United States



Sep 28, 2026 at 11:19:17 AM
Kaw City OK 74641
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Issues after abandonment:



Once a facility is abandoned, most environmental issues cease to exist.



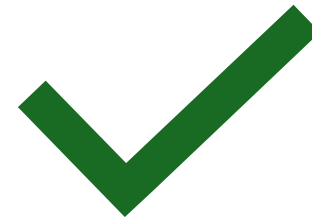
The remaining issue under the Department's jurisdiction is the solid waste.

Agency Coordination



See something, say something

Complaints hotline 800-522-0206



Agency collaboration to address issues before facilities are abandoned.

Frequent Communication and Coordination

Notifications upon receipt of complaints

Fact sheets