

## ELOG PARTNER PROFILE

# Blac Frac Tanks, Inc.

Parachute, Colorado & Arnegard, North Dakota

OIL FIELD SERVICE AND RENTAL  
20 DRIVERS

50 VEHICLES, 300+ TRAILERS  
MIXED FLEET



*“We wanted our drivers to be as efficient as possible. Now, with J. J. Keller® Mobile® and Encompass® fleet management system, drivers can spend more time working and less time filling out paperwork.”*

— MARK NAVE, SAFETY MANAGER

Blac Frac Tanks, Inc. was established in 1994, and is known for designing and fabricating specialized equipment to overcome challenges in the ever-changing oil and gas industry. They also provide diversified services such as completions, work-overs, plug and abandon, water treatment, and more.

According to Safety Manager Mark Nave, Blac Frac Tanks is constantly striving to increase efficiency of operations while maintaining compliance. In 2007, Nave turned to J. J. Keller's **Encompass® fleet management system** for a paperless, electronic solution that would be environmentally responsible and aid in its compliance efforts.

“Before **Encompass**, drivers had to complete daily logs and field tickets by hand,” Nave said. “Internally, we hand-audited all our logs to make sure there were no violations. Since drivers didn't use a ruler on the logs, trying to figure them out was ... well, those days were long, typically 8 hours a day, 3 days a week.

“With **Encompass® fleet management system**, drivers don't have to fill out logs, field tickets, and time cards. We don't even have a time clock! We utilize **Encompass** for everything.”

Nave and his employees have found ways to streamline other job functions as well:

- Nave tracks first-aid/CPR training through scheduled alerts and notifications.
- Mechanics add comments electronically regarding which trucks or trailers they are working on. Mechanics receive notification emails if a truck needs repairs.
- Drivers complete logs and pre- and post-trip inspections via J. J. Keller® ELogs.
- Inventory utilizes **Encompass** to catalog and maintain all safety equipment.
- Payroll uses **Encompass** for all reports, including calculating total hours for all employees, including office personnel, mechanics, welders and drivers.

Since implementing J. J. Keller's **Encompass® with ELogs**, Blac Frac Tanks, Inc. has achieved:



**5,718 Hours**  
Driver Hours Saved  
Per Year On Paperwork



**Over 50%**  
Time Saved Auditing  
Logs, Field Tickets,  
and Time Sheets



**Reduced**  
Workload &  
Overhead Costs



**Improved**  
HOS BASIC score



We're proud to call Blac Frac Tanks, Inc. a compliance partner, and we celebrate Mark's success.

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