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[List of Wells with Approved APD.pdf](#)

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Mike

Lime Rock does not need this variance approved by OCD for several weeks. The first need of Lime Rock is to obtain approval from OCD of the permit – the review of the variance can follow.

Upon authorization from the SLO to begin excavation of caliche in support of constructing the pit, Lime Rock will start work. We anticipate this approval before this Friday. The need to get this pit into operation is critical to maintain their drilling schedule.

Also attached is an updated list of wells with approved APDs that should be linked to the approved MWFM Pit Permit.

Thanks Mike. Please call

David Hamilton at 505-266 5004 if you have any general questions regarding the permit  
Erica Hart at Pettigrew if you have any questions regarding the stability analysis from the geotechnical borings.

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