

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Sent: Tuesday, February 09, 2016 8:14 AM
To: 'Tucker, Shelly'; Zack Thomas
Cc: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
Subject: RE: Santo Nino 29 SWD #1

RE: Mewbourne * Santo Nino 29 Fed SWD 5 (aka Santo Nino 29 Fed 1) * 30-015-28698
2RP-3194 * Date of release: 6/3/2015

Zack,

OCD concurs with BLM approval to install liner and commence backfill operations. Please note there is a discrepancy in the well name in OCD's database. That issue will be resolved with other OCD and Mewbourne staff.

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, and for notification, please contact me.

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From: Tucker, Shelly [mailto:stucker@blm.gov]
Sent: Friday, February 05, 2016 11:29 AM
To: Zack Thomas
Cc: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Subject: Re: Santo Nino 29 SWD #1

BLM accepts/approves your closure request. Liner must be installed prior to backfill.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

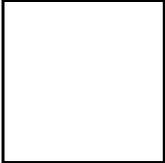
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On Fri, Feb 5, 2016 at 11:24 AM, Zack Thomas <zthomas@mewbourne.com> wrote:

Shelly,

Sample 1 area was excavated to 4' like the work plan specified. All the sample results are from bottom hole of each sample location. Sample ID:1 is from point 1 on the work plan, sample ID:2 from point 2 and so on and so forth. SP 1, 2, 5, and 8 will have a 20 mil liner installed.

Zack Thomas

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To: Zack Thomas
Cc: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Subject: Re: Santo Nino 29 SWD #1

I have a question...Sample ID: 1 is showing chlorides at 23,200mg/kg...?? Was that removed?
Depth? Location?

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Sincerely,

Shelly J Tucker

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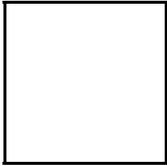
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On Fri, Feb 5, 2016 at 11:13 AM, Zack Thomas <zthomas@mewbourne.com> wrote:

The work plan was just for a quick quick reference for yall to look at.

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 5, 2016, at 11:05 AM, Tucker, Shelly <stucker@blm.gov> wrote:

Ok....maybe I haven't had enough coffee or I need to add something to it, but I am very confused...this email contains a closure report and a work plan for the same site...??

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Sincerely,

Shelly J Tucker

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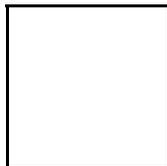
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On Fri, Feb 5, 2016 at 10:15 AM, Zack Thomas <zthomas@mewbourne.com> wrote:

If you have any questions or concerns let me know. Thank you.

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