

## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Tucker, Shelly <stucker@blm.gov>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 3, 2017 11:16 AM  
**To:** Emily Sirgo  
**Cc:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD  
**Subject:** Re: Maverick Operating, LLC - PLU 36

BLM agrees with the NMOCD.

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

Sincerely,

*Shelly J Tucker*

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On Tue, May 2, 2017 at 3:22 PM, Emily Sirgo <[emily@mogc-kec.com](mailto:emily@mogc-kec.com)> wrote:

Thanks for the info. I will have them do the delineation and write up a remediation proposal to review.

*Emily C. Sirgo*

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**From:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD [mailto:[mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us)]  
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**Subject:** RE: Maverick Operating, LLC - PLU 36

RE: 2RP-4136

Emily,

Thanks for the e-versions. The analytical data submitted indicates that chloride levels are above acceptable limits at three sample points (S1, S2 & S3). We need to know, as close as practicable, where it cleans up. That delineation will be the basis for any additional clean up at the site. Talon had indicated that they met "refusal" at the indicated depths, but I believe that was using a hand auger. They will need to go back with a backhoe or other equipment to get deeper samples. You probably need to have Talon (or another environmental company if you choose) to do the delineation and write up a remediation proposal. Talon and most of the other environmental companies that work in this area are familiar with what OCD and BLM require for remediation in various areas of SE New Mexico. As far as reporting, just copy everyone on this email and you will have OCD and BLM covered. I can't accept the Final C-141 at this time.

Hopefully I have answered your questions, but if not, let me know.

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**From:** Emily Sirgo [<mailto:emily@mogc-kec.com>]  
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**Cc:** Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD <[Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us](mailto:Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** Maverick Operating, LLC - PLU 36

Shelly/Mike- attached is the original C-141, electronic lab results & site diagram which was handled by David Adkins at Talon LPE. Please let me know what it is I need to do next and what kind of data you need. I am not familiar with this type of remediation or the process of reporting.

Thanks

*Emily C. Sirgo*

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**Subject:** Re: Maverick Operating, LLC - PLU 36

Emily,

This release occurred on federal surface. Please ensure the BLM is copied on all correspondence regarding this release. You will also need to obtain authorization from us before commencing with remedial activities.

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

Sincerely,

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On Tue, May 2, 2017 at 10:58 AM, Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <[mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us)> wrote:

RE: Maverick Operating \* Poker Lake UT 36 \* **2RP-4136** \* DOR: Discovered 2/26/17

Emily,

I have received the analytical data for the PLU 36, but I do need an electronic version of it also. Based on the data, OCD will require additional chloride delineation at all sample points except S4.

If you have any questions, let me know.

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Hi Mike,

I sent in the requested info from you after hiring a third party environmental company for the poker lake 36 that should be coming in to your district office. Please advise me what I need to do after you have received. Is there anything else that you are missing from us at Maverick Operating?

Thanks,

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