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Sent: Wednesday, June 20, 2018 12:26 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Cc: Cliff Brunson; Wade Dittrich; rebecca_moore@oxy.com; Ken Swinney; Jennifer Gilkey; Katherine Purvis
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] RE: OXY - Cedar Canyon 28 Federal #4 (2RP-2431) - Delineation Workplan
Attachments: image001.jpg

BLM concurs with NMOCD approval.

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

Sincerely,

Shelly J Tucker

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NOTE: LPC Timing Stipulations - from March 1st through June 15th. Please plan remedial activities accordingly. Check for African Rue...treat (before it gets out of control).

On Wed, Jun 20, 2018 at 12:06 PM Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <mike.bratcher@state.nm.us> wrote:

RE: OXY USA * Cedar Canyon 28 Fed 4 * **2RP-2431** * DOR: 7/21/14

All,

This proposal for remediation of the above referenced release is approved. Please advise once remedial activities have been scheduled. Federal sites will require like approval from BLM.

Please note, OCD records indicate this site has two other release incidents open:

- **2RP-2868** * DOR: 3/01/15
- **2RP-4363** * DOR: 8/17/17

Thank you,

Mike Bratcher

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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.

From: Cliff Brunson <cbrunson@bbcinternational.com>

Sent: Sunday, June 17, 2018 9:08 PM

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Subject: OXY - Cedar Canyon 28 Federal #4 (2RP-2431) - Delineation Workplan

Mike,

Please find the attached Delineation Workplan and remediation proposal for the OXY Cedar Canyon 28 Federal #4 (2RP-2431) that we discussed in your office on June 8, 2018. OXY is looking forward to the OCD's approval.

Shelly – OXY requests that you review this plan and look forward to the BLM’s approval as well. Shelly, this leak is very old, and it was drilled and chloride impact was consistent to depth. This project was kind of lost and our apologies. This area is near the Malaga Bend and salt mining areas. The release was only 10 barrels. Mike has agreed to a 2-foot excavation so that we may proceed and close out this old release. If you have any questions, just let me know and we can discuss. I look forward to your approval.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks, Cliff

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