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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144  
Revised June 6, 2013

For temporary pits, below-grade tanks, and multi-well fluid management pits, submit to the appropriate NMOC District Office.  
For permanent pits submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOC District Office.

Pit, Below-Grade Tank, or  
Proposed Alternative Method Permit or Closure Plan Application

14259 Type of action: ☐ Below grade tank registration  
☐ Permit of a pit or proposed alternative method  
☒ Closure of a pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method  
☐ Modification to an existing permit/or registration  
☐ Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

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**Instructions:** Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, below-grade tank or alternative request

Please be advised that approval of this request does not relieve the operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does approval relieve the operator of its responsibility to comply with any other applicable governmental authority's rules, regulations or ordinances.

1.  
Operator: ConocoPhillips Company OGRID #: 217817  
Address: PO BOX 4289, Farmington, NM 87499  
Facility or well name: BLANCO WASH FEDERAL 1 (Tank 1)  
API Number: 30-045-07099 OCD Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
U/L or Qtr/Qtr N Section 26 Township 28 N Range 9 W County: San Juan  
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 36.62883 °N Longitude 107.761250 °W NAD: ☐ 1927 ☒ 1983  
Surface Owner: ☒ Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☐ Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

Constituents Exceed Standards outline by 19.15.17.13 NMAC. Please submit a separate C-141 under 19.15.29 NMAC

BGT Closed Prior to Closure Plan Approval.

2.  
☐ **Pit:** Subsection F, G or J of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  
Temporary: ☐ Drilling ☐ Workover  
☐ Permanent ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A ☐ Multi-Well Fluid Management Low Chloride Drilling Fluid ☐ yes ☐ no  
☐ Lined ☐ Unlined Liner type: Thickness \_\_\_\_\_ mil ☐ LLDPE ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ String-Reinforced  
Liner Seams: ☐ Welded ☐ Factory ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ Volume: \_\_\_\_\_ bbl Dimensions: L \_\_\_\_\_ x W \_\_\_\_\_ x D \_\_\_\_\_

3.  
☒ **Below-grade tank:** Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  
Volume: Max 120 bbl Type of fluid: Produced Water  
Tank Construction material: Metal  
☐ Secondary containment with leak detection ☐ Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off  
☒ Visible sidewalls and liner ☐ Visible sidewalls only ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Liner type: Thickness \_\_\_\_\_ mil ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☒ Other UNSPECIFIED

This location has two Below Grade Tanks. This report is for Tank 1.

4.  
☐ **Alternative Method:**  
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

5.  
**Fencing:** Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pits, temporary pits, and below-grade tanks)  
☐ Chain link, six feet in height, two strands of barbed wire at top (Required if located within 1000 feet of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church)  
☐ Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet  
☐ Alternate. Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

6.

**Netting:** Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (*Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks*)

- ☐ Screen ☐ Netting ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Monthly inspections (If netting or screening is not physically feasible)

7.

**Signs:** Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC

- ☐ 12"x 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers
- ☐ Signed in compliance with 19.15.16.8 NMAC

8.

**Variations and Exceptions:**

Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for guidance.

*Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank:*

- ☐ Variance(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district for consideration of approval.
- ☐ Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

9.

**Siting Criteria (regarding permitting):** 19.15.17.10 NMAC

**Instructions:** The applicant must demonstrate compliance for each siting criteria below in the application. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks.

**General siting**

**Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of a low chloride temporary pit or below-grade tank.**

- ☐ NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; ☐ USGS; ☐ Data obtained from nearby wells

☐ Yes ☐ No  
☒ NA

**Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of a Temporary pit, permanent pit, or Multi-Well Fluid Management pit.**

NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells

☐ Yes ☐ No  
☒ NA

Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within an unstable area. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within a 100-year floodplain. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- FEMA map

☐ Yes ☐ No

**Below Grade Tanks**

Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, significant watercourse, lake bed, sinkhole, wetland or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for public or livestock consumption;

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☒ No

**Temporary Pit using Low Chloride Drilling Fluid** (maximum chloride content 15,000 mg/liter)

Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). (Applies to low chloride temporary pits.)

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 300 feet from a occupied permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, or 300feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of the initial application.

NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No



Within 100 feet of a wetland.

- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

### **Temporary Pit Non-low chloride drilling fluid**

Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse, or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, or 1000 feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in the existence at the time of the initial application;

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 300 feet of a wetland.

- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

### **Permanent Pit or Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit**

Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application.

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 500 feet of a wetland.

- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

10.

#### **Temporary Pits, Emergency Pits, and Below-grade Tanks Permit Application Attachment Checklist:** Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

**Instructions:** Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☐ Hydrogeologic Report (Below-grade Tanks) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- ☐ Hydrogeologic Data (Temporary and Emergency Pits) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (2) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- ☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- ☐ Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- ☐ Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API Number: \_\_\_\_\_ or Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

11.

#### **Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit Checklist:** Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

**Instructions:** Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☐ Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- ☐ A List of wells with approved application for permit to drill associated with the pit.
- ☐ Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Hydrogeologic Data - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC

☐ Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API Number: \_\_\_\_\_ or Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_



12. **Permanent Pits Permit Application Checklist:** Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

**Instructions:** Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☐ Hydrogeologic Report - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (1) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- ☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- ☐ Climatological Factors Assessment
- ☐ Certified Engineering Design Plans - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Dike Protection and Structural Integrity Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Leak Detection Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Liner Specifications and Compatibility Assessment - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Quality Control/Quality Assurance Construction and Installation Plan
- ☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- ☐ Freeboard and Overtopping Prevention Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Nuisance or Hazardous Odors, including H<sub>2</sub>S, Prevention Plan
- ☐ Emergency Response Plan
- ☐ Oil Field Waste Stream Characterization
- ☐ Monitoring and Inspection Plan
- ☐ Erosion Control Plan
- ☐ Closure Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

13. **Proposed Closure:** 19.15.17.13 NMAC

**Instructions:** Please complete the applicable boxes, Boxes 14 through 18, in regards to the proposed closure plan.

- Type: ☐ Drilling ☐ Workover ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A ☐ Permanent Pit ☐ Below-grade Tank ☐ Multi-well Fluid Management Pit  
☐ Alternative
- Proposed Closure Method: ☒ Waste Excavation and Removal  
☐ Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)  
☐ On-site Closure Method (Only for temporary pits and closed-loop systems)  
☐ In-place Burial ☐ On-site Trench Burial  
☐ Alternative Closure Method

14. **Waste Excavation and Removal Closure Plan Checklist:** (19.15.17.13 NMAC) **Instructions:** Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☒ Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☒ Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☒ Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings)
- ☒ Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☒ Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☒ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

15. **Siting Criteria (regarding on-site closure methods only):** 19.15.17.10 NMAC

**Instructions:** Each siting criteria requires a demonstration of compliance in the closure plan. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria require justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.

Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Ground water is between 25-50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Ground water is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 feet of a wetland. US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance	



adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within an unstable area. - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

16.  
**On-Site Closure Plan Checklist:** (19.15.17.13 NMAC) *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

<input type="checkbox"/> Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of Surface Owner Notice - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection K of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Construction/Design Plan of Temporary Pit (for in-place burial of a drying pad) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings or in case on-site closure standards cannot be achieved)
<input type="checkbox"/> Soil Cover Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
<input type="checkbox"/> Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

17.  
**Operator Application Certification:**  
 I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

18.  
**OCD Approval:** ☐ Permit Application (including closure plan) ☒ Closure Plan (only) ☒ OCD Conditions (see attachment) **See Front Page**

OCD Representative Signature: Jonathan D. Kelly Approval Date: 6/27/2016

Title: Compliance Officer OCD Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

19.  
**Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion):** 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
*Instructions: Operators are required to obtain an approved closure plan prior to implementing any closure activities and submitting the closure report. The closure report is required to be submitted to the division within 60 days of the completion of the closure activities. Please do not complete this section of the form until an approved closure plan has been obtained and the closure activities have been completed.*

☒ Closure Completion Date: 1/29/14

20.  
**Closure Method:**  
☒ Waste Excavation and Removal ☐ On-Site Closure Method ☐ Alternative Closure Method ☐ Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)  
☐ If different from approved plan, please explain.

21.  
**Closure Report Attachment Checklist:** *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure report. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Proof of Closure Notice (surface owner and division)
<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of Deed Notice (required for on-site closure for private land only)
<input type="checkbox"/> Plot Plan (for on-site closures and temporary pits)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Confirmation Sampling Analytical Results (if applicable)
<input type="checkbox"/> Waste Material Sampling Analytical Results (required for on-site closure)
<input type="checkbox"/> Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)

On-site Closure Location: Latitude °N Longitude °W NAD: ☐ 1927 ☐ 1983

**Operator Closure Certification:**

I hereby certify that the information and attachments submitted with this closure report is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that the closure complies with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.

Name (Print): Kelly G. Roberts Title: Regulatory Technician

Signature:  Date: 12/21/15

e-mail address: Kelly.Roberts@cop.com Telephone: (505) 326-9775



**ConocoPhillips Company**  
**San Juan Basin**  
**Below Grade Tank Closure Report**

**Lease Name: Blanco Wash Federal 1 (North Tank # 1)**

**API No.: 30-045-07099**

In accordance with Rule 19.15.17.13 NMAC the following information describes the closure of the below-grade tank referenced above. All proper documentation regarding closure activities is being included with the C-144.

General Plan:

1. COPC shall close a below-grade tank within 60 days of cessation of operations per Subsection G.4 of 19.15.17.13 NMAC. This will include a) below-grade tanks that do not meet the requirements of Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC or is not included in Paragraph (5) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC within five years, if not retrofitted to comply with Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC; b) an earlier date that the division requires because of imminent danger to fresh water, public health or the environment. For any closure, COPC will file the C144 Closure Report as required.

**The below-grade tank referenced above was permitted and closed within 60 days of cessation of the below-grade tanks operation.**

2. COPC shall remove liquids and sludge from a below-grade tank prior to implementing a closure method and shall dispose of the liquids and sludge in a division-approved facility. The facilities to be used will be Basin Disposal (Permit #NM-01-005), JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B) and Envirotech Land Farm (Permit #NM-01-011). The liner after being cleaned well (Subsection D, Paragraph 1, Subparagraph (m) of 19.15.9.712 NMAC) will be disposed of at the San Juan County Regional Landfill located on CR 3100.

**All recovered liquids were disposed of at Basin Disposal (Permit #NM-01-005) and any sludge or soil required to be removed to facilitate closure was hauled to Envirotech Land Farm (Permit #NM-01-011) and JFJ Landfarm % IEI (Permit #NM-01-0010B). The liner was cleaned per Subsection D, Paragraph 1, Subparagraph (m) of 19.15.9.712 NMAC was disposed of at the San Juan County Regional Landfill located on CR 3100.**

3. COPC will receive prior approval to remove the below-grade tank and dispose of it in a division-approved facility or recycle, reuse, or reclaim it in a manner that the appropriate division district office approves.

**The below-grade tank was disposed of in a division-approved manner.**

4. If there is any on-site equipment associated with a below-grade tank, then COPC shall remove the equipment, unless the equipment is required for some other purpose.

**All on-site equipment associated with the below-grade tank was removed.**

5. COPC will test the soils beneath the below-grade tank to determine whether a release has occurred. COPC shall collect, at a minimum, a five point, composite sample; collect individual grab samples from any area that is wet, discolored or showing other evidence of a release; and analyzed for the constituents listed in Table I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC. COPC shall notify the division of its results on form C-141.

A five point composite sample was taken of the below-grade tank using sampling tools and all samples tested per Subsection B of 19.15.17.1 3(B)(1)(b). (Sample results attached). Form C-141 is attached.

Components	Tests Method	Limit (mg/kg)
Benzene	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	0.2
BTEX	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	50
TPH	EPA SW-846 418.1	100
Chlorides	EPA 300.0	250

6. If COPC or the division determines that a release has occurred, then COPC shall comply with 19.15.3.116 NMAC and 19.15.1.19 NMAC, as appropriate.

**A release was not determined for the above referenced well.**

7. If the sampling program demonstrates that a release has not occurred or that any release does not exceed the concentrations specified in Table I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, then COPC shall backfill the excavation with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material; construct a division-prescribed soil cover; recontour and re-vegetate the site.

**The below-grade tank area passed all requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC and was backfilled with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material.**

8. Notice of Closure will be given prior to closure to the Aztec Division office between 72 hours and one week via email or verbally. The notification of closure will include the following:
- Operator's name
  - Location by Unit Letter, Section, Township, and Range. Well name and API number.

**Notification of closure was not provided to the Aztec Division office between 72 hours and one week prior to closure.**

9. The surface owner shall be notified of COPC's closing of the below-grade tank 72 hours, but not more than one week, prior to closure as per the approved closure plan via certified mail, return receipt requested.

**The closure process notification to the landowner was not found**

10. Re-contouring of location will match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding. Re-shaping will include drainage control, prevent ponding, and prevent erosion. Natural drainages will be unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps will be place in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final re-contour shall have a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.

**The below-grade tank area was re-contoured to match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding area. Re-shaping including drainage control, to prevent ponding and erosion. Natural drainages were unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps were placed in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final recontour has a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.**

11. COPC shall seed the disturbed areas the first favorable growing season following closure of a below-grade tank. Seeding will be accomplished via drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other division-approved methods. BLM stipulated seed mixes will used on federally regulated lands and division-approved seed mixtures (administratively approved if required) will be utilized on all State or private lands. A uniform vegetative cover has been established that reflects a life-form ratio of plus or minus fifty percent (50%) of pre- disturbance levels and a total percent plant cover of at least seventy percent (70%) of pre-disturbance levels, excluding noxious weeds. If alternate seed mix is required by the state, private owner or tribe, it will be implemented with administrative approval if needed. COPC will repeat seeding or planting will be continued until successful vegetative growth occurs.



**Provision 13 was accomplished through complying with BLM seeding requirements as allowed by the BLM/OCD MOU.**

12. A minimum of four feet of cover shall be achieved and the cover shall include one foot of suitable material, with chloride concentrations less than 600 mg/kg as analyzed by EPA Method 300.0, to establish vegetation at the site, or the background thickness of topsoil, whichever is greater.

**The below-grade tank area was backfilled and more than four feet of cover was achieved and the cover included one foot of suitable material to establish vegetation at the site.**

13. All closure activities will include proper documentation and be available for review upon request and will be submitted to OCD within 60 days of closure of the below-grade tank. Closure report will be filed on C-144 and incorporate the following:
  - Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation **(See Report)**
  - Re-vegetation application rates and seeding techniques **(See Report)**
  - Photo documentation of the site reclamation **(Included as an attachment)**
  - Confirmation Sampling Results **(Included as an attachment)**
  - Proof of closure notice **(Included as an attachment)**

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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office to  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

### Release Notification and Corrective Action

#### OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company <b>ConocoPhillips Company</b>	Contact <b>Crystal Walker</b>	
Address <b>3401 East 30<sup>th</sup> St, Farmington, NM</b>	Telephone No. <b>(505) 326-9837</b>	
Facility Name: <b>BLANCO WASH FEDERAL 1</b>	Facility Type: <b>Gas Well</b>	
Surface Owner <b>Federal</b>	Mineral Owner <b>Federal</b>	API No. <b>30-045-07099</b>

#### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
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Latitude 36.628187 Longitude -107.761252

#### NATURE OF RELEASE


Type of Release	Volume of Release	Volume Recovered
Source of Release	Date and Hour of Occurrence	Date and Hour of Discovery
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*  
**N/A**

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
**No release was encountered during the BGT Closure.**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
**N/A**

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: 	<u>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</u>	
Printed Name: <b>Kelly G. Roberts</b>	Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: <b>Regulatory Technician</b>	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: <b>Kelly.Roberts@cop.com</b>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <u>12/21/15</u> Phone: (505) 326-9775		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary





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February 27, 2014

Lindsay Dumas  
ConocoPhillips  
San Juan Business Unit  
Office 214-07  
5525 Hwy 64  
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Via electronic mail to: [SJBUE-Team@ConocoPhillips.com](mailto:SJBUE-Team@ConocoPhillips.com)

**RE: Below Grade Tank Closure Report  
Blanco Wash Federal #1  
San Juan County, New Mexico**

Dear Ms. Dumas:

Animas Environmental Services, LLC (AES) is pleased to provide the final report associated with two below grade tank (BGT) closures at ConocoPhillips (CoP) Blanco Wash Federal #1, located in San Juan County, New Mexico. Removal of tanks had been completed by CoP contractors prior to AES' arrival at the location.

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## 1.0 Site Information

### 1.1 Location

Site Name – Blanco Wash Federal #1

Legal Description – SE¼ SW¼, Section 26, T28N, R9W, San Juan County, New Mexico

Well Latitude/Longitude – N36.62799 and W107.76091, respectively

North BGT Latitude/Longitude – N36.62814 and W107.76122, respectively

South BGT Latitude/Longitude – N36.62791 and W107.76122, respectively

Land Jurisdiction – Bureau of Land Management (BLM)

Figure 1. Topographic Site Location Map

Figure 2. Aerial Site Map, January 2014

### 1.2 NMOCD Ranking

In accordance with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) *Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills, and Releases* (August 1993), the location was given a ranking score of 20 based on the following factors:

- **Depth to Groundwater:** A cathodic protection report form dated December 1991 for the Lackey H #709, located 235 feet west and at the same elevation, reported the depth to groundwater as 110 feet below ground surface (bgs). (0 points)
- **Wellhead Protection Area:** The tank locations are not within a wellhead protection area. (0 points)
- **Distance to Surface Water Body:** Blanco Wash is located approximately 190 feet northeast of the location. (20 points)

### 1.3 BGT Closure Assessment

AES was initially contacted by Dan Rudder, CoP representative, on January 28, 2014, and on January 29, 2014, Deborah Watson and Jesse Sprague of AES mobilized to the location. AES personnel collected six soil samples from below the BGT liner of each BGT. Four samples were collected from the perimeter of each BGT footprint, one sample was collected from the center of each BGT footprint, and one sample was composited from the four perimeter samples and one center sample of each BGT.

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## 2.0 Soil Sampling

On January 29, 2014, AES personnel conducted field screening and collected ten soil samples (S-1 through S-10) and two 5-point composites (SC-1 and SC-2) from below the BGTs. Soil samples were collected from approximately 0.5 feet below the former BGTs for field screening of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and total petroleum hydrocarbon (TPH). Soil samples SC-1 and SC-2 were field screened for VOCs and chlorides and submitted for confirmation laboratory analysis. Soil sample locations are included on Figure 2.

### 2.1 Field Screening

#### 2.1.1 Volatile Organic Compounds

A portion of each sample was utilized for field screening of VOC vapors with a photo-ionization detector (PID) organic vapor meter (OVM). Before beginning field screening, the PID-OVM was first calibrated with 100 parts per million (ppm) isobutylene gas.

#### 2.1.2 Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons

Soil samples were also analyzed in the field for TPH per USEPA Method 418.1 using a Buck Scientific Model HC-404 Total Hydrocarbon Analyzer Infrared Spectrometer (Buck). A 3-point calibration was completed prior to conducting soil analyses. Field analytical protocol followed AES's *Standard Operating Procedure: Field Analysis Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons per EPA Method 418.1*.



### 2.1.3 Chlorides

Soil samples SC-1 and SC-2 were field screened for chlorides using Chloride Drop Count Titration with silver nitrate. Sampling and analysis methods followed procedures provided by Hach Company.

## 2.2 Laboratory Analyses

The composite soil samples collected for laboratory analysis were placed into new, clean, laboratory-supplied containers, which were then labeled, placed on ice, and logged onto a sample chain of custody record. The samples were maintained on ice until delivery to the analytical laboratory, Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory (Hall), in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Soil samples SC-1 and SC-2 were laboratory analyzed for:

- Benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylene (BTEX) per U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Method 8021B; and
- Chloride per USEPA Method 300.0.

In addition, sample SC-2 was laboratory analyzed for:

- TPH for gasoline range organics (GRO) and diesel range organics (DRO) per USEPA Method 8015D.

## 2.3 Field and Laboratory Analytical Results

North BGT field screening readings for VOCs via OVM ranged from 0.4 ppm in S-2 and SC-1 up to 1.0 ppm in S-3. Field TPH concentrations ranged from less than 20.0 mg/kg in S-1 and S-3 up to 69.4 mg/kg in S-2. The field chloride concentration in SC-1 was 80 mg/kg.

South BGT field screening readings for VOCs via OVM ranged from 0.7 ppm in S-6 and S-8 through S-10, up to 3.8 ppm in S-7. Field TPH concentrations ranged from 141 mg/kg in S-9 up to 2,440 mg/kg in S-7. The field chloride concentration in SC-1 was 80 mg/kg. Field screening results are summarized in Table 1 and presented on Figure 2. The AES Field Screening Reports are attached.

Table 1. Soil Field Screening VOCs, TPH, and Chloride Results  
 Blanco Wash Federal #1 BGT Closure, January 2014

<i>Sample ID</i>	<i>Date Sampled</i>	<i>Depth below BGT (ft)</i>	<i>VOCs OVM Reading (ppm)</i>	<i>Field TPH (mg/kg)</i>	<i>Field Chlorides (mg/kg)</i>
<b>NMOCD Action Level (NMAC 19.15.17.13E)</b>			<b>--</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>250</b>
S-1 (North)	1/29/14	0.5	0.8	<20.0	NA
S-2 (North)	1/29/14	0.5	0.4	69.4	NA
S-3 (North)	1/29/14	0.5	1.0	<20.0	NA
S-4 (North)	1/29/14	0.5	0.5	30.3	NA
S-5 (North)	1/29/14	0.5	0.6	22.5	NA
SC-1 (North)	1/29/14	0.5	0.4	NA	80
S-6 (South)	1/29/14	0.5	0.7	<b>636</b>	NA
S-7 (South)	1/29/14	0.5	3.8	<b>2,440</b>	NA
S-8 (South)	1/29/14	0.5	0.7	<b>512</b>	NA
S-9 (South)	1/29/14	0.5	0.7	<b>141</b>	NA
S-10 (South)	1/29/14	0.5	0.7	<b>388</b>	NA
SC-2 (South)	1/29/14	0.5	1.2	NA	80

NA - not analyzed

For SC-1, laboratory analytical results reported benzene and total BTEX concentrations as less than 0.036 mg/kg and 0.179 mg/kg, respectively. The laboratory chloride concentration was reported below the laboratory detection limit of 30 mg/kg. In SC-2, laboratory analytical results reported benzene and total BTEX concentrations as less than 0.030 mg/kg and 0.151 mg/kg, respectively. TPH concentrations as GRO and DRO were reported at less than 3.0 mg/kg and 74 mg/kg, respectively. The laboratory chloride concentration in SC-2 was less than the laboratory detection limit of 30 mg/kg. Laboratory analytical results are summarized in Table 2 and included on Figure 2. The laboratory analytical reports are attached.



Table 2. Soil Laboratory Analytical Results  
Blanco Wash Federal #1 BGT Closure, January 2014

Sample ID	Date Sampled	Depth (ft)	Benzene (mg/kg)	Total BTEX (mg/kg)	TPH-GRO (mg/kg)	TPH-DRO (mg/kg)	Chlorides (mg/kg)
NMOCD Action Level (NMAC 19.15.17.13E)			0.2	50	100		250
SC-1 (North)	1/29/14	0.5	<0.036	<0.179	NA	NA	<30
SC-2 (South)	1/29/14	0.5	<0.030	<0.151	<3.0	74	<30

NA - not analyzed

### 3.0 Conclusions and Recommendations

NMOCD action levels for BGT closures are specified in New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) 19.15.17.13E. For the north BGT, field TPH concentrations were below the NMOCD action level, with the highest concentration reported in S-2 with 69.4 mg/kg. For the south BGT, field TPH concentrations were reported above the NMOCD action level of 100 mg/kg, with the highest concentration reported in S-7 with 2,440 mg/kg. However, laboratory analytical results for TPH (as GRO/DRO) in SC-2 were reported below the NMOCD action level of 100 mg/kg. Benzene and total BTEX concentrations in SC-1 and SC-2 were below the NMOCD action levels of 0.2 mg/kg and 50 mg/kg, respectively. Chloride concentrations in SC-1 and SC-2 were also below the NMOCD action level of 250 mg/kg. Based on field screening and laboratory analytical results for benzene, total BTEX, TPH, and chlorides, no further work is recommended at Blanco Wash Federal #1.

If you have any questions about this report or site conditions, please do not hesitate to contact Deborah Watson at (505) 564-2281.

Sincerely,



David J. Reese  
Environmental Scientist



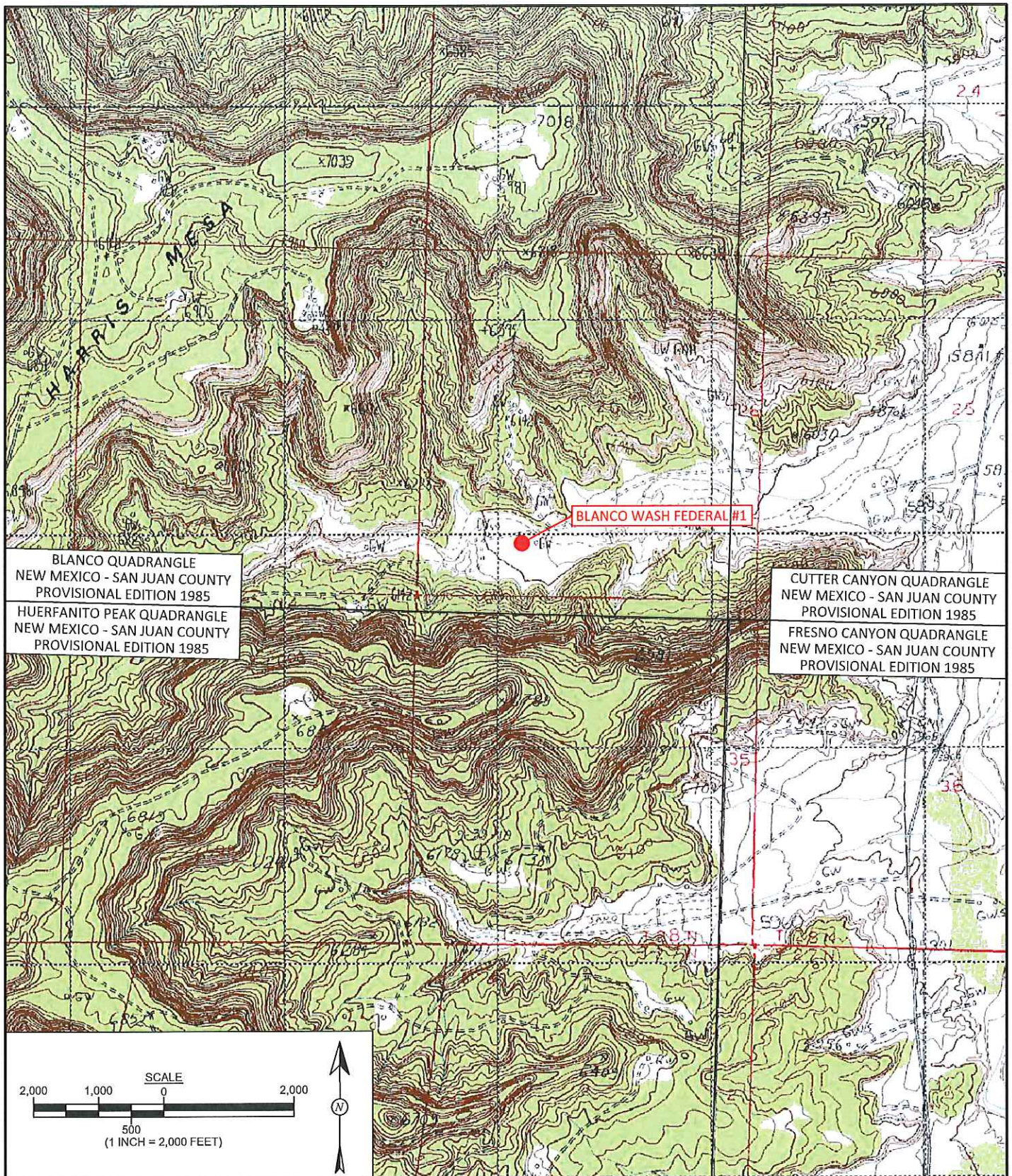
Elizabeth McNally, P.E.

Attachments:

Figure 1. Topographic Site Location Map  
Figure 2. Aerial Site Map, January 2014  
AES Field Screening Report 012914  
Hall Analytical Report 1401B76  
Hall Analytical Report 1401B77

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**FIGURE 1**

**TOPOGRAPHIC SITE LOCATION MAP**

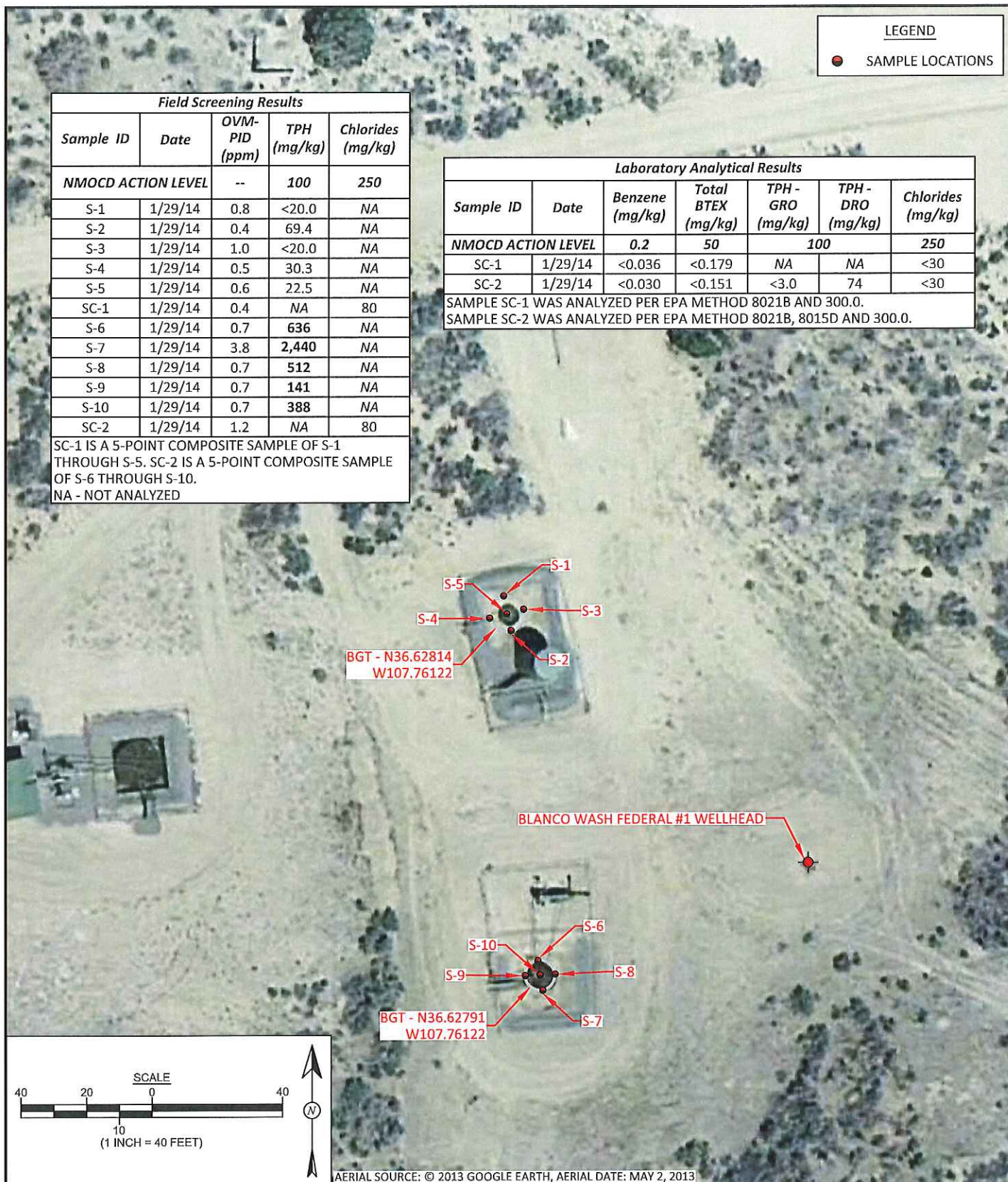
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BLANCO WASH FEDERAL #1  
SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SECTION 26, T28N, R9W  
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
N36.62799, W107.76091



Animas Environmental Services, LLC

DRAWN BY: S. Glasses	DATE DRAWN: January 29, 2014
REVISIONS BY: C. Lameman	DATE REVISED: January 29, 2014
CHECKED BY: D. Watson	DATE CHECKED: January 29, 2014
APPROVED BY: E. McNally	DATE APPROVED: January 29, 2014

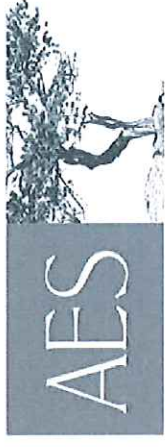




 Animas Environmental Services, LLC	<b>DRAWN BY:</b> S. Glasses	<b>DATE DRAWN:</b> January 29, 2014	<b>FIGURE 2</b>  <b>AERIAL SITE MAP BELOW GRADE TANK CLOSURE JANUARY 2014</b> ConocoPhillips BLANCO WASH FEDERAL #1 SE¼ SW¼, SECTION 26, T28N, R9W SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO N36.62799, W107.76091
	<b>REVISIONS BY:</b> C. Lameman	<b>DATE REVISED:</b> January 29, 2014	
	<b>CHECKED BY:</b> D. Watson	<b>DATE CHECKED:</b> January 29, 2014	
	<b>APPROVED BY:</b> E. McNally	<b>DATE APPROVED:</b> January 29, 2014	



# AES Field Screening Report



Animas Environmental Services, LLC

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624 E. Comanche  
Farmington, NM 87401  
505-564-2281

Durango, Colorado  
970-403-3084

Client: ConocoPhillips

Project Location: Blanco Wash Federal #1

Date: 1/29/2014

Matrix: Soil

Sample ID	Collection Date	Time of Sample Collection	Sample Location	OVM (ppm)	Field Chloride (mg/kg)	Field TPH Analysis Time	Field TPH* (mg/kg)	TPH PQL (mg/kg)	DF	TPH Analysts Initials
S-1 (North)	1/29/2014	10:30	North	0.8	NA	11:19	9.48	20.0	1	DAW
S-2 (North)	1/29/2014	10:32	South	0.4	NA	11:22	69.4	20.0	1	DAW
S-3 (North)	1/29/2014	10:34	East	1.0	NA	11:25	14.7	20.0	1	DAW
S-4 (North)	1/29/2014	10:36	West	0.5	NA	11:27	30.3	20.0	1	DAW
S-5 (North)	1/29/2014	10:38	Center	0.6	NA	11:30	22.5	20.0	1	DAW
SC-1 (North)	1/29/2014	10:45	Composite	0.4	80	Not Analyzed for TPH				
S-6 (South)	1/29/2014	12:01	North	0.7	NA	12:29	636	20.0	1	DAW
S-7 (South)	1/29/2014	12:02	South	3.8	NA	12:33	2,440	20.0	1	DAW
S-8 (South)	1/29/2014	12:03	East	0.7	NA	12:36	512	20.0	1	DAW
S-9 (South)	1/29/2014	12:04	West	0.7	NA	12:40	141	20.0	1	DAW
S-10 (South)	1/29/2014	12:05	Center	0.7	NA	12:44	388	20.0	1	DAW
SC-2 (South)	1/29/2014	12:10	Composite	1.2	80	Not Analyzed for TPH				

Field Chloride - Quantab Chloride Titrators or Drop Count  
Titration with Silver Nitrate  
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons - USEPA 418.1

Analyst:

*Deborah Water*

DF Dilution Factor  
NA Not Analyzed  
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit  
PQL Practical Quantitation Limit

*\*Field TPH concentrations recorded may be below PQL.*





Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory  
4901 Hawkins NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87109  
TEL: 505-345-3975 FAX: 505-345-4107  
Website: [www.hallenvironmental.com](http://www.hallenvironmental.com)

February 04, 2014

Debbie Watson  
Animas Environmental  
624 East Comanche  
Farmington, NM 87401  
TEL: (505) 486-4071  
FAX

RE: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 South BGT

OrderNo.: 1401B76

Dear Debbie Watson:

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory received 1 sample(s) on 1/30/2014 for the analyses presented in the following report.

These were analyzed according to EPA procedures or equivalent. To access our accredited tests please go to [www.hallenvironmental.com](http://www.hallenvironmental.com) or the state specific web sites. In order to properly interpret your results it is imperative that you review this report in its entirety. See the sample checklist and/or the Chain of Custody for information regarding the sample receipt temperature and preservation. Data qualifiers or a narrative will be provided if the sample analysis or analytical quality control parameters require a flag. When necessary, data qualifiers are provided on both the sample analysis report and the QC summary report, both sections should be reviewed. All samples are reported, as received, unless otherwise indicated. Lab measurement of analytes considered field parameters that require analysis within 15 minutes of sampling such as pH and residual chlorine are qualified as being analyzed outside of the recommended holding time.

Please don't hesitate to contact HEAL for any additional information or clarifications.

ADHS Cert #AZ0682 -- NMED-DWB Cert #NM9425 -- NMED-Micro Cert #NM0190

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andy Freeman".

Andy Freeman  
Laboratory Manager  
4901 Hawkins NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87109

## Analytical Report

Lab Order 1401B76

Date Reported: 2/4/2014

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

CLIENT: Animas Environmental

Client Sample ID: SC-1 SC-2 South DAW

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 South BGT

Collection Date: 1/29/2014 12:10:00 PM

Lab ID: 1401B76-001

Matrix: MEOH (SOIL)

Received Date: 1/30/2014 10:00:00 AM

Analyses	Result	RL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed	Batch
<b>EPA METHOD 8015D: DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS</b>							Analyst: BCN
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	74	10		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 3:49:43 PM	11455
Surr: DNOP	83.2	66-131		%REC	1	1/30/2014 3:49:43 PM	11455
<b>EPA METHOD 8015D: GASOLINE RANGE</b>							Analyst: JMP
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	ND	3.0		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 11:31:59 AM	R16396
Surr: BFB	90.8	74.5-129		%REC	1	1/30/2014 11:31:59 AM	R16396
<b>EPA METHOD 8021B: VOLATILES</b>							Analyst: JMP
Benzene	ND	0.030		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 11:31:59 AM	R16396
Toluene	ND	0.030		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 11:31:59 AM	R16396
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.030		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 11:31:59 AM	R16396
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.061		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 11:31:59 AM	R16396
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	102	80-120		%REC	1	1/30/2014 11:31:59 AM	R16396
<b>EPA METHOD 300.0: ANIONS</b>							Analyst: JRR
Chloride	ND	30		mg/Kg	20	1/30/2014 12:41:54 PM	11489

Refer to the QC Summary report and sample login checklist for flagged QC data and preservation information.

Qualifiers:	*	Value exceeds Maximum Contaminant Level.	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
	E	Value above quantitation range	H	Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
	J	Analyte detected below quantitation limits	ND	Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
	O	RSD is greater than RSDlimit	P	Sample pH greater than 2 for VOA and TOC only.
	R	RPD outside accepted recovery limits	RL	Reporting Detection Limit
	S	Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits		

# QC SUMMARY REPORT

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1401B76

04-Feb-14

Client: Animas Environmental

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 South BGT

Sample ID	MB-11489	SampType:	MBLK		TestCode:	EPA Method 300.0: Anions				
Client ID:	PBS	Batch ID:	11489		RunNo:	16422				
Prep Date:	1/30/2014	Analysis Date:	1/30/2014		SeqNo:	473554	Units:	mg/Kg		
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	ND	1.5								

Sample ID	LCS-11489	SampType: LCS			TestCode: EPA Method 300.0: Anions					
Client ID:	LCSS	Batch ID: 11489			RunNo: 16422					
Prep Date:	1/30/2014	Analysis Date: 1/30/2014			SeqNo: 473555		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	14	1.5	15.00	0	91.9	90	110			

### Qualifiers:

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- E Value above quantitation range
- J Analyte detected below quantitation limits
- O RSD is greater than RSDlimit
- R RPD outside accepted recovery limits
- S Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits

- B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
- P Sample pH greater than 2 for VOA and TOC only.
- RL Reporting Detection Limit



# QC SUMMARY REPORT

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1401B76

04-Feb-14

Client: Animas Environmental

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 South BGT

Sample ID	LCS-11455		SampType: LCS		TestCode: EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics					
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID: 11455		RunNo: 16383					
Prep Date:	1/29/2014		Analysis Date: 1/30/2014		SeqNo: 473042		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	40	10	50.00	0	79.4	60.8	145			
Surr: DNOP	4.2		5.000		84.4	66	131			

Sample ID	MB-11441		SampType: MBLK		TestCode: EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics					
Client ID:	PBS		Batch ID: 11441		RunNo: 16383					
Prep Date:	1/28/2014		Analysis Date: 1/30/2014		SeqNo: 473349		Units: %REC			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Surr: DNOP	8.5		10.00		84.9	66	131			

Sample ID	LCS-11441		SampType: LCS		TestCode: EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics					
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID: 11441		RunNo: 16383					
Prep Date:	1/28/2014		Analysis Date: 1/30/2014		SeqNo: 473351		Units: %REC			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Surr: DNOP	3.9		5.000		78.6	66	131			

Sample ID	MB-11455		SampType: MBLK		TestCode: EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics					
Client ID:	PBS		Batch ID: 11455		RunNo: 16383					
Prep Date:	1/29/2014		Analysis Date: 1/30/2014		SeqNo: 473541		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	ND	10								
Surr: DNOP	8.0		10.00		80.3	66	131			

### Qualifiers:

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- R RPD outside accepted recovery limits
- S Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits

- B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
- P Sample pH greater than 2 for VOA and TOC only.
- RL Reporting Detection Limit

# QC SUMMARY REPORT

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1401B76

04-Feb-14

Client: Animas Environmental

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 South BGT

Sample ID	MB-11468 MK	SampType:	MBLK	TestCode:	EPA Method 8015D: Gasoline Range					
Client ID:	PBS	Batch ID:	R16396	RunNo:	16396					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	1/30/2014	SeqNo:	473261	Units:	mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	ND	5.0								
Surr: BFB	900		1000		90.4	74.5	129			

Sample ID	LCS-11468 MK	SampType:	LCS	TestCode:	EPA Method 8015D: Gasoline Range					
Client ID:	LCSS	Batch ID:	R16396	RunNo:	16396					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	1/30/2014	SeqNo:	473262	Units:	mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	26	5.0	25.00	0	103	74.5	126			
Surr: BFB	970		1000		97.4	74.5	129			

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# QC SUMMARY REPORT

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1401B76

04-Feb-14

Client: Animas Environmental

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 South BGT

Sample ID	MB-11468 MK	SampType:	MBLK		TestCode:	EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles				
Client ID:	PBS	Batch ID:	R16396		RunNo:	16396				
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	1/30/2014		SeqNo:	473287		Units:	mg/Kg	
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	ND	0.050								
Toluene	ND	0.050								
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050								
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.10								
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	1.0		1.000		102	80	120			

Sample ID	LCS-11468 MK	SampType: LCS			TestCode: EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles					
Client ID:	LCSS	Batch ID: R16396			RunNo: 16396					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date: 1/30/2014			SeqNo: 473288		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	104	80	120			
Toluene	1.1	0.050	1.000	0	105	80	120			
Ethylbenzene	1.1	0.050	1.000	0	107	80	120			
Xylenes, Total	3.2	0.10	3.000	0	106	80	120			
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	1.1		1.000		111	80	120			

### Qualifiers:

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## Sample Log-In Check List

Client Name: Animas Environmental

Work Order Number: 1401B76

RcptNo: 1

Received by/date:

Logged By: Michelle Garcia

1/30/2014 10:00:00 AM

Michelle Garcia

Completed By: Michelle Garcia

1/30/2014 10:26:34 AM

Michelle Garcia

Reviewed By:

IO

01/30/14

### Chain of Custody

1. Custody seals intact on sample bottles? Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Present ☒
2. Is Chain of Custody complete? Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Present ☐
3. How was the sample delivered? Courier

### Log In

4. Was an attempt made to cool the samples? Yes ☒ No ☐ NA ☐
5. Were all samples received at a temperature of  $>0^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $6.0^{\circ}\text{C}$ ? Yes ☒ No ☐ NA ☐
6. Sample(s) in proper container(s)? Yes ☒ No ☐
7. Sufficient sample volume for indicated test(s)? Yes ☒ No ☐
8. Are samples (except VOA and ONG) properly preserved? Yes ☒ No ☐
9. Was preservative added to bottles? Yes ☐ No ☒ NA ☐
10. VOA vials have zero headspace? Yes ☐ No ☐ No VOA Vials ☒
11. Were any sample containers received broken? Yes ☐ No ☒
12. Does paperwork match bottle labels?  
(Note discrepancies on chain of custody) Yes ☒ No ☐
13. Are matrices correctly identified on Chain of Custody? Yes ☒ No ☐
14. Is it clear what analyses were requested? Yes ☒ No ☐
15. Were all holding times able to be met?  
(If no, notify customer for authorization.) Yes ☒ No ☐
- # of preserved bottles checked for pH: \_\_\_\_\_  
( $<2$  or  $>12$  unless noted)  
Adjusted? \_\_\_\_\_  
Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_

### Special Handling (If applicable)

16. Was client notified of all discrepancies with this order? Yes ☐ No ☐ NA ☒

Person Notified:

Date:

By Whom:

Via: ☐ eMail ☐ Phone ☐ Fax ☐ In Person

Regarding:

Client Instructions:

17. Additional remarks:

### 18. Cooler Information

Cooler No.	Temp $^{\circ}\text{C}$	Condition	Seal Intact	Seal No.	Seal Date	Signed By
1	1.5	Good	Yes			

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<input type="checkbox"/> Standard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rush Same day
Project Name: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 South BGT	
Project #: <del>10111111</del> JS	
Project Manager: D. Watson	
Sampler:	
On Ice	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Sample Temperature:	15

Container Type and #	Preservative Type	HEAL No.
		1401837

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Received by:	Date	Time
<i>Amal Patel</i>	<i>12/20/12</i>	<i>1:31a</i>

Received by: Minut Date: 01/30/14 Time: 1000

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## Analysis Request

BE + TPH (Gas only) (GRO) (DRO) (HMO) (8021)

BTEX + MTX  
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TPH 8015B  
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EDB (Metha  
PAH's (8310  
RCRA 8 Me  
Anions (F, C  
8081 Pestic  
8260B (VOA  
8270 (Semi-  
300.0  
Air Bubbles

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NO: 10356000 Code: T110 Supv: <del>Sho</del> <del>bu</del> <del>illo</del> Area 21 User: <del>Drake</del> Order by: D. <del>Drake</del>	possibility. Any sub-contracted data will be clearly notated on the analytical report.
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possibly, if any, have been shown to be directly related to the marketing research process.



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February 03, 2014

Debbie Watson  
Animas Environmental  
624 East Comanche  
Farmington, NM 87401  
TEL: (505) 486-4071  
FAX

RE: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 North BGT

OrderNo.: 1401B77

Dear Debbie Watson:

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory received 1 sample(s) on 1/30/2014 for the analyses presented in the following report.

These were analyzed according to EPA procedures or equivalent. To access our accredited tests please go to [www.hallenvironmental.com](http://www.hallenvironmental.com) or the state specific web sites. In order to properly interpret your results it is imperative that you review this report in its entirety. See the sample checklist and/or the Chain of Custody for information regarding the sample receipt temperature and preservation. Data qualifiers or a narrative will be provided if the sample analysis or analytical quality control parameters require a flag. When necessary, data qualifiers are provided on both the sample analysis report and the QC summary report, both sections should be reviewed. All samples are reported, as received, unless otherwise indicated. Lab measurement of analytes considered field parameters that require analysis within 15 minutes of sampling such as pH and residual chlorine are qualified as being analyzed outside of the recommended holding time.

Please don't hesitate to contact HEAL for any additional information or clarifications.

ADHS Cert #AZ0682 -- NMED-DWB Cert #NM9425 -- NMED-Micro Cert #NM0190

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andy Freeman".

Andy Freeman  
Laboratory Manager  
4901 Hawkins NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87109



# Analytical Report

Lab Order 1401B77

Date Reported: 2/3/2014

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

CLIENT: Animas Environmental

Client Sample ID: SC-1

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 North BGT

Collection Date: 1/29/2014 10:45:00 AM

Lab ID: 1401B77-001

Matrix: MEOH (SOIL)

Received Date: 1/30/2014 10:00:00 AM

Analyses	Result	RL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed	Batch
<b>EPA METHOD 8021B: VOLATILES</b>							Analyst: JMP
Benzene	ND	0.036		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 12:00:34 PM	R16396
Toluene	ND	0.036		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 12:00:34 PM	R16396
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.036		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 12:00:34 PM	R16396
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.071		mg/Kg	1	1/30/2014 12:00:34 PM	R16396
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	103	80-120		%REC	1	1/30/2014 12:00:34 PM	R16396
<b>EPA METHOD 300.0: ANIONS</b>							Analyst: JRR
Chloride	ND	30		mg/Kg	20	1/30/2014 12:54:18 PM	11489

Refer to the QC Summary report and sample login checklist for flagged QC data and preservation information.

Qualifiers:	*	Value exceeds Maximum Contaminant Level.	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
	E	Value above quantitation range	H	Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
	J	Analyte detected below quantitation limits	ND	Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
	O	RSD is greater than RSDlimit	P	Sample pH greater than 2 for VOA and TOC only.
	R	RPD outside accepted recovery limits	RL	Reporting Detection Limit
	S	Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits		

# QC SUMMARY REPORT

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1401B77

03-Feb-14

Client: Animas Environmental

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 North BGT

Sample ID	MB-11489		SampType:	MBLK		TestCode:	EPA Method 300.0: Anions				
Client ID:	PBS		Batch ID:	11489		RunNo:	16422				
Prep Date:	1/30/2014		Analysis Date:	1/30/2014		SeqNo:	473554		Units: mg/Kg		
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Chloride	ND	1.5									

Sample ID	LCS-11489		SampType: LCS		TestCode: EPA Method 300.0: Anions					
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID: 11489		RunNo: 16422					
Prep Date:	1/30/2014		Analysis Date: 1/30/2014		SeqNo: 473555		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	14	1.5	15.00	0	91.9	90	110			

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# QC SUMMARY REPORT

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WO#: 1401B77

03-Feb-14

Client: Animas Environmental

Project: CoP Blanco Wash Federal #1 North BGT

Sample ID	MB-11468 MK		SampType:	MBLK		TestCode:	EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles			
Client ID:	PBS		Batch ID:	R16396		RunNo:	16396			
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	1/30/2014		SeqNo:	473287		Units: mg/Kg	
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	ND	0.050								
Toluene	ND	0.050								
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050								
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.10								
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	1.0		1.000		102	80	120			

Sample ID	LCS-11468 MK		SampType:	LCS		TestCode:	EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles			
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID:	R16396		RunNo:	16396			
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	1/30/2014		SeqNo:	473288		Units: mg/Kg	
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	104	80	120			
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Work Order Number: 1401B77

RcptNo: 1

Received by/date:

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01/30/14

Logged By: Michelle Garcia

1/30/2014 10:00:00 AM

Michelle Garcia

Completed By: Michelle Garcia

1/30/2014 10:33:03 AM

Michelle Garcia

Reviewed By:

IO

01/30/14

### Chain of Custody

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( $<2$  or  $>12$  unless noted)

Adjusted? \_\_\_\_\_

Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_

### Special Handling (if applicable)

16. Was client notified of all discrepancies with this order? Yes ☐ No ☐ NA ☒

Person Notified:

Date:

By Whom:

Via:

☐ eMail

☐ Phone

☐ Fax

☐ In Person

Regarding:

Client Instructions:

17. Additional remarks:

### 18. Cooler Information

Cooler No.	Temp $^{\circ}\text{C}$	Condition	Seal Intact	Seal No.	Seal Date	Signed By
1	1.5	Good	Yes			







# ConocoPhillips Company

BLANCO WASH FEDERAL 1

SF-077111

API NO. 30-045-07099

SE/SW, 790' FSL & 1700' FWL

SEC.26 T028N R009W NMPM

SAN JUAN COUNTY, NM ELEV 5975

LAT: 36° 37' 40" LONG: 107° 45' 38"

**EMERGENCY NUMBER (505) 324-5170**

**NO SMOKING**

**NO TRESPASSING**







