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District IV

## 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 July 21, 2008 For temporary pits, closed-loop sytems, and below-grade

closed-loop system,

tanks, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

For permanent pits and exceptions submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the opriate NMOCD District Office.

1220 S. St. Franci	is Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505	appropriate NMOCD district Onice.
		Pit, Closed-Loop System, Below-Grade Tank, or
	Prop	osed Alternative Method Permit or Closure Plan Application
, oqui	Type of action:	X Permit of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
\'		Closure of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
		Modification to an existing permit
		Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, closed-loop below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, closed-loop system, 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 wit	•
1 Operator: ConocoPhillips Company	OGRID#: <u>217817</u>
Address: PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499	
Facility or well name: Jicarilla 30 #4	
API Number: 30-039-08182	OCD Permit Number:
U/L or Qtr/Qtr: F(SE/NW) Section: 31 Township: 25N	Range: 4W County: Rio Arriba
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude: 36.35886 °N	Longitude:
Surface Owner: Federal State Private X Trib	pal Trust or Indian Allotment
Pit: Subsection F or G of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  Temporary: Drilling Workover Permanent Emergency Cavitation P&A Lincd Unlined Liner type: Thickness mil String-Reinforced Liner Scams: Welded Factory Other	RCVD FEB 6 '13 OIL CONS. DIV. DIST. 3 LLDPE HDPE PVC Other  Volume: bbl Dimensions L x w x D
X   Closed-loop System:   Subsection H of 19.15.17.11 NMAC     Type of Operation:   P&A   Drilling a new well   X   Workover or I     notice of inten     Drying Pad   X   Above Ground Steel Tanks   Haul-off Bins     Lined   Unlined   Liner type: Thickness   mil     Liner Seams:   Welded   Factory   Other	Orilling (Applies to activities which require prior approval of a permit or t)  Other  LLDPE HDPE PVD Other
A   Below-grade tank:   Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC	6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off er Other
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the	e Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

Fencing: Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pit, 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, instance of the light, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet  Alternate. Please specify	titution or chu	reh)
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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)		
Signs: Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  12" X 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers  X Signed in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC		
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Administrative Approvals 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:	ideration of ar	mraval
Administrative approval(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district of the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for cons (Fencing/BGT Liner)	ідеганоп от ар	ргочаг.
Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.		
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. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau Office for consideration of approval. Applicant must attach justification for request. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above grade-tanks associated with a closed-loop system.		
Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the temporary pit, permanent pit, or below-grade tank.  - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	Yes	No
Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other watercourse, 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.	Yes	No
(Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks)	□NA	
- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	_	
Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.  (Applied to permanent pits)	Yes NA	No
- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	LJ	
Within 500 horizonal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of initial application.	Yes	No
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site.		
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	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
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD - Mining and Mineral Division	Yes	No
Within an unstable area.  - 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 - FEMA map	Yes	No

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				
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 or Permit				
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Closed-loop Systems 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.  Geologic and Hydrogeologic Data (only for on-site closure) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (3) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9				
Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations (only for on-site closure) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC				
X   Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC				
X  Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC				
X  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				
Previously Approved Operating and Maintenance Plan API				
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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 H2S, 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				
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 X Workover Emergency Cavitation P&A Permanent Pit Below-grade Tank X Closed-loop System				
Alternative   Proposed Closure Method:   Waste Excavation and Removal				
Proposed Closure Method: Waste Excavation and Removal    X   Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)				
On-site Closure Method (only for temporary pits and closed-loop systems)				
In-place Burial On-site Trench				
Alternative Closure Method (Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau for consideration)				
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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 F 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 I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC				
Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC				

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Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: (19.15.17.13.D NMAC) Instructions: Please identify the facility or facilities for the disposal of liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings. Use attachment if more than two						
facilities are required.						
Disposal Facility Name: Envirotech / JFJ Landfarm % IEI Disposal Facility Permit #: NM-01-0011 / NM-01-0	010B					
Disposal Facility Name: Basin Disposal Facility Disposal Facility Permit #: NM-01-005						
Will any of the proposed closed-loop system operations and associated activities occur on or in areas that will not be used for future service and  Yes (If yes, please provide the information No						
Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:  Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specification - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						
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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 may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval. Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.						
Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste.	Yes No					
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS: Data obtained from nearby wells	□N/A					
Ground water is between 50 and 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste	Yes No					
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells						
Ground water is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste.	☐Yes ☐No					
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells						
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).	∐Yes ∐No					
- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site						
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					
	☐Yes ☐No					
Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal fee 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; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site						
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	Yes No					
Within 500 feet of a wetland	∏Yes ∏No					
- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site						
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine.	Yes No					
- Written confirantion or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division						
Within an unstable area.	Yes No					
<ul> <li>Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology &amp; Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society;</li> <li>Topographic map</li> </ul>						
Within a 100-year floodplain FEMA map	Yes No					
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On-Site Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) Instructions: Each of the following items must bee attached to the clos by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.	ure plan. Please indicate,					
Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC						
Proof of Surface Owner Notice - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						
Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC						
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					
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 F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						
Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						
Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings or in case on-site closure standards cannot be achieved)						
Soil Cover Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						
Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection Lof 19.15.17.13 NMAC  Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						

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19 Operator Application Certification				
I hereby certify that the information subm	itted with this application is true, accurate a	and complete to the best of m	y knowledge and belief.	
Name (Print):	DENISE JOURNEY	Title: F	Regulatory Technolian	
Signature: Serve	c ourney	Date:	2/5/2013	
e-mail address: <u>Denise.J</u>	ourney@conocophillips.com	Telephone:	(505) 326-9556	
OCD Approval: Permit Applica OCD Representative Signature: Title:	ntion (including closure plan) C	Closure Plan (only) O	OCD Conditions (see attachment)  Approval Date: 2/11/2013  aber:	
Instructions: Operators are required to o report is required to be submitted to the d		plementing any closure activi the closure activities. Please	ities and submitting the closure report. The closure e do not complete this section of the form until an eletion Date:	
22 Closure Method: Waste Excavation and Removal If different from approved plan, p		Alternative Closure Method	Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)	
Instructions: Please identify the facility of	oval Closure For Closed-loop Systems Th or facilities for where the liquids, drilling J		teel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: disposed. Use attachment if more than two facilities	
were utilized.  Disposal Facility Name:		Disposal Facility Permit N	Number:	
Disposal Facility Name:		Disposal Facility Permit N	·	
Were the closed-loop system operation  Yes (If yes, please demonstrate co	s and associated activities performed on or		1 for future service and opeartions?	
	Il not be used for future service and operat ntation)			
Re-vegetation Application Rates a				
the box, that the documents are attac  Proof of Closure Notice (surface Proof of Deed Notice (required Plot Plan (for on-site closures and Confirmation Sampling Analyte Waste Material Sampling Analyte Disposal Facility Name and Pescoil Backfilling and Cover Instance Re-vegetation Application Rate Site Reclamation (Photo Documents)	thed.  te owner and division)  I for on-site closure)  and temporary pits)  ical Results (if applicable)  ytical Results (if applicable)  rmit Number  allation  es and Seeding Technique	g items must be attached to	the closure report. Please indicate, by a check mark in  NAD	
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Operator Closure Certification:  I hereby certify that the information and a	attachments submitted with this closure rep losure requirements and conditions specific		plete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that lan.	
Name (Print):		Title:		
Signature:		Date:		
e-mail address:		Telephone:		

# ConocoPhillips Company Closed-loop Plans

#### Closed-loop Design Plan

COPC's closed loop system will not entail a drying pad, temporary pit, below grade tank or sump. It will include an above ground tank suitable for holding the cuttings and fluids for rig operations. The tank will be sufficient volume to maintain a safe free board between disposal of the liquids and solids from rig operations.

- 1. Fencing is not required for an above ground closed-loop system
- 2. It will be signed in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC
- 3. A frac tank will be on location to store fresh water

## **Closed-loop Operating and Maintenance Plan**

COPC's closed-loop tank will be operated and maintained to contain liquids and solids in order to prevent contamination of fresh water sources, in order to protect public health and the environment. To ensure the operation is maintained the following steps will be followed:

- 1. The liquids will be vacuumed out and disposed of at the Basin Disposal facility (Permit # NM-01-005) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B). Solids in the closed-loop tank will be vacuumed out and disposed of at Envirotech (Permit # NM-01-0011) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B) on a periodic basis to prevent over topping.
- 2. No hazardous waste, miscellaneous solid waste or debris will be discharged into or stored in the tank. Only fluids or cutting used or generated by rig operations will be placed or stored in the tank.
- 3. The division district office will be notified within 48 hours of the discovery of compromised integrity of the closed-loop tank. Upon the discovery of the compromised tank, repairs will be enacted immediately

### Closed-loop Closure Plan

The closed-loop tank will be closed in accordance with 19.15.17.13. This will be done by transporting cuttings and all remaining sludges to Envirotech (Permit # NM-01-0011) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B) immediately following rig operations. All remaining liquids will be transported and disposed of in the Basin Disposal facility (Permit # NM-01-005) or JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B). The tanks will be removed from the location as part of the rig move. At time of well abandonment, the site will be reclaimed and re-vegetated to pre-existing conditions when possible.