

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
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 April 3, 2017

OIL CONS. DIV. DIST. 3
Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.
DEC 29 2017

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company WPX Energy Production, LLC	Contact Deborah Watson	
Address PO Box 640 721 S Main	Telephone No. 505-333-1880	
Facility Name Kimbeto Wash Unit #771H	Facility Type Well Pad	
Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal (NMNM 057164)	API No. 30-045-35756

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
P	17	23N	09W	332	South	1040	East	San Juan

Latitude N36.220363 Longitude W107.806825 NAD83

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Flash Fire (no liquids)	Volume of Release no liquids	Volume Recovered no liquids
Source of Release Production Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12/18/17 @ 07:30	Date and Hour of Discovery 12/18/17 @ 07:30
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Vanessa Fields (NMOCD) Whitney Thomas (BLM-FFO)	
By Whom? Deborah Watson	Date and Hour 12/18/17 09:23 (NMOCD) and 09:29 (BLM-FFO)	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

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



Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

As employee was lighting heater on tank, a flash occurred and traveled through the heater, up the stack and ignited vapors at the thief hatch. The employee called emergency services and shut down the site. Fire was extinguished approximately 5 minutes after ignition, prior to SJCFD arriving on scene. Damage to the tank and tank components. No injuries. No liquids.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Damage to the tank and tank components.
Repairs completed week of 12/25/17.

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Deborah Watson	Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Environmental Specialist	Approval Date: 1/2/2018	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: deborah.watson@wpxenergy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 12/28/2017	Phone: 505-333-1880	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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