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PIT REMEDIATION AND CLOSURE REPORT

Operator: PNM Gas Services (Burlington) **Telephone:** 324-3764

Address: 603 W. Elm Street Farmington, NM 87401

Facility or Well Name: Richardson #8

Location: Unit P Sec 10 T 31 N R 12 W County San Juan

Pit Type: Separator ☐ Dehydrator ☒ Other

Land Type: BLM ☒ State ☐ Fee ☐ Other No

Pit Location: Pit dimensions: length 20 width 20 depth 3

(Attach diagram) Reference: wellhead ☒ other

Footage from reference: 145'

Direction from reference: 80 Degrees ☒ East North ☐
of
☐ West South ☒

Depth to Ground Water:

Less than 50 feet	(20 points)	
50 feet to 99 feet	(10 points)	
Greater than 100 feet	(0 points)	<u>20</u>

(Vertical distance from contaminants to
seasonal high water elevation of ground
water)

Wellhead Protection Area:

Yes	(20 points)	
No	(0 points)	<u>0</u>

(Less than 200 feet from a private
domestic water source, or, less than 1,000
feet from all other water sources)

Distance to Surface Water:

Less than 200 feet	(20 points)	
200 feet to 1,000 feet	(10 points)	
Greater than 1,000 feet	(0 points)	<u>0</u>

(Horizontal distance to perennial lakes,
ponds, rivers, streams, creeks, irrigation
canals and ditches)

RANKING SCORE (TOTAL POINTS): 20

Richardson #8

Date Remediation Started: 5/19/98

Date Completed: 5/19/98

Remediation Method: Excavation ☒

Approx. Cubic Yard 142

(Check all appropriate sections)

Landfarmed ☒

Amount Landfarmed (cubic yds) 142

Other

Remediation Location:

Onsite

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Offsite

(i.e., landfarmed onsite, name and location of offsite facility)

Backfill Material Location:

General Description of Remedial Action:

Excavated contaminated soil to a pit size of 16' X 16' X 15' and landfarmed soil onsite within a bermed area at a depth of 6" to 12". Soil was aerated by disking/plowing until soil met regulatory levels.

*** Sandstone encountered at 15'. See attached risk analysis and lab analysis form.

Ground Water Encountered:

No

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Yes

Depth

Final Pit Closure Sampling:

Sample Location

Bottom of excavation.

(if multiple samples, attach sample result and diagram of sample locations and depths.)

Sample depth

15'

Sample date

5/19/98

Sample time

3:20:00 PM

Sample Results

Benzene (ppm) *** 47.0000

Total BTEX (ppm) 1383.0000

Field headspace (ppm)

TPH (ppm)

720.00

Method

8015

Vertical Extent (ft)

Risk Analysis form attached Yes

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No

Ground Water Sample:

Yes

☐

No

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(If yes, see attached Groundwater Site Summary Report)

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION ABOVE IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND MY BELIEF

DATE July 27, 1998

SIGNATURE

Mary Cook

PRINTED NAME Gary Cook

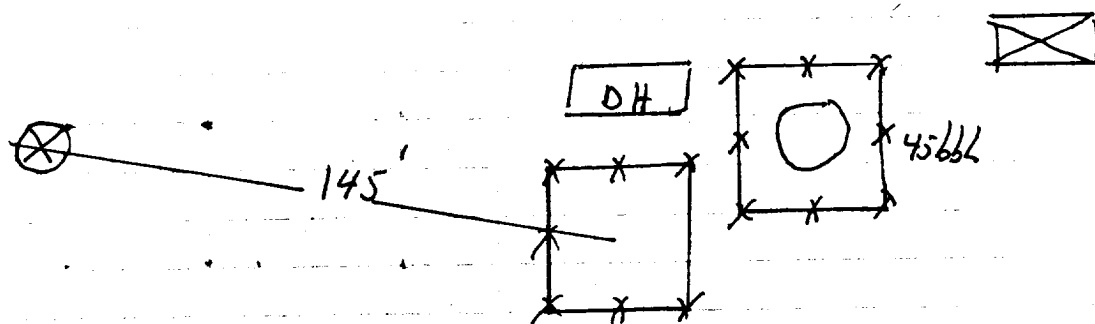
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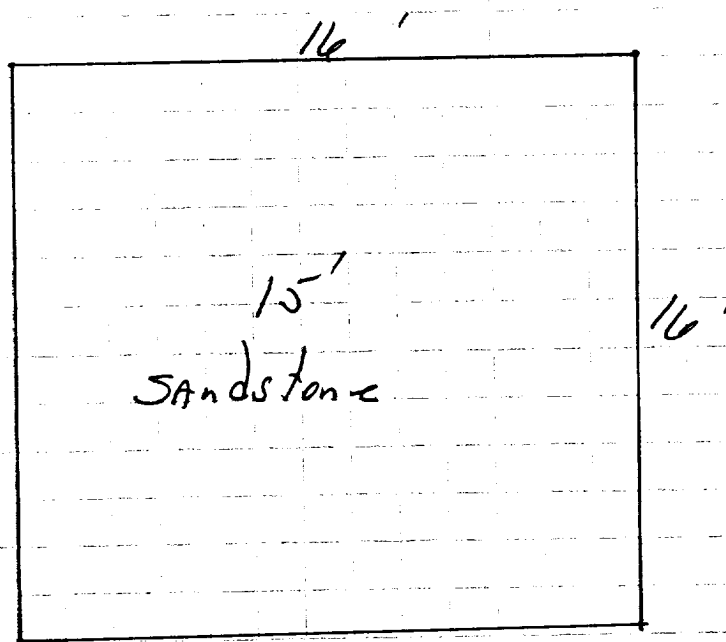
Richardson #8
Burlington Resources
Sec 10, 31N, 12W, P

5/19/98

Start:



End of excavation:



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LAB: (505) 325-1556

On Site Technologies, LTD.

Date: 28-May-98

CLIENT: PNM - Public Service Company of NM

Project: Richardson #8

Lab Order: 9805060

CASE NARRATIVE

Samples were analyzed using the methods outlined in the following references:

Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, Physical/Chemical Methods, SW846, 3rd Edition

All method blanks, laboratory spikes, and/or matrix spikes met quality assurance objectives.

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ANALYTICAL REPORT

Date: 28-May-98

Client:	PNM - Public Service Company of NM	Client Sample Info:	Richardson #8
Work Order:	9805060	Client Sample ID:	9805191520; Bottom @ 15ft.
Lab ID:	9805060-01A	Matrix:	SOIL
Project:	Richardson #8	Collection Date:	5/19/98 3:20:00 PM
		COC Record:	7225

Parameter	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS						
	SW8015					
T/R Hydrocarbons: C10-C28	720	25		mg/Kg	1	Analyst: HR 5/27/98
BTEX						
	SW8020A					
Benzene	47000	5000		µg/Kg	5000	Analyst: HR 5/20/98
Toluene	610000	10000		µg/Kg	5000	5/20/98
Ethylbenzene	56000	5000		µg/Kg	5000	5/20/98
m,p-Xylene	560000	10000		µg/Kg	5000	5/20/98
o-Xylene	110000	5000		µg/Kg	5000	5/20/98

1,383,000
1383.00 ppm

Qualifiers:	PQL - Practical Quantitation Limit	S - Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits
	ND - Not Detected at Practical Quantitation Limit	R - RPD outside accepted recovery limits
	J - Analyte detected below Practical Quantitation Limit	E - Value above quantitation range
	B - Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank	Surr: - Surrogate

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LAB: (505) 325-1556

ANALYTICAL REPORT

Date: 28-May-98

Client:	PNM - Public Service Company of NM	Client Sample Info:	Richardson #8
Work Order:	9805060	Client Sample ID:	9805191530; Walls @ 11ft.
Lab ID:	9805060-02A	Matrix:	SOIL
Project:	Richardson #8	Collection Date:	5/19/98 3:30:00 PM
		COC Record:	7225

Parameter	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS		SW8015				Analyst: HR
T/R Hydrocarbons: C10-C28	ND	25		mg/Kg	1	5/27/98
BTEX		SW8020A				Analyst: HR
Benzene	1.3	1		µg/Kg	1	5/19/98
Toluene	8.4	2		µg/Kg	1	5/19/98
Ethylbenzene	1	1		µg/Kg	1	5/19/98
m,p-Xylene	10	2		µg/Kg	1	5/19/98
o-Xylene	2.7	1		µg/Kg	1	5/19/98

23.4
0.0234 ppm

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Richardson # 8

6/30/98

BR

Sec. 10, 31N, 12W, P

Landfarm:

142 yards

Ø	6.1	26.9
Ø	8.6	11.3

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9806301100

2"-12" depth

soil vapor headspace = 47.8 ppm

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TECHNOLOGIES, LTD.

Date: 07-Jul-98

On Site Technologies, LTD.

CLIENT: PNM - Public Service Company of NM
Project: Landfarms
Lab Order: 9806116

CASE NARRATIVE

Samples were analyzed using the methods outlined in the following references:

Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, Physical/Chemical Methods, SW846, 3rd Edition

All method blanks, laboratory spikes, and/or matrix spikes met quality assurance objectives.

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LAB: (505) 325-1556

ANALYTICAL REPORT

Date: 07-Jul-98

Client:	PNM - Public Service Company of NM	Client Sample Info:	Richardson #8 LF
Work Order:	9806116	Client Sample ID:	9806301100; 6pt. Comp. 2-12in.
Lab ID:	9806116-07A	Matrix:	SOIL
Project:	Landfarms	Collection Date:	6/30/98 11:00:00 AM
		COC Record:	7307

Parameter	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS		SW8015				Analyst: HR
T/R Hydrocarbons: C10-C28	66	25		mg/Kg	1	7/2/98

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Surr: - Surrogate

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Environmental Services

Well Name:	Richardson #8
Well Legals:	Unit P, Sec 10, T31N, R12W
Pit Type:	Dehydrator
Horizontal Distance to Surface Water:	Less than 200 feet
Groundwater Depth:	Less than 50 feet

RISK ANALYSIS

PNM requests closure of their former pit on the Richardson #8 well site using a limited risk analysis based on the following conditions:

1. Groundwater is estimated to be at a depth of 40 feet based upon the elevation of the site and the elevation of the nearest "listed" or "named" wash (Farmington Glade Canyon). (Reference: topographic map.)
2. PNM excavated 142 cubic yards of soil from the former pit. Subsurface lateral contamination has been remediated (see attached analytical results). Source removal minimizes the possibility of surface water contamination.
3. Sandstone was encountered at 15 feet below ground surface. Bedrock/sandstone provides a barrier between remaining contamination and groundwater. Vertical migration through bedrock or sandstone to groundwater is unlikely.
4. PNM excavated and performed remediation to the maximum depth and horizontal extent practicable.

PNM believes their former pit on the Richardson #8 well site poses minimal threat to groundwater, human health and the environment based upon our past experience in excavating over 800 pits.