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Subject: RE: Plains Alpha Crude Lynch Station Remediation Summary and Risk Based Soil Closure Request
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Good morning Ms. Bryant:

Please note that a final C-141 is not necessary as there are sections of the release area, which are still impacted and would be remediated at time of abandonment, retrofit, or inactivity. Therefore, 1RP-4739 will remain open.

Nonetheless, the majority of the release area has been remediated and is approved for closure. Please be advised that for future reference and clear documentation, a scaled map with the areas outlined for deferral would be appreciated.

Like approval from NMSLO required. NMSLO may have additional concerns.

Thanks,

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From: Camille J Bryant <CJBryant@paalp.com>
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Ms. Yu and Mr. Mann,

Please find the attached "Remediation Summary and Risk-Based Soil Closure Request" and Final C-141 for the Pipeline, L.P., Alpha Crude Lynch Station Release Site, NMOCD Ref.#1RP-4739. The release occurred on June 16, 2017, at the Plains Alpha Crude Lynch Station located in Unit Letter "B" of Section 1, Township 21 South, Range 33 East of Lea County, New Mexico. The release was attributed to failure of the OAL single expansion joint, due to pressure build up releasing approximately fifty (50) barrels of crude oil at the

facility. All released fluids were contained to the caliche pad of the facility. The Release was reported to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) and New Mexico State Land Office (NMSLO). The impacted soil was excavated to the maximum extent practicable and confirmation soil samples were collected and analyzed for TPH, BTEX and Chloride concentrations. The impacted soil was transported to an NMOCD permitted Facility and the excavated area was backfilled with locally purchased, non-impacted caliche. If you have any questions or require any additional information, please contact me at the numbers listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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