From: Tucker, Shelly
To: <u>Christine Alderman</u>
Cc: <u>Yu, Olivia, EMNRD</u>

 Subject:
 Re: Red Hills Unit #3 (API # 30-025-28144)

 Date:
 Thursday, December 21, 2017 2:02:19 PM

Just FYI.

This release is on private surface/federal minerals and medium Cave/Karst.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Shelly J'Tucker

Environmental Protection Specialist O&G Spill/Release Coordinator

Bureau of Land Management 620 E. Greene St Carlsbad, NM 88220

575.234.5905 - Direct 575.361.0084 - Cellular 575.234.6235 - Emergency Spill Number

stucker@blm.gov

The **BLM acceptance/approval does not** relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment or if the location fails to reclaim properly. In such an event that the location does not revegetate, or future issues with contaminants are encountered, the operator will be asked to address the issues until the contaminant issues are fully mitigated and the location is successfully reclaimed. In addition, BLM approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws/regulations.

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On Mon, Oct 30, 2017 at 2:58 PM, Christine Alderman < calderman@cimarex.com > wrote:

All,

Yesterday we discovered an illegal dumping had occurred at the above location. I have included a map to show the location and area of the release. It is unknown who did this. We have sampled the impact to see exactly what was released, and will develop a work plan

as appropriate. Please see attached C-141 as well.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Christine Alderman

Cimarex Energy Co.



ESH Supervisor – Permian Basin

Midland TX

Cell – 432.853.7059

From: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD

To: <u>Christine Alderman; stucker@blm.gov</u>

Cc: Billings, Bradford, EMNRD

 Subject:
 RE: Red Hills Unit #3 (API # 30-025-28144)

 Date:
 Wednesday, November 1, 2017 9:21:00 AM

Attachments: 1RP4857.pdf

Dear Ms. Alderman:

Please be advised that this release flowed into a USGS-identified waterway.

## The 1RP for this incident is

					30-025-		
4857	11/1/2017	Α	Cimarex	Red Hills Unit #3	28144	26S-33E-5K	10/29/2017

Please note that a release characterization/delineation workplan as detailed in the attachment must be approved by NMOCD BEFORE any remediation work.

Thanks,

Olivia Yu Environmental Specialist NMOCD, District I <u>Olivia.yu@state.nm.us</u> 575-393-6161 x113

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

From: Christine Alderman [mailto:calderman@cimarex.com]

Sent: Monday, October 30, 2017 2:59 PM

To: Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>; stucker@blm.gov

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