State of New Mexico Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Incident ID	NOY1827057150	
District RP	1RP-5212	
Facility ID		
Application ID	pOY1827056498	

### **Release Notification**

### **Responsible Party**

Responsible Party:	Devon Energy	OGRID:	06137
Contact Name:	Stephen Richards	Contact Telephone:	575-252-3717
Contact email:	Stephen.richards@dvn.com	Incident # (assigned by OCD)	NOY1827057150
Contact mailing address:	PO Box 250, Artesia, NM 88211		

#### **Location of Release Source**

Latitude 32.101739 N

Longitude 103.697138 W\_\_\_\_

(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name:	Morab 29-20 Fed Com 2H	Site Type: Well Pad	
Date Release Discovered: 9/19/2018		API# ( <i>if applicable</i> ): 30-025-43775	

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County	Federal minerals
F	29	25S	32E	LEA	

Surface Owner: State Federal Tribal Private (Name:

### Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)				
Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)		
Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) 30	Volume Recovered (bbls) 24		
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	Yes No		
Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)		
Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)		
Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)		

Cause of Release:

While contractor was filling up the pump down tank, the lay flat water transfer hose split, releasing approximately 30 barrels of 60% fresh water and 40% treated water to the ground. The crew immediately shut down and closed the valves, proceeded to recover water on the ground with a vacuum truck on location, and repaired the hose.

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Was this a major release as defined by	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?		
19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?	The spill was over 25 barrels.		
🛛 Yes 🗌 No			
If YES, was immediate no	otice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?		
No, this is the first notification of the release. Brett Fulks initially believed the release was under 25 bbls and did not make the notification.			

#### **Initial Response**

The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury

 $\square$  The source of the release has been stopped.

The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment.

By Olivia Yu at 3:56 pm, Sep 27, 2018

Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices.

All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.

If all the actions described above have not been undertaken, explain why:

Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD 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 OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD 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.

Printed Name:Denise Menoud	Title:Field Admin Support
Signature: <i>Denise Q. Menoud</i> email:denise.menoud@dvn.com	Date:9/25/2018 Telephone: 575-746-5544
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### Site Assessment/Characterization

This information must be provided to the appropriate district office no later than 90 days after the release discovery date.

What is the shallowest depth to groundwater beneath the area affected by the release?	(ft bgs)
Did this release impact groundwater or surface water?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse or any other significant watercourse?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark)?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 300 feet of an occupied permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a private domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 1000 feet of any other fresh water well or spring?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 300 feet of a wetland?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release overlying a subsurface mine?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release overlying an unstable area such as karst geology?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Are the lateral extents of the release within a 100-year floodplain?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Did the release impact areas <b>not</b> on an exploration, development, production, or storage site?	🗌 Yes 🗌 No

Attach a comprehensive report (electronic submittals in .pdf format are preferred) demonstrating the lateral and vertical extents of soil contamination associated with the release have been determined. Refer to 19.15.29.11 NMAC for specifics.

#### Characterization Report Checklist: Each of the following items must be included in the report.

Scaled site map showing impacted area, surface features, subsurface features, delineation points, and monitoring wells.
Field data
Data table of soil contaminant concentration data
Depth to water determination
Determination of water sources and significant watercourses within <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> -mile of the lateral extents of the release
Boring or excavation logs
Photographs including date and GIS information
Topographic/Aerial maps

Laboratory data including chain of custody

If the site characterization report does not include completed efforts at remediation of the release, the report must include a proposed remediation plan. That plan must include the estimated volume of material to be remediated, the proposed remediation technique, proposed sampling plan and methods, anticipated timelines for beginning and completing the remediation. The closure criteria for a release are contained in Table 1 of 19.15.29.12 NMAC, however, use of the table is modified by site- and release-specific parameters.

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Remediation Plan Checklist: Each of the following items must be included in the plan.

Detailed description of proposed remediation technique

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## **Remediation Plan**

<ul> <li>Scaled sitemap with GPS coordinates showing delineation points</li> <li>Estimated volume of material to be remediated</li> <li>Closure criteria is to Table 1 specifications subject to 19.15.29.12(C)(4) NMAC</li> <li>Proposed schedule for remediation (note if remediation plan timeline is more than 90 days OCD approval is required)</li> </ul>				
<b>Deferral Requests Only:</b> Each of the following items must be confirmed as part of any request for deferral of remediation.				
Contamination must be in areas immediately under or around production equipment where remediation could cause a major facility deconstruction.				
Extents of contamination must be fully delineated.				
Contamination does not cause an imminent risk to human health, the environment, or groundwater.				
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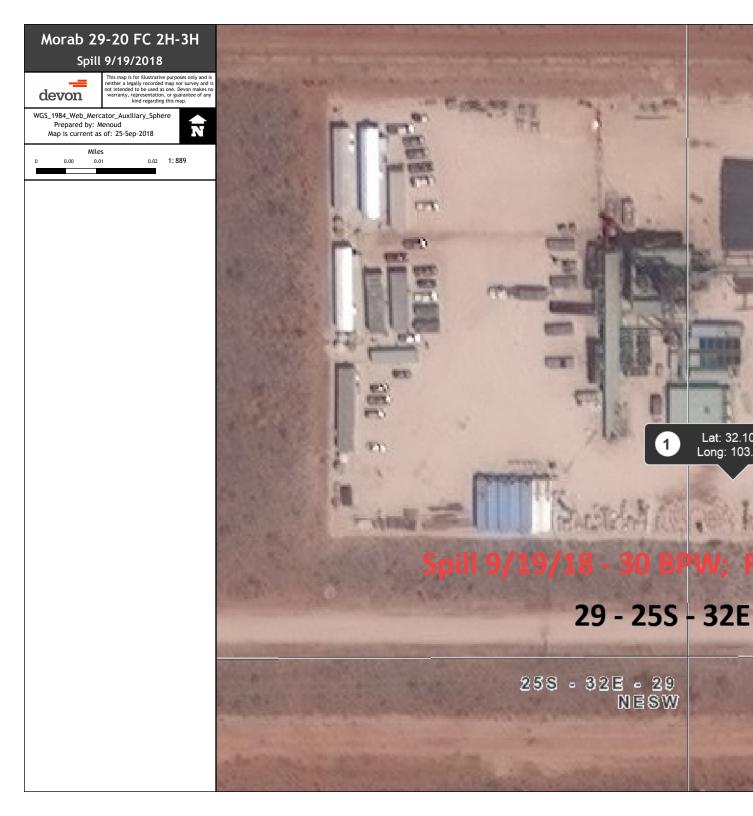
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# Closure

The responsible party must attach information demonstrating they have complied with all applicable closure requirements and any conditions or directives of the OCD. This demonstration should be in the form of a comprehensive report (electronic submittals in .pdf format are preferred) including a scaled site map, sampling diagrams, relevant field notes, photographs of any excavation prior to backfilling, laboratory data including chain of custody documents of final sampling, and a narrative of the remedial activities. Refer to 19.15.29.12 NMAC.

Closure Report Attachment Checklist: Each of the following items must be included in the closure report.				
A scaled site and sampling diagram as described in 19.15.29.11 NMAC				
Photographs of the remediated site prior to backfill or photos of the liner integrity if applicable (Note: appropriate OCD District office must be notified 2 days prior to liner inspection)				
Laboratory analyses of final sampling (Note: appropriate ODC District office must be notified 2 days prior to final sampling)				
Description of remediation activities				
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Closure approval by the OCD does not relieve the responsible party of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that poses a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health, or the environment nor does not relieve the responsible party of compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.				
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