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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144
Revised June 6, 2013

For temporary pits, below-grade tanks, and multi-well fluid management pits, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For permanent pits submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

Pit, Below-Grade Tank, or
Proposed Alternative Method Permit or Closure Plan Application

- Type of action: Below grade tank registration
 Permit of a pit or proposed alternative method
 Closure of a pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
 Modification to an existing permit/or registration
 Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, below-grade tank or alternative request

Please be advised that approval of this request does not relieve the operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does approval relieve the operator of its responsibility to comply with any other applicable governmental authority's rules, regulations or ordinances.

1.
Operator: **WHITING OIL & GAS CORPORATION OGRID #: 25078**
Address: **400 W ILLINOIS STE 1300 MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701**
Facility or well name: **GALVESTON 2028 29 WELL # 1**
API Number: **30-021-20637** OCD Permit Number: 187681
U/L or Qtr/Qtr J Section 29 Township 20N Range 28E County: **HARDING COUNTY**
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 35.931361 Longitude -103.986700 NAD: 1927 1983
Surface Owner: Federal State Private Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

2.
 Pit: Subsection F, G or J of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Temporary: Drilling Workover
 Permanent Emergency Cavitation P&A Multi-Well Fluid Management Low Chloride Drilling Fluid yes no
 Lined Unlined Liner type: Thickness _____ mil LLDPE HDPE PVC Other _____
 String-Reinforced
Liner Seams: Welded Factory Other _____ Volume: _____ bbl Dimensions: L _____ x W _____ x D _____

3.
 Below-grade tank: Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Volume: _____ bbl Type of fluid: _____
Tank Construction material: _____
 Secondary containment with leak detection Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off
 Visible sidewalls and liner Visible sidewalls only Other _____
Liner type: Thickness _____ mil HDPE PVC Other _____

4.
 Alternative Method:
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

5.
Fencing: Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (*Applies to permanent pits, temporary pits, and below-grade tanks*)
 Chain link, six feet in height, two strands of barbed wire at top (*Required if located within 1000 feet of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church*)
 Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet
 Alternate. Please specify _____

6.

Netting: Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (*Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks*)

- Screen Netting Other _____
- Monthly inspections (If netting or screening is not physically feasible)

7.

Signs: Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC

- 12"x 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers
- Signed in compliance with 19.15.16.8 NMAC

8.

Variations and Exceptions:

Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for guidance.

Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank:

- Variance(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district for consideration of approval.
- Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

9.

Siting Criteria (regarding permitting): 19.15.17.10 NMAC

Instructions: *The applicant must demonstrate compliance for each siting criteria below in the application. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks.*

General siting

Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of a low chloride temporary pit or below-grade tank.

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells

- Yes No
- NA

Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of a Temporary pit, permanent pit, or Multi-Well Fluid Management pit.

NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells

- Yes No
- NA

Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality

- Yes No

Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division

- Yes No

Within an unstable area. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map

- Yes No

Within a 100-year floodplain. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- FEMA map

- Yes No

Below Grade Tanks

Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, significant watercourse, lake bed, sinkhole, wetland or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

- Yes No

Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for public or livestock consumption;

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

- Yes No

Temporary Pit using Low Chloride Drilling Fluid (maximum chloride content 15,000 mg/liter)

Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). (*Applies to low chloride temporary pits.*)

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

- Yes No

Within 300 feet from a occupied permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image

- Yes No

Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, or 300feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of the initial application.

NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

- Yes No

Within 100 feet of a wetland.

- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

Yes No

Temporary Pit Non-low chloride drilling fluid

Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse, or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

Yes No

Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image

Yes No

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, or 1000 feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in the existence at the time of the initial application;

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

Yes No

Within 300 feet of a wetland.

- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

Yes No

Permanent Pit or Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit

Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

Yes No

Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image

Yes No

Within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application.

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

Yes No

Within 500 feet of a wetland.

- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

Yes No

10.

Temporary Pits, Emergency Pits, and Below-grade Tanks Permit Application Attachment Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- Hydrogeologic Report (Below-grade Tanks) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Hydrogeologic Data (Temporary and Emergency Pits) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (2) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API Number: _____ or Permit Number: _____

11.

Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- A List of wells with approved application for permit to drill associated with the pit.
- Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Hydrogeologic Data - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC

Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API Number: _____ or Permit Number: _____

12.

Permanent Pits Permit Application Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- Hydrogeologic Report - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (1) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- Climatological Factors Assessment
- Certified Engineering Design Plans - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Dike Protection and Structural Integrity Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Leak Detection Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Liner Specifications and Compatibility Assessment - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Quality Control/Quality Assurance Construction and Installation Plan
- Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- Freeboard and Overtopping Prevention Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Nuisance or Hazardous Odors, including H₂S, Prevention Plan
- Emergency Response Plan
- Oil Field Waste Stream Characterization
- Monitoring and Inspection Plan
- Erosion Control Plan
- Closure Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

13.

Proposed Closure: 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Instructions: Please complete the applicable boxes, Boxes 14 through 18, in regards to the proposed closure plan.

- Type: Drilling Workover Emergency Cavitation P&A Permanent Pit Below-grade Tank Multi-well Fluid Management Pit
 Alternative
- Proposed Closure Method: Waste Excavation and Removal
 Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)
 On-site Closure Method (Only for temporary pits and closed-loop systems)
 In-place Burial On-site Trench Burial
 Alternative Closure Method

14.

Waste Excavation and Removal Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) **Instructions:** Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings)
- Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

15.

Siting Criteria (regarding on-site closure methods only): 19.15.17.10 NMAC

Instructions: Each siting criteria requires a demonstration of compliance in the closure plan. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria require justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.

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|---|---|
| Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of the buried waste.
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> NA |
| Ground water is between 25-50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> NA |
| Ground water is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste.
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> NA |
| Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).
- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.
- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Within 300 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application.
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Within 300 feet of a wetland.
US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within an unstable area. - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

16. **On-Site Closure Plan Checklist:** (19.15.17.13 NMAC) *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- Proof of Surface Owner Notice - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection K of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Construction/Design Plan of Temporary Pit (for in-place burial of a drying pad) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings or in case on-site closure standards cannot be achieved)
- Soil Cover Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

17. **Operator Application Certification:**

I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name (Print): _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

e-mail address: _____ Telephone: _____

18. **OCD Approval:** Permit Application (including closure plan) Closure Plan (only) OCD Conditions (see attachment)

OCD Representative Signature: *Georaul Jave* Approval Date: 6/30/15

Title: Engineer OCD Permit Number: _____

19. **Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion):** 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Instructions: Operators are required to obtain an approved closure plan prior to implementing any closure activities and submitting the closure report. The closure report is required to be submitted to the division within 60 days of the completion of the closure activities. Please do not complete this section of the form until an approved closure plan has been obtained and the closure activities have been completed.

Closure Completion Date: 05/19/2015

20. **Closure Method:**

Waste Excavation and Removal On-Site Closure Method Alternative Closure Method Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)

If different from approved plan, please explain.

21. **Closure Report Attachment Checklist:** *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure report. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- Proof of Closure Notice (surface owner and division)
- Proof of Deed Notice (required for on-site closure for private land only)
- Plot Plan (for on-site closures and temporary pits)
- Confirmation Sampling Analytical Results (if applicable)
- Waste Material Sampling Analytical Results (required for on-site closure)
- Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number
- Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
- Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique
- Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)

On-site Closure Location: Latitude 35.931361 Longitude -103.986700 NAD: 1927 1983

22.

Operator Closure Certification:

I hereby certify that the information and attachments submitted with this closure report is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that the closure complies with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.

Name (Print): KAY MADDOX Title: REGULATORY SUPERVISOR

Signature: *Kay Maddox* Date: 05/23/2015

e-mail address: KAY.MADDOX@WHITING.COM Telephone: 432.686.6709

**WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION
PIT CLOSURE REPORT**

GALVESTON 2028 29 Well #1
API NO 30-021-20637

- 1) The pit will be closed within six (6) months from the date that the drilling or workover rig is released. If necessary, the division district office may grant an extension not to exceed three (3) months.
The Drlg rig was released 08/09/2014 after drilling this well – requested an extension to get the pit closed – was granted 6 month extension 1/16/2015
- 2) Surface Owners will be notified by Certified mail at least 72 hours but not more than one week prior to closure of the Temporary pit. The notice shall include well name, API number and location.
Reference attached notification
- 3) The Appropriate Division District Office (OCD) will be notified verbally and in writing at least 72 hours but not more than one week prior to closure of the Temporary pit. The notice shall include well name, API number and location.
NMOCD was notified via email – reference attached copy of email
- 4) If on site burial is on PRIVATE LAND, Whiting will file a deed notice identifying the exact location of the onsite burial with the county clerk in county where onsite burial occurs
Certified Recorded Deed Notice attached
- 5) All liquids from the pit will be removed prior to closure. Liquids will be disposed of at the Sundance Services, Inc. Parabo Disposal Facility (Permit No. 010003), unless they are recycled, reused, or reclaimed in a division district office-approved manner.
Liquids from pit evaporated, no removal was required.
- 6) The pit will be stabilized with clean non-waste containing earthen material with a ratio no more than 3:1
Pit was stabilized with non-waste containing earthen material in order to achieve the solidification process. The solidification process was accomplished by using a combination of natural drying and Mechanically mixing. Pit contents were mixed with non-waste, earthen material to a consistency that is deemed safe and stable. The mixing ratio consisted of approximately 3 parts clean soil to 1 part pit contents.
- 7) After stabilization, the contents of the pit will be tested to determine whether concentrations are below standards. A five-point composite sample will be collected. The samples will be sent to an approved laboratory and analyzed for benzene, total BTEX, TPH, the GRO and DRO combined fraction, and chlorides. Assuming water could be encountered around 100', the following should not be exceeded:
 - Chlorides (ads determined by EPA method 300.1): 40,000 mg/kg or background concentration, whichever is greater
 - TPH (EPA SW-846 method 418.a or other division-approved EPA method): 2500 mg/kg.
 - GRO and DRO combined fraction (EPA SW-846 method 8015M): 1000 mg/kg.
 - BTEX (EPA SW-846 method 8021B or 8260B or other approved EPA method): 50 mg/kg

- Benzene (EPA SW-846 method 8021B or 8260B or other approved EPA method): 10 mg/kg

A five point composite sample was taken of the pit using sample tools and all samples tested per Subsection B of 19.15.17.1 3(B)(1)(b) results attached.

- 8) If the contents are above the concentration limits after stabilization Whiting will comply with 19.15.17.13.C (Waste Excavation and Removal)

Not necessary

- 9) If it is determined that contents of the pit doesn't exceed the above-specified concentrations, the pit will be covered with compacted, non-waste-containing, earthen material. A division-prescribed soil cover will be constructed and the site will be re-contoured and re-vegetated, per Subsections D, E, F, G, H, of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

The pit material passed solidification and testing standards. The pit area was then back filled with compacted, non-waste containing earthen material.

- 10) All areas associated with the pit that are no longer being used will be substantially restored to the condition that existed prior to oil and gas operations by placement of the soil cover re-contouring to match original contours and surrounding topography, and re-vegetating.

This was done – please see attached pictures

- 11) If an alternative to the re-vegetation requirements is required to prevent erosion, protect fresh water, or protect human health and the environment, this alternative will be proposed to the surface owner. The proposed alternative, with written documentation demonstrating that the surface owner approves the alternative, will be submitted to the division for approval.

No alternative is required

- 12) Soil cover will consist of 4' of non-waste containing earthen material with chloride concentrations less than 600mg/KG including 1' of topsoil

Four feet of non-waste earthen cover was achieved including one foot of suitable material to establish vegetation.

- 13) All contents, including synthetic pit liners, will be buried in place. By folding outer edges of the pit liner to overlap waste material, and then installing a geomembrane liner cover that is 20 mil string reinforced LLDPE, synthetic material, impervious, resistant to ultra violet light, petroleum hydrocarbons, salts, acid and alkaline.

These was done including placing a 20 mil LLDPE liner cover

- 14) Soil cover will be constructed to the site's existing grade and will prevent ponding of water and erosion of the cover material.

This was done – reference attached photos

- 15) The first favorable growing season following pit closure, all disturbed areas associated with the pit and no longer being used will be seeded or planted.

This area will be re-seeded during the next growing season in this area

– reference attached letter

- 16) Seeding will be accomplished by drilling on the contour whenever practical, or by other division-approved methods. Vegetative cover will be considered complete when there is a life form ratio of +/- 50% of pre-disturbance levels with at least 70% total plant cover of pre-disturbance level (Excluding Noxious Weeds) OR in accordance to 19.15.17.13.H.5.d

This will be done during the next growing season in this area

- 17) Seeding or planting will be repeated until the required vegetative cover is successfully achieved.

Whiting will comply

18) When conditions aren't favorable for the establishment of vegetation (such as during periods of drought), the division will be contacted for approval to delay seeding or planting, or for approval to use additional cultural techniques such as mulching, fertilizing, irrigating, fencing, etc.

Attached letter

19) The division will be notified when seeding or planting is completed, and when successful re-vegetation has been achieved.

Whiting will comply

20) Place a steel marker at the center of the onsite burial. The marker shall be 4" diameter, at least 4' high and cemented 3' deep. The following will be welded, stamped or otherwise permanently engraved into the marker; operator name, lease name, well number and location, unit letter, section, township, range, and that the marker designates an onsite burial

Reference attached pictures

21) Within 60 days of closure, completion, a closure report will be submitted on form C-144, with necessary attachments, to document closure activities, including sampling results, a plot plan, and backfilling details. In this closure report, Whiting will certify that all information in the report and attachments is correct and that Whiting has complied with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved Closure Plan. A plat of the temporary pit location will be provided on form C-105.

Kay Maddox

From: Kay Maddox
Sent: Thursday, May 14, 2015 9:33 AM
To: Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD (Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us)
Cc: Jones, William V, EMNRD (WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us)
Subject: Notification of Temporary Pit Closure

Whiting will be closing the temporary pit for the well listed below (weather permitting) on May 18, 2015

GALVESTON 2028 29 Well # 1 30-021-20631
SECTION 29, T20N, R28E 1659' FSL 7 1749' FEL
Harding County, NM

Kay Maddox
Regulatory Supervisor
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Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation
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May 14, 2015

Linda Lewis
141 Lewis Road
Mosquero, New Mexico 87733

RE: Notification to Surface Owner of On-Site Drilling Pit Closure
Well: GALVESTON 2028 29 Well # 1 30-021-20637
SECTION 29, T20N, R28E 1659' FSL 7 1749' FEL
Harding County, NM

Whiting Oil & Gas proposes to close and remediate the surface land according to all rules and regulations noted in Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC. Weather permitting this work will begin May 18, 2015.

If you have any additional question please contact Kay Maddox @ 432.686.6709.

Sincerely,

Kay Maddox
Regulatory Supervisor

Mailed by certified mail to above listed party on this the 14TH day of May, 2015

Signed: Kay Maddox- Regulatory Supervisor

Certified Mail # 7011 3500 0002 4991 1885

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and its wholly owned subsidiary
Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation*

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO

COUNTY OF HARDING

NOTICE OF PIT CLOSURE

In accordance with Section 19.15.17.13.E.4 of the NMOCD , the operator hereby provides notice of an on-site burial of a temporary Oil & Gas drilling pit. All rules and regulations of Rule 19.15.17 have been adhered to.

Lease name: GALVESTON 2028 29
Well No: 1
API No: 30-021-20637
TWN & RGE: TWN 20N RGE 28E Section 29
Unit Letter: J
Footages: 1659' FNL & 1749' FEL
Date of Closure: 05/19/2015

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the recordation notice of Pit Closure/burial has been executed on the date indicated below by undersigned.

Whiting Petroleum Corporation
And its wholly owned subsidiary
Whiting Oil & Gas Corporation



Kay Maddox – Regulatory Supervisor

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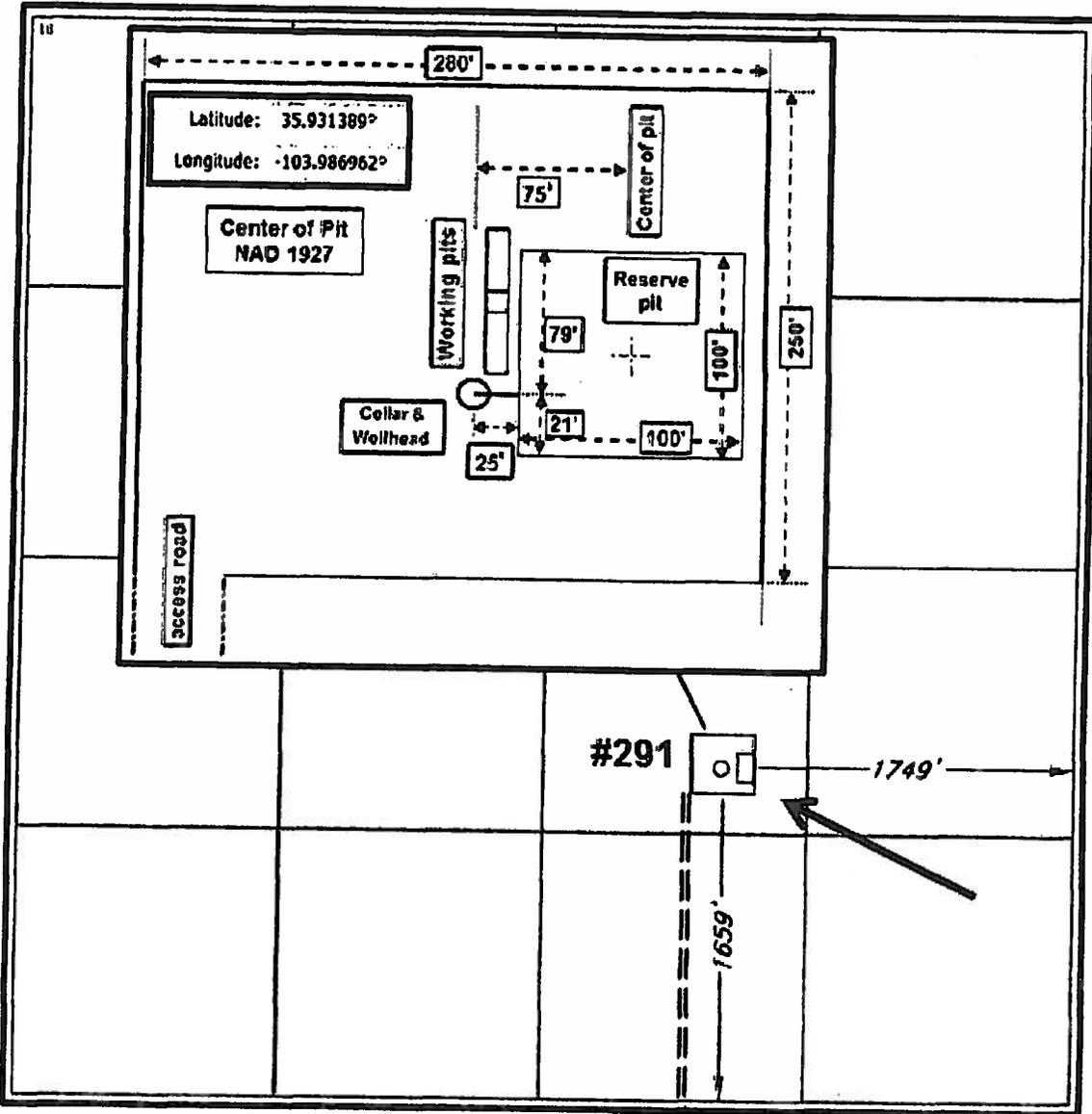
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Whiting Petroleum Corporation

Galveston 2028 #291

T-20-N, R-28E, Section 29 NMPM

Harding County, New Mexico



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April 07, 2015

ROBERT MCNAUGHTON
WHITING OIL & GAS
400 W. ILLINOIS, SUITE 1300
MIDLAND, TX 79701

RE: WEST BRAVO DOME

Enclosed are the results of analyses for samples received by the laboratory on 03/26/15 11:50.

Cardinal Laboratories is accredited through Texas NELAP under certificate number T104704398-13-5. Accreditation applies to drinking water, non-potable water and solid and chemical materials. All accredited analytes are denoted by an asterisk (*). For a complete list of accredited analytes and matrices visit the TCEQ website at www.tceq.texas.gov/field/qa/lab_accred_certif.html.

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Method EPA 552.2	Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA-5)
Method EPA 524.2	Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)
Method EPA 524.4	Regulated VOCs (V1, V2, V3)

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Method EPA 524.2	Regulated VOCs and Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)
Method EPA 552.2	Total Haloacetic Acids (HAA-5)

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This report meets NELAP requirements and is made up of a cover page, analytical results, and a copy of the original chain-of-custody. If you have any questions concerning this report, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Celey D. Keene
Lab Director/Quality Manager

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WHITING OIL & GAS 400 W. ILLINOIS, SUITE 1300 MIDLAND TX, 79701	Project: WEST BRAVO DOME Project Number: NONE GIVEN Project Manager: ROBERT MCNAUGHTON Fax To: NONE	Reported: 07-Apr-15 11:58
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Sample ID	Laboratory ID	Matrix	Date Sampled	Date Received
GALVESTON 2028 # 291	H500809-01	Soil	25-Mar-15 13:10	26-Mar-15 11:50
LEWIS 2028 # 261	H500809-02	Soil	25-Mar-15 13:40	26-Mar-15 11:50
DECATUR 1927 # 241	H500809-03	Soil	25-Mar-15 14:05	26-Mar-15 11:50
DOROTEO 1927-15 #3	H500809-04	Soil	25-Mar-15 14:40	26-Mar-15 11:50
AK GEE 1928 # 301	H500809-05	Soil	25-Mar-15 15:15	26-Mar-15 11:50
WHITE-COOK 1828-05 #1	H500809-06	Soil	25-Mar-15 15:45	26-Mar-15 11:50

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GALVESTON 2028 # 291

H500809-01 (Soil)

Analyte	Result	MDL	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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Cardinal Laboratories
Inorganic Compounds

Chloride	464		16.0	mg/kg	4	5032615	AP	27-Mar-15	4500-Cl-B	
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Organic Compounds

TPH 418.1	599		100	mg/kg	10	5040701	CK	07-Apr-15	418.1	
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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021

Benzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Toluene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Ethylbenzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total Xylenes*	ND		0.150	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total BTEX	ND		0.300	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)			104 %	61-154		5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	

Petroleum Hydrocarbons by GC FID

GRO C6-C10	ND		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
DRO >C10-C28	14.3		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane			107 %	47.2-157		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane			108 %	52.1-176		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	

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LEWIS 2028 # 261
H500809-02 (Soil)

Analyte	Result	MDL	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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Cardinal Laboratories
Inorganic Compounds

Chloride	1440		16.0	mg/kg	4	5032615	AP	27-Mar-15	4500-Cl-B	
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Organic Compounds

TPH 418.1	2320		100	mg/kg	10	5040701	CK	07-Apr-15	418.1	
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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021

Benzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Toluene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Ethylbenzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total Xylenes*	ND		0.150	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total BTEX	ND		0.300	mg/kg	50	5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)			104 %	61-154		5032707	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	

Petroleum Hydrocarbons by GC FID

GRO C6-C10	ND		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
DRO >C10-C28	18.8		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane			117 %	47.2-157		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane			115 %	52.1-176		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	

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DECATUR 1927 # 241
H500809-03 (Soil)

Analyte	Result	MDL	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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Cardinal Laboratories
Inorganic Compounds

Chloride	1120		16.0	mg/kg	4	5032615	AP	27-Mar-15	4500-Cl-B	
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Organic Compounds

TPH 418.1	1440		100	mg/kg	10	5040701	CK	07-Apr-15	418.1	
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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021

Benzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Toluene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Ethylbenzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total Xylenes*	ND		0.150	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total BTEX	ND		0.300	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)			108 %	61-154		5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	

Petroleum Hydrocarbons by GC FID

GRO C6-C10	ND		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
DRO >C10-C28	41.0		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane			112 %	47.2-157		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane			120 %	52.1-176		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	

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DOROTEO 1927-15 #3
H500809-04 (Soil)

Analyte	Result	MDL	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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Cardinal Laboratories
Inorganic Compounds

Chloride	784		16.0	mg/kg	4	5032615	AP	27-Mar-15	4500-Cl-B	
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Organic Compounds

TPH 418.1	2660		100	mg/kg	10	5040701	CK	07-Apr-15	418.1	
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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021

Benzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Toluene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Ethylbenzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total Xylenes*	ND		0.150	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total BTEX	ND		0.300	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)			109 %	61-154		5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	

Petroleum Hydrocarbons by GC FID

GRO C6-C10	ND		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
DRO >C10-C28	33.9		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane			115 %	47.2-157		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
Surrogate: 1-Chloroadecane			120 %	52.1-176		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	

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AK GEE 1928 # 301
H500809-05 (Soil)

Analyte	Result	MDL	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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Cardinal Laboratories
Inorganic Compounds

Chloride	880		16.0	mg/kg	4	5032615	AP	27-Mar-15	4500-Cl-B	
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Organic Compounds

TPH 418.1	933		100	mg/kg	10	5040701	CK	07-Apr-15	418.1	
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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021

Benzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Toluene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Ethylbenzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total Xylenes*	ND		0.150	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total BTEX	ND		0.300	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	

<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)</i>			104 %	61-154		5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
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Petroleum Hydrocarbons by GC FID

GRO C6-C10	ND		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
DRO >C10-C28	11.2		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	

<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane</i>			112 %	47.2-157		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
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<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorodecane</i>			113 %	52.1-176		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
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WHITE-COOK 1828-05 #1
H500809-06 (Soil)

Analyte	Result	MDL	Reporting Limit	Units	Dilution	Batch	Analyst	Analyzed	Method	Notes
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Inorganic Compounds

Chloride	736		16.0	mg/kg	4	5032615	AP	27-Mar-15	4500-Cl-B	
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Organic Compounds

TPH 418.1	1730		100	mg/kg	10	5040701	CK	07-Apr-15	418.1	
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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021

Benzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Toluene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Ethylbenzene*	ND		0.050	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total Xylenes*	ND		0.150	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
Total BTEX	ND		0.300	mg/kg	50	5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	

<i>Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)</i>			106 %	61-154		5032708	ms	28-Mar-15	8021B	
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Petroleum Hydrocarbons by GC FID

GRO C6-C10	ND		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
DRO >C10-C28	42.0		10.0	mg/kg	1	5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	

<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane</i>			113 %	47.2-157		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
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<i>Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane</i>			117 %	52.1-176		5032612	MS	26-Mar-15	8015B	
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Inorganic Compounds - Quality Control
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
Batch 5032615 - 1:4 DI Water										
Blank (5032615-BLK1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 26-Mar-15										
Chloride	ND	16.0	mg/kg							
LCS (5032615-BS1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 26-Mar-15										
Chloride	416	16.0	mg/kg	400		104	80-120			
LCS Dup (5032615-BSD1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 26-Mar-15										
Chloride	432	16.0	mg/kg	400		108	80-120	3.77	20	

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Organic Compounds - Quality Control
Cardinal Laboratories

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
Batch 5040701 - Solvent Extraction										
Blank (5040701-BLK1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 07-Apr-15										
TPH 418.1	ND	100	mg/kg							
LCS (5040701-BS1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 07-Apr-15										
TPH 418.1	4400	100	mg/kg	5000		87.9	70-130			
LCS Dup (5040701-BSD1)										
Prepared & Analyzed: 07-Apr-15										
TPH 418.1	4400	100	mg/kg	5000		88.1	70-130	0.205	20	

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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021 - Quality Control
Cardinal Laboratories

Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC %REC	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch 5032707 - Volatiles

Blank (5032707-BLK1)		Prepared: 27-Mar-15 Analyzed: 28-Mar-15							
Benzene	ND	0.050	mg/kg						
Toluene	ND	0.050	mg/kg						
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050	mg/kg						
Total Xylenes	ND	0.150	mg/kg						
Total BTEX	ND	0.300	mg/kg						
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)	0.0522		mg/kg	0.0500		104		61-154	

LCS (5032707-BS1)		Prepared: 27-Mar-15 Analyzed: 28-Mar-15							
Benzene	2.16	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		108		77.1-114	
Toluene	1.95	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		97.4		67-114	
Ethylbenzene	1.93	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		96.7		63.5-121	
Total Xylenes	5.90	0.150	mg/kg	6.00		98.3		62.4-125	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)	0.0491		mg/kg	0.0500		98.2		61-154	

LCS Dup (5032707-BSD1)		Prepared: 27-Mar-15 Analyzed: 28-Mar-15							
Benzene	2.17	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		109	0.627	77.1-114	16.4
Toluene	1.95	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		97.6	0.219	67-114	16.2
Ethylbenzene	1.94	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		96.9	0.226	63.5-121	17
Total Xylenes	5.88	0.150	mg/kg	6.00		98.1	0.279	62.4-125	17
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)	0.0487		mg/kg	0.0500		97.3		61-154	

Batch 5032708 - Volatiles		Prepared: 27-Mar-15 Analyzed: 28-Mar-15							
Blank (5032708-BLK1)									
Benzene	ND	0.050	mg/kg						
Toluene	ND	0.050	mg/kg						
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050	mg/kg						
Total Xylenes	ND	0.150	mg/kg						
Total BTEX	ND	0.300	mg/kg						
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)	0.0543		mg/kg	0.0500		109		61-154	

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Analytical Results For:

WHITING OIL & GAS 400 W. ILLINOIS, SUITE 1300 MIDLAND TX, 79701	Project: WEST BRAVO DOME Project Number: NONE GIVEN Project Manager: ROBERT MCNAUGHTON Fax To: NONE	Reported: 07-Apr-15 11:58
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Volatile Organic Compounds by EPA Method 8021 - Quality Control
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch 5032708 - Volatiles
LCS (5032708-BS1)

Prepared: 27-Mar-15 Analyzed: 28-Mar-15

Benzene	2.22	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		111	77.1-114			
Toluene	2.00	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		100	67-114			
Ethylbenzene	2.01	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		100	63.5-121			
Total Xylenes	6.16	0.150	mg/kg	6.00		103	62.4-125			
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)	0.0507		mg/kg	0.0500		101	61-154			

LCS Dup (5032708-BSD1)

Prepared: 27-Mar-15 Analyzed: 28-Mar-15

Benzene	2.22	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		111	77.1-114	0.0622	16.4	
Toluene	2.00	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		99.8	67-114	0.364	16.2	
Ethylbenzene	1.99	0.050	mg/kg	2.00		99.7	63.5-121	0.691	17	
Total Xylenes	6.12	0.150	mg/kg	6.00		102	62.4-125	0.570	17	
Surrogate: 4-Bromofluorobenzene (PID)	0.0506		mg/kg	0.0500		101	61-154			

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Petroleum Hydrocarbons by GC FID - Quality Control
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Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Units	Spike Level	Source Result	%REC	%REC Limits	RPD	RPD Limit	Notes
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Batch 5032612 - General Prep - Organics

Blank (5032612-BLK1)		Prepared & Analyzed: 26-Mar-15								
GRO C6-C10	ND	10.0	mg/kg							
DRO >C10-C28	ND	10.0	mg/kg							
EXT DRO >C28-C35	ND	10.0	mg/kg							
Total TPH C6-C28	ND	10.0	mg/kg							
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	54.0		mg/kg	50.0		108	47.2-157			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	51.9		mg/kg	50.0		104	52.1-176			
LCS (5032612-BS1)		Prepared & Analyzed: 26-Mar-15								
GRO C6-C10	208	10.0	mg/kg	200		104	72.5-115			
DRO >C10-C28	210	10.0	mg/kg	200		105	81.3-118			
Total TPH C6-C28	418	10.0	mg/kg	400		105	80-113			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	56.0		mg/kg	50.0		112	47.2-157			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	50.9		mg/kg	50.0		102	52.1-176			
LCS Dup (5032612-BSD1)		Prepared & Analyzed: 26-Mar-15								
GRO C6-C10	210	10.0	mg/kg	200		105	72.5-115	0.792	10.1	
DRO >C10-C28	210	10.0	mg/kg	200		105	81.3-118	0.116	15.3	
Total TPH C6-C28	420	10.0	mg/kg	400		105	80-113	0.453	12.1	
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctane	56.5		mg/kg	50.0		113	47.2-157			
Surrogate: 1-Chlorooctadecane	50.3		mg/kg	50.0		101	52.1-176			

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ND	Analyte NOT DETECTED at or above the reporting limit
RPD	Relative Percent Difference
**	Samples not received at proper temperature of 6°C or below.
***	Insufficient time to reach temperature.
-	Chloride by SM4500Cl-B does not require samples be received at or below 6°C Samples reported on an as received basis (wet) unless otherwise noted on report

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CHAIN-OF-CUSTODY AND ANALYSIS REQUEST

101 East Marland, Hobbs, NM 88240
 (575) 393-2326 FAX (575) 393-2476

BILL TO

ANALYSIS REQUEST

Company Name: Whiting Oil & Gas
 Project Manager: Robert McNaughton
 Address: 400 W. Illinois, Suite 1300
 City: Midland State: Tx Zip: 79701
 Phone #: 806-471-5628 Fax #: _____
 Project #: _____ Project Owner: _____
 Project Name: West Bravo Dome
 Project Location: Harding Co., NM
 Sampler Name: Danny Holcomb
 P.O. #: _____
 Company: Whiting Oil & Gas
 Attn: Guy Ballouk
 Address: 400 W. Illinois, Suite 1300
 City: Midland
 State: Tx Zip: 79701
 Phone #: _____ Fax #: _____

Lab I.D.	Sample I.D.	(G)RAB OR (C)OMP.	# CONTAINERS	MATRIX						DATE	TIME	ANALYSIS							
				GROUNDWATER	WASTEWATER	SOIL	OIL	SLUDGE	OTHER										
H500809	Galveston 2028 #291	C	1			✓				3/25/15	1:10 pm	TPH 8015							
1	Galveston 2028 #291	C	1			✓					1:40 pm	✓	TPH 418.1						
2	Lewis 2028 #261	C	1			✓					2:05 pm	✓	Btex						
3	Decatur 1927 #241	C	1			✓					2:40 pm	✓	✓						
4	Dorado 1927-15 #3	C	1			✓					3:15 pm	✓	✓						
5	AK Ge 1928 #301	C	1			✓					3:45 pm	✓	✓						
b	White-Cook 1828-05 #1	C	1			✓						✓	✓						

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Relinquished By: DJ Holcomb
 Date: 3/26/15
 Time: _____
 Received By: Danny Holcomb
 Date: 3/26/15
 Time: _____

Phone Result: Yes No Add'l Phone #: _____
 Fax Result: Yes No Add'l Fax #: _____
 REMARKS: _____
 Email results to: djholcomb75@gmail.com
Kay.maddox@whiting.com

Delivered By: (Circle One)
 Sampler - UPS - Bus - Other: Other
 Sample Condition: Cool Intact
 Yes No Yes No

CHECKED BY: [Signature]

† Cardinal cannot accept verbal changes. Please fax written changes to (575) 393-2476



Whiting Oil & Gas Corporation

GALVESTON 2028 #291
UNIT J. SEC. 29. T20N. R28E
1659' FSL & 1749' FEL
API #30-021-20637 HARDING CO., NM

Looking South



Ground wet from Rain

Looking North



Ground wet from Rain

Looking
East



Ground wet from Rain

Looking West



Poly Tank for well testing/unloading - ground is wet from rain



Submit 1 Copy To Appropriate District Office
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 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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 811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
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 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410
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State of New Mexico
 Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-103
 Revised July 18, 2013

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 1220 South St. Francis Dr.
 Santa Fe, NM 87505

WELL API NO. 30-021-20637
5. Indicate Type of Lease STATE <input type="checkbox"/> FEE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.
7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name GALVESTON 2028 29
8. Well Number # 1
9. OGRID Number 25078
10. Pool name or Wildcat BRAVO DOME CARBON DIOXIDE GAS 640

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
 (DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

1. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other

2. Name of Operator
WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION

3. Address of Operator
400 W ILLINOIS STE 1300 MIDLAND, TX 79701

4. Well Location
 Unit Letter J 1659 feet from the SOUTH line and 1749 feet from the EAST line
 Section 29 Township 20N Range 28E NMPM County HARDING

11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)
5526' GR

12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:	
PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>	PLUG AND ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/>	REMEDIAL WORK <input type="checkbox"/>	ALTERING CASING <input type="checkbox"/>
TEMPORARILY ABANDON <input type="checkbox"/>	CHANGE PLANS <input type="checkbox"/>	COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. <input type="checkbox"/>	P AND A <input type="checkbox"/>
PULL OR ALTER CASING <input type="checkbox"/>	MULTIPLE COMPL <input type="checkbox"/>	CASING/CEMENT JOB <input type="checkbox"/>	
DOWNHOLE COMMINGLE <input type="checkbox"/>			
CLOSED-LOOP SYSTEM <input type="checkbox"/>			
OTHER: <input type="checkbox"/>		OTHER: TEMPORARY PIT CLOSURE <input type="checkbox"/>	

13. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 19.15.7.14 NMAC. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion.

08/04/2014 SPUD WELL
 08/05/2014 RAN 9 5/8" J-55 36# CSG, SET @ 724' W/450 SXS CMT 14.80 PPG 1.34 YIELD, CIRC CMT TO SURF
 08/09/2014 RAN 5 1/2" J-55 15.5# CSG, SET @ 2830' W/TOTAL OF 625 SXS CMT (350 SXS 11.8 PPG 2.61 YIELD +275 SXS 13.20 PPG 1.86 YIELD) CIRC CMT TO SURF
 08/09/2014 RELEASED RIG

6 MO EXTENSION GRANTED ON 1/16/2015 TO GET DRILLING PIT CLOSED
 TEMPORARY PIT CLOSED 05/19/2015

Spud Date: Rig Release Date:

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE Kay Maddox TITLE: REGULATORY ANALYST DATE: 05/23/2015

Type or print name Kay Maddox E-mail address: kay.Maddox@Whiting.com PHONE: 432-638-8475

For State Use Only

APPROVED BY: _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____
 Conditions of Approval (if any): _____



May 23, 2015

Mr. Leonard Lowe
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 S. St. Francis Dr
Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: Pit Closure

Dear Mr. Lowe,

Whiting Oil & Gas shall re-seed the disturbed Pit area for the well listed below. The re-seeding shall occur in the next rainy season documented for Harding County, New Mexico approximately August/September 2015.

If you have additional question please contact me @ 432.686.6709 or kay.maddox@whiting.com
Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Kay Maddox
Regulatory Supervisor

GALVESTON 2028 29 Well # 1
30-021-20637
Harding County, New Mexico

*Whiting Petroleum Corporation
and its wholly owned subsidiary
Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation*

400 W. Illinois Avenue, Suite 1300, Midland, TX 79701 Office: 432.686.6700 Fax 432.686.6799

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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240

State of New Mexico

Form C-102

DISTRICT II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210

Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number 30-021-20637	² Pool Code 98/04	³ Pool Name Wildcat; Tubbs CO2 GAS POOL
⁴ Property Code 313934	⁵ Property Name GALVESTON 2028 29	
⁷ OGRID No. 25078	⁶ Operator Name WHITING OIL & GAS CORPORATION	⁸ Well Number 1
		⁹ Elevation 5526'

Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
J	29	20 NORTH	28 EAST, N.M.P.M.		1659'	SOUTH	1749'	EAST	HARDING

Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
¹² Dedicated Acres: 160 ¹³ Joint or Infill: ¹⁴ Consolidation Code: ¹⁵ Order No.:									

NO ALLOWABLE WELL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

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¹⁷ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.

Signature: *Kay Maddox* Date: 5/14/14
 Printed Name: KAY MADDOX

¹⁸ SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

MAY 12, 2014
 Date of Survey
 Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor

Certificate Number: V. Lynn Bezner P.S. #7920
 FILE:LO_GALVESTON_2028_29_1KY