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Facility ID	fRM1925957019
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# **Release Notification**

### **Responsible Party**

Responsible Party Chevron	OGRID 4323	
Contact Name Nebechi Osia	Contact Telephone 432-257-8265	
Contact email Nebechi.Osia@chevron.com	Incident # (assigned by OCD)	
Contact mailing address 6301 Deauville Blvd, Midland TX 79706		

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

Latitude 32.787714

Longitude -103.509037

(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name Buckeye CO2 Plant	Site Type Gas Processing Plant
Date Release Discovered 07/19/2019	API# (if applicable) N/A

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
Р	36	17S	34 <mark>5</mark> E	Lea
rlm 10/2/2019				

Surface Owner: State State Federal Tribal Private (Name: State of New Mexico

### **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)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
	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) 74.6	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)
Cause of Release		

of Release

Flaring was due to Compressor 217 2nd stage blow down; valve instrument air tubing broke off causing valve to fail.

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?
🗌 Yes 🔽 No	
If YES, was immediate n	otice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?

## **Initial Response**

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

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

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

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 <u>not</u> been undertaken, explain why:

Released material was not a liquid therefore the fourth option does not apply.

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.

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Signature:	Date: 07/19/2019	
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