

Closure Report

Site Description

Site Name:	Cedar Canyon 23 Fed Com 33H
Company:	Oxy, Permian
Legal Description:	U/L I, Sec 22, T24S, R29E
County:	Eddy County, NM
GPS Coordinates:	N 32.20262, W -103.96440

Release Data

Date of Release:	5/9/2019
Type of Release:	Crude Oil and Produced Water
Source of Release:	3rd party dumped on road
Volume of Release:	50 bbls oil, 50 bbls produced water
Volume Recovered:	0 bbls

Remediation Specifications

Remediation Parameters & Activities	When going to map out the spill, torrential rains started and access was blocked due to flooding. The entire road was washed out and the spill was unable to be located. Additionally, this was a main road for COG to one of their fields and they rebuilt the road immediately to allow access to their wells. Mike Bratcher of the OCD consulted to submit the final C-141 with details of this incident.
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Plan Sent to OCD:	n/a	Unable to provide due to the incident described above
OCD Approval of Plan:	n/a	Unable to provide due to the incident described above
Plan Sent to BLM:	n/a	Unable to provide due to the incident described above
BLM Approval of Plan:	n/a	Unable to provide due to the incident described above

Supporting Documentation

Initial C-141	signed and included
C-141, page 6	signed and included
Pictures	Aerial photo of the area showing washout attached to C-141

Request for Closure

Based on the completion of the remediation plan as agreed upon, BBC International requests closure approval from NMOCD.

Cliff Brunson, President of BBC International Inc.

3/11/2020

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural
Resources Department

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

Form C-141
Revised August 24, 2018
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	NAB1922428736
District RP	2RP-5573
Facility ID	
Application ID	pAB1922428459

Release Notification

LBA8B-190729-C-1410

Responsible Party

Responsible Party	OXY USA INC.	OGRID	16696
Contact Name	WADE DITTRICH	Contact Telephone	(575) 390-2828
Contact email	WADE_DITTRICH@OXY.COM	Incident # (assigned by OCD)	NAB1922428736
Contact mailing address	PO BOX 4294; HOUSTON, TX 77210		

Location of Release Source

Latitude N 32.20262 Longitude W-103.96440
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name	CEDAR CANYON 23 FED COM 33H	Site Type	WELL
Date Release Discovered	5/9/19	API# (if applicable)	30-015-43290

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
I	22	24S	29E	EDDY COUNTY, NM

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)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls) 50 BBLS	Volume Recovered (bbls) 0 BBLS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) 50 BBLS	Volume Recovered (bbls) 0 BBLS
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

Cause of Release

THIRD PARTY DUMPED ON THE ROAD

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release? THE RELEASE WAS GREATER THAN 25 BBLS
If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)? YES BY WADE DITTRICH OF OXY TO MIKE BRATCHER & ROBERT HAMLET OF NMOCD AND JAMES AMOS AND CRYSTAL WEAVER OF THE BLM VIA EMAIL ON 5/13/19 @ 5:04PM	

Initial Response

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

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The source of the release has been stopped. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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: 	
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: <u>Wade Dittrich</u> Signature: <u></u> email: <u>wade_dittrich@oxy.com</u>	Title: <u>Environmental Coordinator</u> Date: <u>6-25-19</u> Telephone: <u>(575) 390-2828</u>
<u>OCD Only</u> Received by: <u>Amalia Bustamante</u> Date: <u>8/12/2019</u>	

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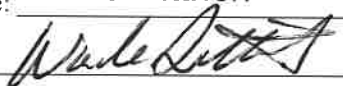
Closure

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 OCD District office must be notified 2 days prior to final sampling)
- ☒ Description of remediation activities SEE ATTACHED PAGE

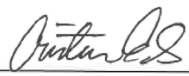
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Printed Name: Wade Dittrich Title: Environmental Coordinator
 Signature:  Date: 3-9-2020
 email: wade_dittrich@oxy.com Telephone: (575) 390-2828

OCD Only

Received by: Cristina Eads Date: 03/20/2020

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.

Closure Approved by:  Date: 03/20/2020
 Printed Name: Cristina Eads Title: Environmental Specialist

A third party dumped the fluid on a lease road. When going to map out the spill, torrential rains started, and access was blocked due to flooding. The entire road was washed out and the spill was not able to be located. In addition, this was a main road for COG to one of their fields and they rebuilt the road immediately to allow access to their wells. Mike Bratcher of the OCD was consulted about this situation and he said to just submit the final C-141 with this description. An aerial photo of the area a few days after is attached to show water still standing in areas and washouts to the river in other areas.

