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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011**NMOCD ARTESIA**

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

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

nJMW1234530690

OPERATOR☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company OXY Permian 192463	Contact Chris Jones
Address 1502 W. Commerce Drive	Telephone No. 575-449-3337
Facility Name Righthand Canyon 34 Fed 7	Facility Type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	API No. 30-015-32807
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
O	34	21S	24E	1176	South	2123	East	Eddy

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 120 bbls	Volume Recovered 35 bbls
Source of Release 6" steel line with a Victaulic connection.	Date and Hour of Occurrence 12-4-12 1000am	Date and Hour of Discovery 12-4-12 1000am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher- NMOCD; Jim Amos-BLM	
By Whom? Chris Jones	Date and Hour 12-5-12 0900 am	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

A Victaulic bolt vibrated loose at the junction box and production water was found leaking.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The leak happened in a junction box and so the majority of the spill happened and affected the area around the box. The leak amount was enough that it did run down the hill, but most of it stayed on the road. Wells were shut in and a vacuum truck was called to location to begin picking up standing fluid. A blade was also called to get up some of the initial contamination off the road as well.

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

Signature:

Printed Name: Chris Jones

Title: HES Specialist

E-mail Address: Christopher_Jones@oxy.com

Date: 12-5-12

Phone: 575-449-3337

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved by Environmental Specialist:

Signed By *Mike Bratcher*

Approval Date:

DEC 10 2012

Expiration Date:

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Remediation per OCD Rules &
Guidelines. **SUBMIT REMEDIATION**

PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN:*January 10, 2013*

2RP-1438

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Sent: Thursday, December 06, 2012 11:32 AM
To: 'Christopher_Jones@oxy.com'; jamos@blm.gov
Subject: RE: Righthand Canyon 34 Fed 7

Chris,

Notify me 48 hours prior to Jade Construction obtaining any samples.

Thanks,

Mike Bratcher
NMOCD District 2
811 S. First Street
Artesia, NM 88210
O: 575-748-1283 X108
C: 575-626-0857
F: 575-748-9720

-----Original Message-----

From: [Christopher Jones@oxy.com](mailto:Christopher_Jones@oxy.com) [mailto:Christopher_Jones@oxy.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 06, 2012 8:59 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov; jadeconstruction@live.com
Subject: Righthand Canyon 34 Fed 7

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From: Christopher_Jones@oxy.com
Sent: Thursday, December 06, 2012 9:53 AM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov
Cc: jadeconstruction@live.com
Subject: Righthand Canyon 34 Fed 7 C-141
Attachments: img-Z06074510-0001.pdf

Here is a copy of the C-141, an original will be certified mailed at a later date, thanks.

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