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Subject: [EXT] Notice of PW Release > 25bbbls (Matador Production Company)
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Please accept this email as immediate notification, on behalf of Matador Production Company, of a produced water (PW) release that was discovered in the early morning hours of Monday, September 7, 2020, at the Eland 32 18 33 RN State Com #123, API 30-025-42977. Coordinates for release area are: 32.69798, -103.68048.

Sometime overnight, it appears an SWD line developed a hole resulting in the release of an estimated 40 bbls of produced water. Recovery of fluids, determination of a final estimated volume and initial mitigation activities are currently underway. The produced water did occur just off-pad near the lease road. The land and mineral rights for this site are owned by the New Mexico State Land Office.

Vertex is in the process of delineating and remediating this release. An initial C-141 notification form will be submitted by Matador's environmental rep shortly followed by a closure report within 90 days.

If you have any questions or need additional information about this release, please don't hesitate to give me a call at 505-506-0040.

Thank you very much,
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