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# **Release Notification**

### **Responsible Party**

Responsible Party Marathon Oil Permian LLC	OGRID 372098
Contact Name Melodie Sanjari	Contact Telephone 575-988-8753
Contact email msanjari@marathonoil.com	Incident # (assigned by OCD)
Contact mailing address 4111 S. Tidwell Rd., Carlsbad, NM 8220	

### **Location of Release Source**

Latitude <u>32.22386574</u>

Longitude <u>-103.46495627</u> (NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name: FLOWMASTER 15 WD FEE #003H	Site Type: Oil & Gas Facility
Date Release Discovered: 10/8/2020	API# (if applicable) 30-025-44688

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
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Surface Owner: State Federal Tribal Private (Name:

### Nature and Volume of Release

Material	l(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) 21.3	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)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

#### Cause of Release:

Operator arrived on site to a pinhole failure off the elbow on the water leg off of the 3H separator that resulted in the release of approximately 21.3 bbl. of produced water inside of the lined containment. The source of the release was isolated for repairs. As there was a crew nearby, they were dispatched to the location and began to power wash the equipment and the impacted containment area to prevent any trip/slip/fall hazards and recover all remaining fluids. A 48 hour notice will be sent out prior to a liner integrity inspection.

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Was this a major	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?
release as defined by	
19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?	
🗌 Yes 🖾 No	
If YES, was immediate no	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

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

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 not 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>Melodie Sanjari</u>	Title: <u>Environmental Professional</u>
Signature: <u>Melodie Sanjari</u>	Date: 10/12/2020
email: <u>msanjari@marathonoil.com</u>	Telephone: <u>575-988-8753</u>
OCD Only	
Received by: Ramona Marcus	Date: <u>10/13/2020</u>

## **Spill Calculation Tool**

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	Length (ft.)	Width (ft.)	Avg. Liquid Depth (in.)	% Oil	Total Volume (bbls)	Water Volume (bbls)	Oil Volume (bbls)
Rectangle Area #1	62	44	0.25		10.12	10.12	0.00
Rectangle Area #2	20	54	0.25		4.01	4.01	0.00
Rectangle Area #3	46	42	0.25		7.17	7.17	0.00
Rectangle Area #4					0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #5					0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #6					0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #7					0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #8					0.00	0.00	0.00
-				Liquid Volume:	21.30	21.30	0.00
	Length (ft.)	Width (ft.)	Avg. Saturated Depth (in.)	% Oil	Total Volume (bbls)	Water Volume (bbls)	Oil Volume (bbls)
_	Length (ft.)	Width (ft.)	Depth (in.)	% Oil	(bbls)	(bbls)	(bbls)
Rectangle Area #1				0%	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #2				0%	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #3				0%	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #4				0%	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #5				0%	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #6				0%	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #7					0.00	0.00	0.00
Rectangle Area #8					0.00	0.00	0.00
Volume F	Recovered and no	t included in Stand		Saturated Volume	0.00 Total Volume	0.00   Water Volume (bbls)	0.00 Oil Volume (bbls)
				% Oil	(bbls)		(bbis)

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