

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
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1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
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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

Form C-141  
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company Yates Petroleum Corporation	OGRID Number 25575	Contact Robert Asher
Address 104 S. 4 <sup>TH</sup> Street		Telephone No. 575-748-1471
Facility Name Marathon Box Water Line	API Number 30-015-26916	Facility Type Water Line

Surface Owner Federal	Mineral Owner Federal	Lease No.
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**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter N	Section 13	Township 21S	Range 23E	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.47224 Longitude 104.55772

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 8 B/PW	Volume Recovered 2 B/PW
Source of Release Water Line	Date and Hour of Occurrence 7/19/2011; AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 7/19/2011; AM
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? N/A	
By Whom? N/A	Date and Hour N/A	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* N/A		

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*  
O-rings broke on valve on water line. The line was shut in; vacuum truck/backhoe crew was called to the location.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
An approximate area of 100' X 3'. A vacuum truck recovered remaining produced water, backhoe scraped up impacted soils (some iron sulfide was in produced water released), taken to an NMOCD approved facility. Vertical and horizontal delineation samples will be taken and analysis ran for TPH & BTEX (Chlorides for documentation). If initial analytical results for TPH & BTEX are under RRAL's a Final Report, C-141 will be submitted to the OCD requesting closure. If the analytical results are above the RRAL a work plan will be submitted to the OCD. **Depth to Ground Water: >100' (approximately 180', Section 23, T21S-R23E, per NMOSE), Wellhead Protection Area: No, Distance to Surface Water Body: >1000', SITE RANKING IS 0. Based on excavation work completed & enclosed analytical results, Yates Petroleum Corporation requests closure.**

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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Robert Asher	Signed By  Approved by District Supervisor	
Title: Environmental Regulatory Agent	Approval Date: <b>OCT 26 2011</b>	Expiration Date: <b>N/A</b>
E-mail Address: boba@yatespetroleum.com	Conditions of Approval: <b>N/A</b>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: Wednesday, October 26, 2011 Phone: 575-748-4217	2RP-843	<b>RECEIVED</b> <b>OCT 26 2011</b> <b>NMOCD-ARTESIA</b> <b>Final</b>

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary