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**From:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 14, 2016 8:20 AM  
**To:** 'Tucker, Shelly'; Kathy Purvis  
**Cc:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Casey Summers; jennifer\_duarte@oxy.com; Cliff P. Brunson; Ken Swinney; Jennifer Gilkey  
**Subject:** RE: Closure Report, Cypress 33 Federal #2H Battery

This closure request is approved.

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, and for notification, please contact me.

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**From:** Tucker, Shelly [mailto:stucker@blm.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 13, 2016 2:48 PM  
**To:** Kathy Purvis  
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**Subject:** Re: Closure Report, Cypress 33 Federal #2H Battery

BLM accepts your closure report.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

*Shelly J Tucker*  
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The **BLM acceptance/approval does not** relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment or if the location fails to reclaim properly. In such an event that the location does not revegetate, or future issues with contaminants are encountered, the operator will be asked to address the issues until the contaminant issues are fully mitigated and the location is successfully reclaimed. In addition, BLM approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws/regulations.

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On Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:03 PM, Kathy Purvis <[kathy@bbcinternational.com](mailto:kathy@bbcinternational.com)> wrote:

Attached are the closure documents for a leak that occurred inside the lined containment of the Cypress 33 Federal #2H Battery on 04/22/2016 in Eddy County, NM. Receipt notification via email is greatly appreciated.

**Kathy Purvis**

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