

District I  
1625 N. French Dr, Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rto Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr, Santa Fe, NM 87505

*Artesia*  
**RECEIVED** State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources **OCT 05 2009**  
**OCT 19 2009** Oil Conservation Division  
**HOBBSDOCD** 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 Oxy USA WTP	Contact Dusty Wilson
Address 1017 W. Stanolind Rd	Telephone No. (575) 397-8247
Facility Name Covington A#9 Battery	Facility Type Storage

Surface Owner BLM	Mineral Owner Oxy, BLM	Lease No.
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#### LOCATION OF RELEASE

NEARBY COVINGTON A#9 BATTERY  
API # 30-025-32036-00-00

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
N	25	22s	32e	480	SOUTH	1980	WEST	LEA

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

#### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Oil and Produce Water	Volume of Release 15 bo-70 bw	Volume Recovered 15 BO-70 BW
Source of Release RAG SUCKED INTO PUMP	Date and Hour of Occurrence 09/15/2009 09:30 AM	Date and Hour of Discovery 09/15/2009
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher	
By Whom? Dusty Wilson	Date and Hour 09/16/2009 @ 04:20 PM	
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.\*  
Red rag had been dropped into tank accidentally, it was sucked into pump clogging it up, causing tank to fill and run over Remediation efforts continue.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*  
Remediate to NMOCD Requirements.

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.

<p>Signature: </p> <p>Printed Name: Dusty L. Wilson</p> <p>Title: HES Specialist</p> <p>E-mail Address: dusty_wilson@oxy.com</p> <p>Date: 09/30/2009      Phone: (575) 397-8210</p>	<p><b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b></p> <p>Approved by <small>ENV. ENGINEER / District Supervisor:</small> </p> <p>Approval Date: 10/20/09      Expiration Date: 12/21/09</p> <p>Conditions of Approval: DELIVER TO CLEAN + SUBMIT FINAL C-141 BY 12/21/09</p> <p>Attached <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>IRP-09-11-2317</p>
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- Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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