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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

- Engineering Bureau -
1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Application Acronyms:

- [NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]
 [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]
 [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]
 [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]
 [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]
 [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

- [1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION** - Check Those Which Apply for [A]
 [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication
 NSL NSP SD
 Check One Only for [B] or [C]
 [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement
 DHC CTB PLC PC OLS OLM
 [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery
 WFX PMX SWD IPI EOR PPR
 [D] Other: Specify _____

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- [2] **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** - Check Those Which Apply, or Does Not Apply
 [A] Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
 [B] Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
 [C] Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
 [D] Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
 [E] For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
 [F] Waivers are Attached

[3] **SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.**

[4] **CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

<u>Donald R. Lankford</u>	<u><i>DR Lankford</i></u>	<u>Petroleum Engineer</u>	<u>8/29/02</u>
Print or Type Name	Signature	Title	Date
		<u>Don.Lankford@EIPaso.com</u>	
		e-mail Address	

AMENDED APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT

- I. PURPOSE: _____ Secondary Recovery _____ Pressure Maintenance X Disposal _____ Storage
Application qualifies for administrative approval? X Yes _____ No
- II. OPERATOR: _____ El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C. _____
ADDRESS: _____ PO BOX 190 _____
CONTACT PARTY: _____ Donald R. Lankford _____ PHONE: _____ 505-445-6721 _____ 445-6788 Fax
- III. WELL DATA: Complete the data required on the reverse side of this form for each well proposed for injection.
Additional sheets may be attached if necessary.
- IV. Is this an expansion of an existing project? X Yes _____ No
If yes, give the Division order number authorizing the project: _____ 826 - A _____
- V. Attach a map that identifies all wells and leases within two miles of any proposed injection well with a one-half mile radius circle drawn around each proposed injection well. This circle identifies the well's area of review.
- VI. Attach a tabulation of data on all wells of public record within the area of review which penetrate the proposed injection zone. Such data shall include a description of each well's type, construction, date drilled, location, depth, record of completion, and a schematic of any plugged well illustrating all plugging detail.
- VII. Attach data on the proposed operation, including:
1. Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected;
 2. Whether the system is open or closed;
 3. Proposed average and maximum injection pressure;
 4. Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; and,
 5. If injection is for disposal purposes into a zone not productive of oil or gas at or within one mile of the proposed well, attach a chemical analysis of the disposal zone formation water (may be measured or inferred from existing literature, studies, nearby wells, etc.).
- *VIII. Attach appropriate geologic data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geologic name, thickness, and depth. Give the geologic name, and depth to bottom of all underground sources of drinking water (aquifers containing waters with total dissolved solids concentrations of 10,000 mg/l or less) overlying the proposed injection zone as well as any such sources known to be immediately underlying the injection interval.
- IX. Describe the proposed stimulation program, if any.
- *X. Attach appropriate logging and test data on the well. (If well logs have been filed with the Division, they need not be resubmitted).
- *XI. Attach a chemical analysis of fresh water from two or more fresh water wells (if available and producing) within one mile of any injection or disposal well showing location of wells and dates samples were taken.
- XII. Applicants for disposal wells must make an affirmative statement that they have examined available geologic and engineering data and find no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground sources of drinking water.
- XIII. Applicants must complete the "Proof of Notice" section on the reverse side of this form.
- XIV. Certification: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NAME: Donald R. Lankford TITLE: Petroleum Engineer

SIGNATURE: *DR Lankford* DATE: 08/29/02

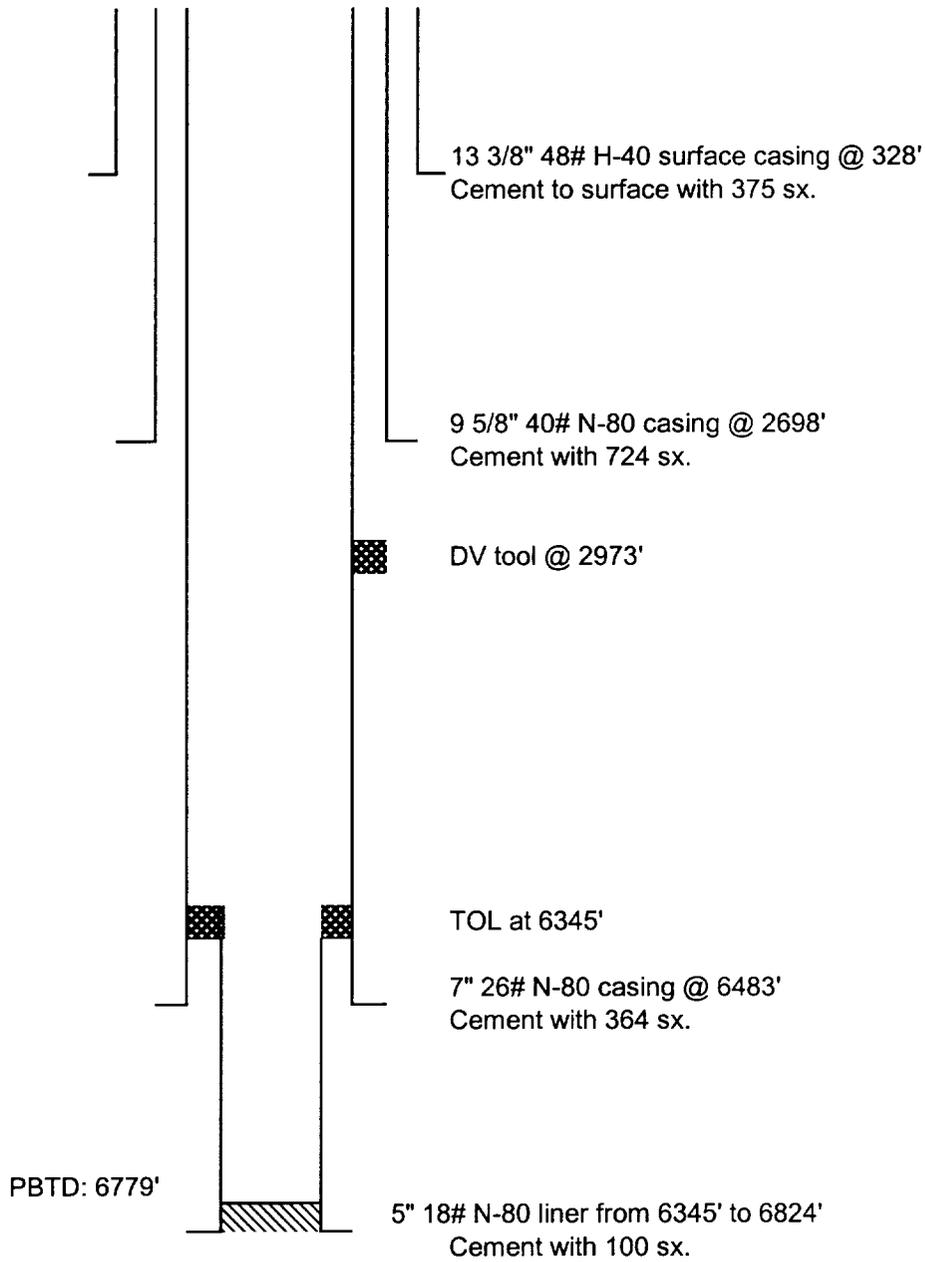
* If the information required under Sections VI, VIII, X, and XI above has been previously submitted, it need not be resubmitted. Please show the date and circumstances of the earlier submittal: _____

DISTRIBUTION: Original and one copy to Santa Fe with one copy to the appropriate District Office

**VPRE 99 Gas Well
Existing Well Diagram**

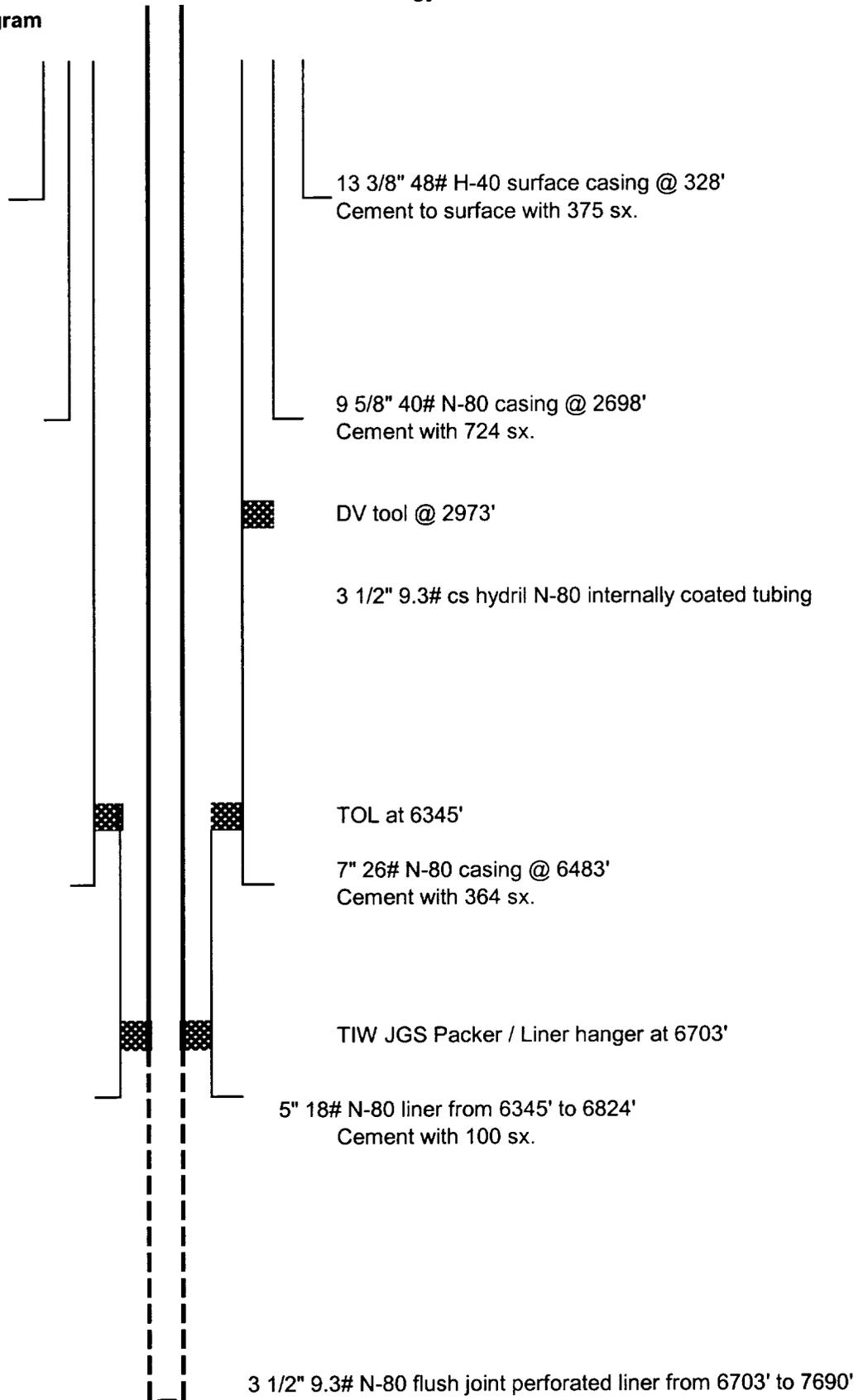
El Paso Raton

9/24/2002



**VPRE 99 Gas Well
Proposed Well Diagram**

El Paso Energy Raton



El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C.
 Vermejo Park Ranch "E", Well #99 Water Disposal
 1391.9' FNL & 885.1' FEL
 Section 5, T31N, 19E
 Colfax County, New Mexico

AMENDED Attachment A

III. WELL DATA

Section A:

1. Lease Name: Vermejo Park Ranch "E" Well #99 (Water Disposal) (30-007-20378)
 Location: 1391.9' FNL & 885.1' FEL, Sec 05, T31N, R19E, Colfax County, NM
2. Casing & Cementing (Drilling Procedure and Wellbore/Well Location Schematic Attached)

Proposed:

Casing Size	Setting Depth	Sacks Cement	Hole Size	Top of Cement
13 3/8"	328'	375 sx	17 1/2"	Surface
9 5/8"	2,698'	724 sx	12 3/8"	Surface
7"	6,483'	364 sx	8 3/4"	Into 9 5/8" Casing Annulus
5"	6,345' - 6,824'	100 sx	6 1/8"	To top of liner at 6,345'
3 1/2"	6,750' - 7,735'	N/A	4 1/8"	N/A

3. Tubing: 3 1/2". 9.3 ppf, N-80, Butt IPC, 2.867" Drift/4.5" OD @ +/- 6,800'.
4. Packer: 5" x 3 1/2" nickel plated Loc Set w/ carbide slips @ +/- 6,800'

Section B:

1. Injection Formation: The Entrada, Glorieta Sandstone and possibly Sangre de Cristo.
 Field Name: Vermejo Park Ranch
2. Injection Interval: Entrada Sandstone 7,095' - 7,195'; Glorieta Sandstone 7,470' - 7,550'
3. Original Purpose of Well: Exploratory gas well.
4. No other perforated intervals.
5. Next Higher gas/oil zone: Vermejo Coal
 Next Lower gas/oil zone: None

IV. This is not an expansion of an existing project.

V. Map Attached - "Attachment B", two mile & 1/2 mile radius area of review.

VI. Area of Review: "Attachment C" is the well data of the VPR E-34 mentioned below.

There is one well within one half mile of the proposed disposal well that penetrates the target formation. The VPR E-34 WDW is located approximately 500' east. Also, the VPRES 11 completed in the Raton and Vermejo Coals is located 130' west.

VII. Operation Data:

1. Proposed average daily injection volume: 18,000 BWPD
Proposed maximum daily injection volume: 18,000 BWPD
2. This well will be a closed system.
3. Proposed average daily injection pressure: 2,000 psi
Proposed maximum daily injection pressure: 2,000 psi
4. Sources of injection/disposal water will be from the Vermejo and Raton Formation CBM wells that have been drilled or are scheduled to be drilled on the Vermejo Park Ranch.
5. Chemical analysis of water zones will be obtained by Baker Petrolite Laboratories and Roy Johnson, District 4, Oil Conservation Division, Santa Fe, NM.

VIII. Geological Data (Geologic Well Prognosis Report – Attachment D)

Information pertaining to the lithological details and thickness have been estimated based on correlation with VPR E-34, located 500' to the east.

IX. Stimulation Program

Anticipated frac job will be 250,000 # 16/30 sand.

X. Logs and Test Data

Logs and test data will be submitted to: The Oil & Gas Conservation Division,
Att: Roy Johnson, Santa Fe, NM 87501

XI. Fresh Water "Attachment E"

Roy Johnson, OGCD, will take fresh water samples during drilling.

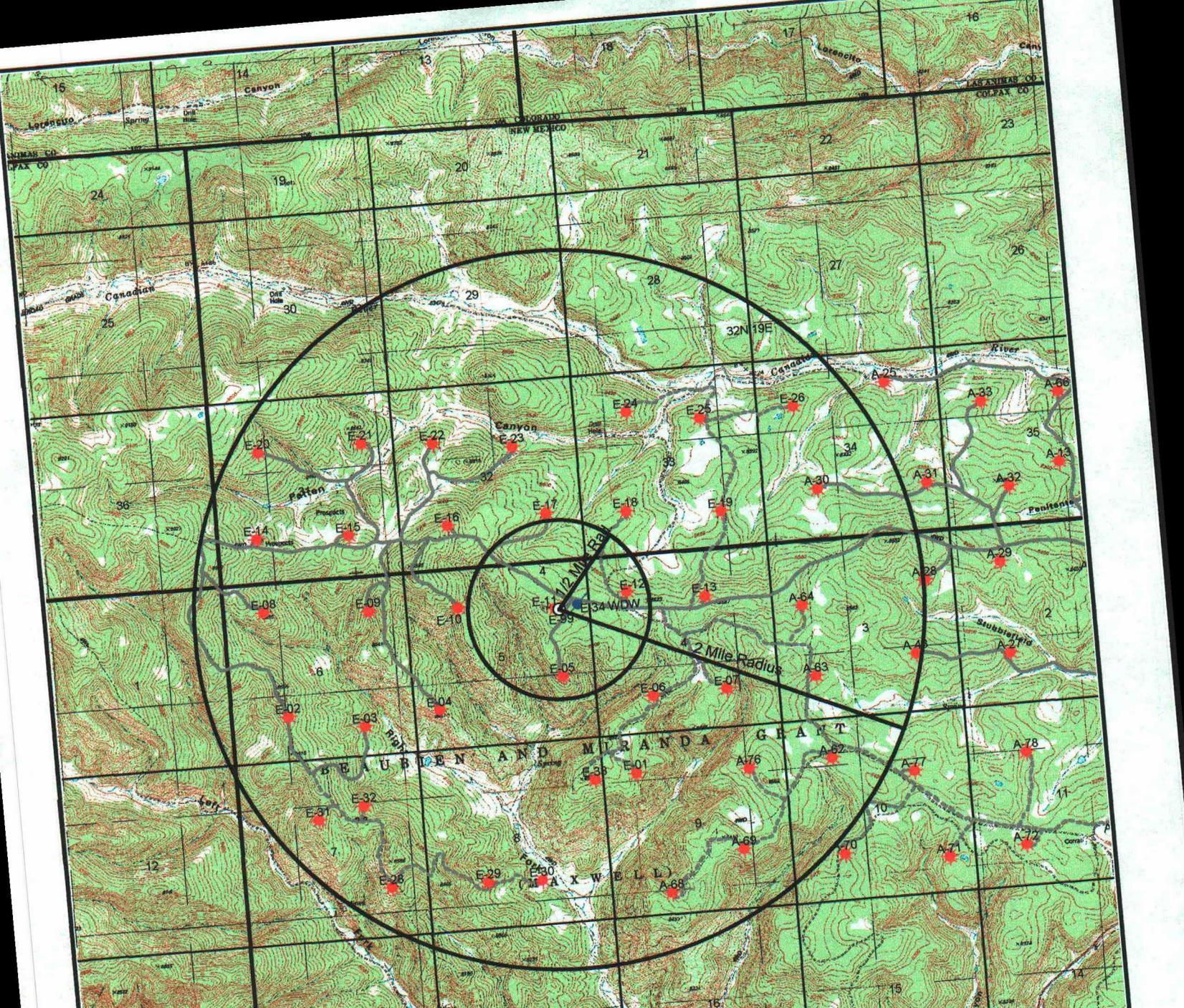
XII. Statement

To the best of our current knowledge of the area, there is no evidence of open faults or other hydrologic connection between and disposal zone and underground sources of drinking water.

XIII. Proof of Notice attached as "Attachment F"

El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C. offsets Section 1 on all sides.

XIV. Certification: Form C-108 "Application for Authorization to Inject".



- Vpre99.shp
- Epwells9may02.shp
- Drilled
- Location Built
- ⊗ P&A
- ★ Producer
- WDW
- ▬ Cbm-rds-8nov01.shp
- ▬ 2002-rds-sited-12dec01.shp
- ▬ 2002-crds-sited-23jan02.shp
- ▬ Rds-f-sited-27mar.shp
- ▭ Townships.shp
- ▭ Sections.shp

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Raton L.L.C.

Attachment "B"
Authority to Inject Permit
VPR E-99
T31N R19E, Sect. 5
Colfax County, New Mexico
Vicinity Map

Scale: 1:48,000 August 27, 2002

El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C.
 Vermejo Park Ranch "E", Well #34 Water Disposal
 1268.5' FNL & 368.2' FEL
 Section 5, T31N, 19E
 Colfax County, New Mexico

Attachment C: Data of Well Within Area of Review

WELL DATA:

1. Well Name: Vermejo Park Ranch "E" Well #34 (Water Disposal)
 Location: 1268.5' FNL & 368.2' FEL, Sec 05, T31N, R19E, Colfax County, NM
2. Operator: El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C. (Same as Applicant)
3. Casing & Cementing (Drilling Procedure and Wellbore/Well Location Schematic Attached)

Existing:

Casing Size	Setting Depth	Sacks Cement	Hole Size	Top of Cement
16"	330' KB	223 sx	18"	Surface
10 3/4"	2,675' KB	833 sx	13 1/2"	Surface
7 5/8"	6038' KB	812 sx	9 7/8"	Into 10 3/4" Casing Annulus
5 1/2"	7,133' KB	160 sx	6 3/4"	Into 7 5/8" Casing Annulus
3 1/2"	7,110'- 7,614'	Not cemented	4 3/4"	Not cemented

4. Tubing: 3 1/2". 9.3 ppf, L-80, JMLS, RTS 8, 2.867" Drift/ 4.5" OD @ +/- 6,706'
5. Packer: 5 1/2" x 3 1/2" nickel plated Loc Set w/ carbide slips @ +/- 6,706'
6. Open Formation: The Entrada and Glorieta Sandstone
7. Injection Interval: Entrada Sandstone 6,730'- 6,830'; Glorieta Sandstone 7,090'- 7,160'
8. Original Purpose of Well: Drilled for the purpose of disposing of produced formation water.
9. No other perforated intervals.

Attachment "D"

El Paso Energy Raton, LLC				DATE:	8/21/02			
GEOLOGIC WELL PROGNOSIS REPORT (ENTRADA/GLORIETTA DEPTHS)				RIG:	KEY			
				SUPV:	Olmstead / Roper			
WELL NAME:		VPR E - 99	API number:		3000720378			
		REPORT BY:		Mike Korte/Paul Basinski				
FIELD	RATON BASIN CBM PROJECT		SEC.	5	TW.	31N	RANGE	19E
FEET FNL:	1,392	FEET FEL:	882	POD	E	AREA	YORK CANYON	
ELEV. KB.:	8,608	SPUD:	7/30/02	Dak Test TD	6824 (8/19)	LOG:	6662 (8/20)	
MUD LOGGERS:	Pikes Peak		SITE GEOLOGIST:		M. Korte (Shallow); T. Doupe (Deep)		PROJECT SPECIFIC:	Pierre/Nio/Dak test
3rd Revision: 8/21/02 prog due to deepening VprE99 well to a depth 150 feet below Glorietta ss								
Intermediate 3 1/4" 13 1/4" HOLE								
DRILLERS DEPTH:	2,742	12 1/4" bit 3 1/2 days drilling			Surface Csg.:	13 3/8"	Set @:	328 ft.
LOGGERS DEPTH:	no open hole log...CBL run				Intermediate Csg.:	9 5/8"	Set @:	2690 ft.
First significant gas:		subsea:		ft.	Cement Inter. Csg.:	8/7/02	Circ. Cmt.:	to surface
RATON FM. TOP:	320	subsea:	8288	ft.	Raton fm. CBM (ft.) Vermejo fm. CBM (ft.)			
VERMEJO FM. TOP:	2,221	subsea:	6387	ft.				
TRINIDAD FM. TOP:	2,522	subsea:	6086	ft.				
PIERRE FM. TOP:	2,657	subsea:	5951	ft.				
Tops based on E11 CBM well offset to the nw, E99 sample tops, E99 GR curve on 8/11/02 Schl. Log								
Intermediate Pierre - Graneros Section 8 3/4" HOLE								
DRILLERS DEPTH:	6,485	8/13/02 drlg nearer DK top after log			Intermediate Csg.:	7"	Set @:	6478 ft. (log csg @ 6,458'
LOGGERS DEPTH:	6,388	8/11/02			Cement Inter. Csg.:	8/14/02	Circ. Cmt.:	poor bond per 8/16 CBL
First significant gas:	3,876	subsea:	4732	ft.	correlates as a different zone than found at E34 Pierre gas shows			
PIERRE FM. TOP:	2,657	subsea:	5951	ft.	SHALE dark gr./bl. firm mod calc. carb. minor sandy sh tr. bent and pyr...gas @ 3,876 behind open pipe			
Lower Pierre member:	4,896	subsea:	3712	ft.	SHALE AS ABOVE with silty shale ...no significant gas shows while drilling			
NIOBRARA FM. TOP:	5,218	subsea:	3390	ft.	dark gray firm hard calcareous shale with minor gray arg ls and sdy sh, tr. bent and pyr			
Smokey Hill Member:	5,218	subsea:	3390	ft.	SHALE dark gray calc. firm mica pyr becoming silty to vfg sd in lower parts, minor arg ls			
Timpas Member:	5,820	subsea:	2788	ft.	LS tan microcrystalline to chalky limestone and gray calcareous shale			
Fort Hayes Member:	6,064	subsea:	2544	ft.	SH & SS dark gray carb shale, minor fine grained sandstone with thin beds of black limestone			
BENTON FM TOP:	6,084	subsea:	2524	ft.	SHALE chalky to limy dark gray calc soft smooth shale with minor ls and calcareous sandy shale			
Codell Member:	6,084	subsea:	2524	ft.	SHALE dark gray abnt pyr limy, minor hard crystalline dark gray ls, minor gray calc shale-arg. Ls			
Carlile Sh. Member:	6,150	subsea:	2458	ft.	SHALE dk gray to bl silty, minor bent, limestone and silt-fg sd...washout @ 6,458'-6,488'			
Greenhorn Ls. Member:	6,283	subsea:	2325	ft.	thin beds of siltstone, brown hard mica carb arg siltstone, minor fg ss			
Graneros Sh. Member:	6,326	subsea:	2282	ft.				
DAKOTA FM TOP:	6,513	subsea:	2095	ft.				
Tops based on Schlumberger Logging								
Intermediate (Liner) 6 1/2" HOLE								
DRILLERS DEPTH:	6,875	8/21...Prepare for drlg depth 7,650'			Production Liner:		Set @:	
LOGGERS DEPTH:	6,662				Cement Liner in place:			
DAKOTA FM TOP:	6,513	subsea:	2095	ft.	E34 wdw offset showed gas (3,500+ Mcfd) Dakota expected but failed to show similar results			
Dakota SS A member:	6,513	subsea:	2095	ft.	Silt & SS fine to medium grained sli calc. silica cement w/minor carb shale, clays, trace of coal			
Dakota SS B member:	6,578	subsea:	2030	ft.	SS as above A member, mostly medium grained, minor chert conglomeratic ss and carb shale			
Purgatoire SS member:	6,612	subsea:	1996	ft.	SS poorly sorted med- conglomeratic quartz grained friable, sli calc.			
MORRISON FM TOP:	6,675	subsea:	1933	ft.	Jurassic Age: SH & SS Variegated shales, red green, gray maroon, minor tan hard ls, wh f-m gr ss			
8/21/02 Depth	6,824	subsea:	1784	ft.	TD 8/19/02 @ 8:00 MST; 271 ft above Entrada SS & 911 ft above projected TD			
Wanakah member:	7,055	subsea:	1553	ft.	SS f gr wh to orange mod cmt sli calc glauconitic fspr, minor gypsum, fxn oolitic ls			
ENTRADA FM TOP:	7,095	subsea:	1513	ft.	SS wh -lt gn f-m gr calc. well rd and sorted frsted grains minor unconcs SS			
DOCKUM FM TOP:	7,195	subsea:	1413	ft.	Triassic Age: SHALE Variegated (red) mica calc, minor thin beds of f gr limy gray SS			
Glorieta ss member:	7,470	subsea:	1138	ft.	Permian: SS org, pink, white med grained silica cmt; deeper dolo. cmt, may become coarse arkosic ss			
SANGRE DE CRISTO FM:	7,585	subsea:	1023	ft.	SHALE AND ARKOSIC SS (WASH) dominantly red shale, siltstone and red arkosic crs sediments			
Est. TD	7,735	subsea:	873	ft.				
TD DEPTH SUFFICIENT FOR COMPLETION IN GLORIETA (150' below Glorieta SS base)								
MUD LOG GEOLOGIC DRILLING NOTES								
NOTES: Key offset well: E34 WDW.....Above tops are logged through the Morrison 8/21/02 tops picked by Korte Regional mapping indicates the Dakota fm can be expected approximately 4,000 feet below the top of the Trinidad SS....In fact 3,991 ft. Lower Pierre member (from Raton basin top picks) is on a few occasions referred to as the top of Niobrara fm "hot" shale of Pierre fm is expected to be found from 4,465'-4,505'....in fact 4,444'-4,490' E34 wdw drilled (below Trinidad SS) dry through Dakota SS, expect some water in Purgatoire SS....in fact found water (minor) in Dak ss A member @ 6,534' sd Dakota/Purgatoire SS: 6,513' - 6,675' is considered tight with very minor fracturing in evidence. Entrada fm SS: 7,095' - 7,195' has an estimated 100 feet net sand. Possible fracture enhanced porosity, probable water as in E34 offset. Best Glorieta SS: 7,470' - 7,500' with an estimated 30 feet net sand....drill 150 feet below the base of member for "rat hole".								

“Attachment E: Water Analyses of Sources Water to be injected down VPR E – 99”

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 Lab Team Leader - Sheila Hernandez
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Water Analysis Report by Baker Petrolite

Company:	EL PASO ENERGY RATON LLC	Sales RDT:	44625
Region:	ROCKY MOUNTAINS	Account Manager:	BOB WILLIAMS (970) 749-7375
Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	20103
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	2		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	BLEEDER		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 185016 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	7/6/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	7/17/01	Chloride:	365.0	10.3	Sodium:	655.0	28.49
Analyst:	MARILYN BRANNON	Bicarbonate:	1249.0	20.47	Magnesium:	3.5	0.29
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	2330.5	Carbonate:	0.0	0.	Calcium:	16.0	0.8
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.002	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	2.0	0.05
Anion/Cation Ratio:	0.9999998	Phosphate:			Barium:	2.5	0.04
Carbon Dioxide:	45 PPM	Borate:			Iron:	27.0	0.98
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	7.5	0.19
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.2	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.2	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	0.81	10.49	-3.97	0.00	-4.04	0.00	-3.12	0.00	0.07	0.00	0.11
100	0	0.86	11.19	-3.99	0.00	-3.99	0.00	-3.10	0.00	-0.07	0.00	0.17
120	0	0.92	11.54	-3.99	0.00	-3.91	0.00	-3.06	0.00	-0.18	0.00	0.25
140	0	0.99	11.89	-3.98	0.00	-3.81	0.00	-3.02	0.00	-0.26	0.00	0.36

Note 1: When assessing the severity of the scale problem, both the saturation index (SI) and amount of scale must be considered.
 Note 2: Precipitation of each scale is considered separately. Total scale will be less than the sum of the amounts of the five scales
 Note 3: The reported CO2 pressure is actually the calculated CO2 fugacity. It is usually nearly the same as the CO2 partial pressure.

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	20105
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	3		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	BLEEDER		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 185012 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	7/6/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	7/17/01	Chloride:	168.0	4.74	Sodium:	642.2	27.93
Analyst:	MARILYN BRANNON	Bicarbonate:	1500.0	24.58	Magnesium:	2.5	0.21
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	2351.2	Carbonate:	0.0	0.	Calcium:	13.0	0.65
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.002	Sulfate:	4.0	0.08	Strontium:	1.5	0.03
Anion/Cation Ratio:	0.9999999	Phosphate:			Barium:	2.0	0.03
		Borate:			Iron:	9.0	0.33
		Silicate:			Potassium:	9.0	0.23
Carbon Dioxide:	40 PPM	Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
Oxygen:		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
Comments:		pH at time of analysis:		8.42	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.42	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

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		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	0.98	9.79	-3.96	0.00	-4.03	0.00	-3.13	0.00	0.10	0.35	0.08
100	0	1.02	9.79	-3.97	0.00	-3.98	0.00	-3.11	0.00	-0.04	0.00	0.13
120	0	1.06	10.14	-3.97	0.00	-3.90	0.00	-3.07	0.00	-0.15	0.00	0.2
140	0	1.10	10.14	-3.97	0.00	-3.80	0.00	-3.02	0.00	-0.23	0.00	0.3

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Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	5		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 195611 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	11/28/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	12/7/01	Chloride:	85.0	2.4	Sodium:	515.0	22.4
Analyst:	JAMES AHRLETT	Bicarbonate:	1148.0	18.81	Magnesium:	0.1	0.
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	1799.3	Carbonate:	40.0	1.33	Calcium:	0.1	0.
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.001	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	0.0	0.
Anion/Cation Ratio:	0.9999995	Phosphate:			Barium:	1.0	0.01
Carbon Dioxide:		Borate:			Iron:	0.1	0.
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	7.0	0.18
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.52	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.52	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
80	0	-1.09	0.00	-6.12	0.00	-6.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.26	0.00	0.05
100	0	-1.05	0.00	-6.14	0.00	-6.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.39	0.00	0.08
120	0	-1.01	0.00	-6.14	0.00	-6.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.50	0.00	0.13
140	0	-0.97	0.00	-6.12	0.00	-5.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.58	0.00	0.19

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	20351
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	8		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	BLEEDER		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 185029 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	7/17/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	7/31/01	Chloride:	660.0	18.62	Sodium:	723.6	31.48
Analyst:	MARILYN BRANNON	Bicarbonate:	839.0	13.75	Magnesium:	1.5	0.12
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	2319.1	Carbonate:	31.0	1.03	Calcium:	9.5	0.47
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.002	Sulfate:	10.0	0.21	Strontium:	0.6	0.01
Anion/Cation Ratio:	0.9999996	Phosphate:			Barium:	0.4	0.01
Carbon Dioxide:		Borate:			Iron:	38.0	1.37
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	5.5	0.14
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.49	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.49	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	0.69	5.94	-3.70	0.00	-3.77	0.00	-3.14	0.00	-0.22	0.00	0.04
100	0	0.71	6.29	-3.70	0.00	-3.71	0.00	-3.12	0.00	-0.36	0.00	0.07
120	0	0.74	6.29	-3.70	0.00	-3.62	0.00	-3.08	0.00	-0.47	0.00	0.11
140	0	0.77	6.64	-3.68	0.00	-3.52	0.00	-3.03	0.00	-0.55	0.00	0.17

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Region:	ROCKY MOUNTAINS	Account Manager:	BOB WILLIAMS (505) 447-0621
Area:	RATON, NM	Sample #:	196049
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis ID #:	27726
Entity (or well #):	9	Analysis Cost	\$40.00
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary	Analysis of Sample 196049 @ 75 °F					
	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Sampling Date: 7/29/02	Chloride:	272.0	7.67	Sodium:	651.0	28.32
Analysis Date: 8/7/02	Bicarbonate:	1281.0	20.99	Magnesium:	1.0	0.08
Analyst: SHEILA HERNANDEZ	Carbonate:	0.0	0.	Calcium:	3.5	0.17
TDS (mg/l or g/m3): 2217.6	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	0.8	0.02
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3): 1.002	Phosphate:			Barium:	0.8	0.01
Anion/Cation Ratio: 0.999999	Borate:			Iron:	1.0	0.04
Carbon Dioxide:	Silicate:			Potassium:	3.5	0.09
Oxygen:	Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
Comments:	pH at time of sampling:		8.7	Chromium:		
	pH at time of analysis:			Copper:		
	pH used in Calculation:		8.7	Lead:		
				Manganese:		
				Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO ₃		Gypsum CaSO ₄ ·2H ₂ O		Anhydrite CaSO ₄		Celestite SrSO ₄		Barite BaSO ₄		CO ₂ Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	0.58	2.10	-4.67	0.00	-4.74	0.00	-3.54	0.00	-0.43	0.00	0.04
100	0	0.61	2.10	-4.68	0.00	-4.69	0.00	-3.51	0.00	-0.56	0.00	0.06
120	0	0.63	2.45	-4.68	0.00	-4.60	0.00	-3.47	0.00	-0.67	0.00	0.1
140	0	0.66	2.45	-4.66	0.00	-4.50	0.00	-3.42	0.00	-0.75	0.00	0.15

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	23055
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	10		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 182109 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	11/28/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	12/7/01	Chloride:	165.0	4.65	Sodium:	1047.2	45.55
Analyst:	JAMES AHRLETT	Bicarbonate:	2481.0	40.66	Magnesium:	0.1	0.
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	3720	Carbonate:	13.0	0.43	Calcium:	0.1	0.
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.002	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	0.5	0.01
Anion/Cation Ratio:	1.0000001	Phosphate:			Barium:	2.0	0.03
Carbon Dioxide:		Borate:			Iron:	0.1	0.
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	8.0	0.2
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.33	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.33	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp °F	Gauge Press. psi	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press psi
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
80	0	-1.09	0.00	-6.31	0.00	-6.38	0.00	-3.84	0.00	-0.13	0.00	0.16
100	0	-1.06	0.00	-6.34	0.00	-6.34	0.00	-3.82	0.00	-0.27	0.00	0.26
120	0	-1.04	0.00	-6.35	0.00	-6.27	0.00	-3.78	0.00	-0.38	0.00	0.4
140	0	-1.00	0.00	-6.35	0.00	-6.18	0.00	-3.74	0.00	-0.46	0.00	0.61

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	23056
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	11		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary	Analysis of Sample 182107 @ 75 °F					
	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Sampling Date: 11/28/01	Chloride:	252.0	7.11	Sodium:	1167.3	50.78
Analysis Date: 12/7/01	Bicarbonate:	2693.0	44.14	Magnesium:	0.1	0.
Analyst: JAMES AHRLETT	Carbonate:	0.0	0.	Calcium:	0.5	0.02
TDS (mg/l or g/m3): 4133.5	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	0.6	0.01
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3): 1.002	Phosphate:			Barium:	2.0	0.03
Anion/Cation Ratio: 0.9999999	Borate:			Iron:	7.0	0.25
Carbon Dioxide:	Silicate:			Potassium:	8.0	0.2
Oxygen:	Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
Comments:	pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
	pH at time of analysis:		8.29	Copper:		
	pH used in Calculation:		8.29	Lead:		
				Manganese:		
				Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
80	0	-0.41	0.00	-5.64	0.00	-5.71	0.00	-3.79	0.00	-0.16	0.00	0.19
100	0	-0.39	0.00	-5.67	0.00	-5.67	0.00	-3.77	0.00	-0.30	0.00	0.3
120	0	-0.36	0.00	-5.68	0.00	-5.60	0.00	-3.73	0.00	-0.41	0.00	0.47
140	0	-0.33	0.00	-5.68	0.00	-5.52	0.00	-3.69	0.00	-0.49	0.00	0.71

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	20353
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	14		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	BLEEDER		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 185031 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	7/17/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	7/31/01	Chloride:	236.0	6.66	Sodium:	583.7	25.39
Analyst:	MARILYN BRANNON	Bicarbonate:	990.0	16.22	Magnesium:	1.0	0.08
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	1970.3	Carbonate:	29.0	0.97	Calcium:	5.0	0.25
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.001	Sulfate:	111.0	2.31	Strontium:	0.5	0.01
Anion/Cation Ratio:	1.0000001	Phosphate:			Barium:	0.1	0.
Carbon Dioxide:	22	Borate:			Iron:	6.5	0.23
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	7.5	0.19
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.47	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.47	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
	°F	psi	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	
80	0	0.46	2.80	-2.90	0.00	-2.97	0.00	-2.16	0.00	0.25	0.00	0.05
100	0	0.50	2.80	-2.91	0.00	-2.92	0.00	-2.14	0.00	0.11	0.00	0.08
120	0	0.54	3.15	-2.91	0.00	-2.83	0.00	-2.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12
140	0	0.59	3.15	-2.90	0.00	-2.73	0.00	-2.06	0.00	-0.08	0.00	0.19

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	20352
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	15		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	BLEEDER		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 185028 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	7/17/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	7/31/01	Chloride:	207.0	5.84	Sodium:	623.9	27.14
Analyst:	MARILYN BRANNON	Bicarbonate:	1122.0	18.39	Magnesium:	0.9	0.07
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	2116.5	Carbonate:	49.0	1.63	Calcium:	5.5	0.27
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.001	Sulfate:	96.0	2.	Strontium:	0.6	0.01
Anion/Cation Ratio:	1.0000002	Phosphate:			Barium:	0.1	0.
Carbon Dioxide:	25	Borate:			Iron:	6.0	0.22
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	5.5	0.14
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.54	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.54	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	0.61	3.50	-2.95	0.00	-3.02	0.00	-2.16	0.00	0.17	0.00	0.05
100	0	0.64	3.50	-2.96	0.00	-2.96	0.00	-2.14	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.08
120	0	0.67	3.85	-2.96	0.00	-2.88	0.00	-2.10	0.00	-0.07	0.00	0.12
140	0	0.71	3.85	-2.95	0.00	-2.78	0.00	-2.06	0.00	-0.16	0.00	0.19

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	20106
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	16		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	BLEEDER		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 185017 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	7/6/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	7/17/01	Chloride:	326.0	9.2	Sodium:	535.4	23.29
Analyst:	MARILYN BRANNON	Bicarbonate:	859.0	14.08	Magnesium:	2.0	0.16
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	1781.9	Carbonate:	32.0	1.07	Calcium:	11.0	0.55
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.002	Sulfate:	2.5	0.05	Strontium:	1.5	0.03
Anion/Cation Ratio:	1.0000008	Phosphate:			Barium:	1.5	0.02
Carbon Dioxide:	60 PPM	Borate:			Iron:	5.0	0.18
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	6.0	0.15
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.54	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.54	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	0.85	7.70	-4.17	0.00	-4.24	0.00	-3.28	0.00	-0.18	0.00	0.04
100	0	0.89	7.70	-4.17	0.00	-4.18	0.00	-3.25	0.00	-0.31	0.00	0.06
120	0	0.93	8.05	-4.17	0.00	-4.09	0.00	-3.21	0.00	-0.42	0.00	0.09
140	0	0.97	8.40	-4.16	0.00	-3.99	0.00	-3.16	0.00	-0.50	0.00	0.14

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Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	23057
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	17		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 195614 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	11/28/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	12/7/01	Chloride:	130.0	3.67	Sodium:	633.7	27.56
Analyst:	JAMES AHRLETT	Bicarbonate:	1478.0	24.22	Magnesium:	0.1	0.
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	2258.1	Carbonate:	0.0	0.	Calcium:	0.1	0.
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.001	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	0.2	0.
Anion/Cation Ratio:	0.9999998	Phosphate:			Barium:	1.0	0.01
Carbon Dioxide:		Borate:			Iron:	5.0	0.18
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	7.0	0.18
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.21	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.21	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	-1.30	0.00	-6.15	0.00	-6.22	0.00	-4.09	0.00	-0.29	0.00	0.13
100	0	-1.25	0.00	-6.16	0.00	-6.17	0.00	-4.07	0.00	-0.43	0.00	0.19
120	0	-1.19	0.00	-6.17	0.00	-6.09	0.00	-4.03	0.00	-0.54	0.00	0.28
140	0	-1.12	0.00	-6.17	0.00	-6.00	0.00	-3.99	0.00	-0.63	0.00	0.41

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Region:	ROCKY MOUNTAINS	Account Manager:	BOB WILLIAMS (970) 749-7375
Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	23058
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	20		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary	Analysis of Sample 176415 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date: 11/28/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date: 12/7/01	Chloride:	66.0	1.86	Sodium:	477.4	20.77
Analyst: JAMES AHRLETT	Bicarbonate:	1134.0	18.58	Magnesium:	0.1	0.
TDS (mg/l or g/m3): 1702.8	Carbonate:	14.0	0.47	Calcium:	0.1	0.
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3): 1.001	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	0.1	0.
Anion/Cation Ratio: 1.0000005	Phosphate:			Barium:	1.0	0.01
Carbon Dioxide:	Borate:			Iron:	0.1	0.
Oxygen:	Silicate:			Potassium:	7.0	0.18
Comments:	Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
	pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
	pH at time of analysis:		8.39	Copper:		
	pH used in Calculation:		8.39	Lead:		
				Manganese:		
				Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
80	0	-1.21	0.00	-6.09	0.00	-6.16	0.00	-4.34	0.00	-0.24	0.00	0.07
100	0	-1.15	0.00	-6.10	0.00	-6.11	0.00	-4.31	0.00	-0.37	0.00	0.1
120	0	-1.10	0.00	-6.10	0.00	-6.03	0.00	-4.27	0.00	-0.48	0.00	0.16
140	0	-1.04	0.00	-6.09	0.00	-5.93	0.00	-4.22	0.00	-0.56	0.00	0.23

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Region:	ROCKY MOUNTAINS	Account Manager:	BOB WILLIAMS (970) 749-7375
Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	20104
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	21		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	BLEEDER		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 185013 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	7/6/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	7/17/01	Chloride:	84.0	2.37	Sodium:	374.3	16.28
Analyst:	MARILYN BRANNON	Bicarbonate:	826.0	13.54	Magnesium:	0.7	0.06
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	1344.3	Carbonate:	33.0	1.1	Calcium:	7.0	0.35
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.001	Sulfate:	5.0	0.1	Strontium:	0.8	0.02
Anion/Cation Ratio:	1.0000007	Phosphate:			Barium:	1.5	0.02
Carbon Dioxide:	55 PPM	Borate:			Iron:	7.0	0.25
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	5.0	0.13
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.54	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.54	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	0.68	4.55	-3.99	0.00	-4.06	0.00	-3.18	0.00	0.19	0.35	0.04
100	0	0.73	4.55	-4.00	0.00	-4.01	0.00	-3.15	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.06
120	0	0.77	4.90	-4.00	0.00	-3.92	0.00	-3.11	0.00	-0.05	0.00	0.09
140	0	0.83	4.90	-3.98	0.00	-3.81	0.00	-3.06	0.00	-0.13	0.00	0.13

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Region:	ROCKY MOUNTAINS	Account Manager:	BOB WILLIAMS (970) 749-7375
Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	23059
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	22		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 195609 @ 75 °F					
Sampling Date:	11/28/01	Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Analysis Date:	12/7/01	Chloride:	156.0	4.4	Sodium:	1000.0	43.5
Analyst:	JAMES AHRLETT	Bicarbonate:	2396.0	39.27	Magnesium:	0.1	0.
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	3564.9	Carbonate:	0.0	0.	Calcium:	0.1	0.
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.002	Sulfate:	3.0	0.06	Strontium:	0.6	0.01
Anion/Cation Ratio:	1.0000003	Phosphate:			Barium:	2.0	0.03
Carbon Dioxide:		Borate:			Iron:	0.1	0.
Oxygen:		Silicate:			Potassium:	7.0	0.18
Comments:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.33	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.33	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
°F	psi											psi
80	0	-1.10	0.00	-6.30	0.00	-6.37	0.00	-3.75	0.00	-0.12	0.00	0.15
100	0	-1.07	0.00	-6.32	0.00	-6.33	0.00	-3.73	0.00	-0.25	0.00	0.25
120	0	-1.04	0.00	-6.33	0.00	-6.26	0.00	-3.69	0.00	-0.36	0.00	0.38
140	0	-1.00	0.00	-6.33	0.00	-6.17	0.00	-3.65	0.00	-0.45	0.00	0.58

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Region:	ROCKY MOUNTAINS	Account Manager:	BOB WILLIAMS (970) 749-7375
Area:	RATON, NM	ID #:	23060
Lease/Platform:	VERMEJO PARK RANCH 'E'	Analysis Cost:	\$40.00
Entity (or well #):	23		
Formation:	UNKNOWN		
Sample Point:	WELLHEAD		

Summary		Analysis of Sample 176413 @ 75 °F					
		Anions	mg/l	meq/l	Cations	mg/l	meq/l
Sampling Date:	11/28/01	Chloride:	159.0	4.48	Sodium:	994.3	43.25
Analysis Date:	12/7/01	Bicarbonate:	2313.0	37.91	Magnesium:	0.1	0.
Analyst:	JAMES AHRLETT	Carbonate:	39.0	1.3	Calcium:	0.1	0.
TDS (mg/l or g/m3):	3526.8	Sulfate:	4.0	0.08	Strontium:	0.3	0.01
Density (g/cm3, tonne/m3):	1.002	Phosphate:			Barium:	2.0	0.03
Anion/Cation Ratio:	1	Borate:			Iron:	9.0	0.33
Carbon Dioxide:		Silicate:			Potassium:	6.0	0.15
Oxygen:		Hydrogen Sulfide:			Aluminum:		
Comments:		pH at time of sampling:			Chromium:		
		pH at time of analysis:		8.41	Copper:		
		pH used in Calculation:		8.41	Lead:		
					Manganese:		
					Nickel:		

Conditions		Values Calculated at the Given Conditions - Amounts of Scale in lb/1000 bbl										
Temp	Gauge Press.	Calcite CaCO3		Gypsum CaSO4*2H2O		Anhydrite CaSO4		Celestite SrSO4		Barite BaSO4		CO2 Press
		Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	Index	Amount	
80	0	-1.04	0.00	-6.19	0.00	-6.26	0.00	-3.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.13
100	0	-1.02	0.00	-6.21	0.00	-6.21	0.00	-3.91	0.00	-0.13	0.00	0.2
120	0	-1.00	0.00	-6.22	0.00	-6.14	0.00	-3.87	0.00	-0.24	0.00	0.33
140	0	-0.97	0.00	-6.21	0.00	-6.05	0.00	-3.83	0.00	-0.33	0.00	0.51

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“Attachment F”

XIII. Proof of Notice

Surface Owner:

Vermejo Park, L.L.C.
PO Drawer E
Raton, NM 87740

Working/Offset & Royalty Owner:

Vermejo Mineral Corporation
Nine Greenway Plaza
Houston, TX 77046
Attn: Paul Dowden

A copy of the Oil Conservation Division, Form C-108 has been sent to the above stated parties by Certified Mail on this 30th day of August, 2002.

DR Lankford

Donald R. Lankford, Petroleum Engineer
El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C.
PO Box 190
Raton, NM 87740



EL PASO ENERGY RATON, L.L.C.
P.O. BOX 190
RATON, N.M. 87740

July 28, 2002

Vermejo Park Ranch
 P. O. Drawer E
 Raton, New Mexico 87740

Attn: Mr. David Vackar

Subject: Landowner Notice of Conversion of VPRE-99 to an Injection Well

Dear David:

This correspondence is to serve notice that El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C., plans to convert the VPRE-99 exploratory test well, API no. 30-007-20378, to a produced water disposal well in the SE1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 5, T31N, R19E in Colfax, County, New Mexico.

The well will be deepened to the Entrada and Glorieta formations at approximate depth 7735 ft. Produced water from coalbed methane wells will be injected into the Entrada and Glorieta Formations and possibly the Sangre de Cristo formation.

Respectfully,

Carl Lakey
 Production Director



Receipt

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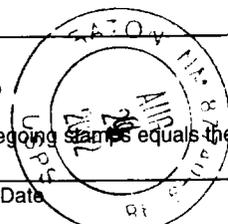
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Is any Portion of this Sale a Charitable Tax Deduction?
 Yes No

If "Yes," the fair market value of the postage portion of the foregoing stamp equals the First-Class postage rate.

By (Signature and Title) _____ Date _____





EL PASO ENERGY RATON, L.L.C.
 P.O. BOX 190
 RATON, N.M. 87740

July 28, 2002

Vermejo Minerals Corp.
 Nine Greenway Plaza
 Houston, Texas 77046

Attn: Mr. Paul Dowden

Subject: Partner Notice of Conversion of VPRE-99 to an Injection Well

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Don Lankford
 Petroleum Engineer

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 Mr. Paul Dowden
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 City, State, ZIP+ 4 Houston, TX 77046

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss.
COUNTY OF COLFAX)

The undersigned, being first duly sworn according to law, on his/her oath deposes and says that he/she is the business manager of the newspaper named "The Raton Range" and that he/she has personal knowledge of the facts stated herein; that the said "The Raton Range" is a twice-weekly newspaper of general paid circulation printed and published in the County of Colfax and State of New Mexico and entered under the Second class postal privilege in said County, and having been uninterruptedly and continuously printed and published in said County during the period of more than six months to the date of publishing of the first issue of the publication next prior or notice concerning which this affidavit is made and a copy of which is hereto attached; that said newspaper is duly qualified for that purpose under the laws of the state of New Mexico; that the publication, a printed copy of which is hereunto attached and made a part of this affidavit, was published in said newspaper once each week for 1 successive weeks, said paid publication having been made on the following dates, to-wit:

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Kimberly D. Marshall
Business Manager

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of August, 2002.

Kimberly D. Davis
Notary Public

Notice of Application for Fluid Injection Well Permit
El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C., Nine Greenway Plaza, Houston, Texas, is seeking administrative approval from the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to complete their Vermejo Park Ranch "E", #99, as a water disposal well. The well is located in Section 05, T31N, R19E, Colfax County, New Mexico. The proposed disposal interval is the Entrada Sandstone 7095' - 7175' and Glorieta Sandstone 7470' - 7580', and possibly the Sangre De Cristo 7585' - 7620'. El Paso Energy Raton, L.L.C. intends to inject a maximum of 18,000 bbls. of produced formation water per day at a maximum injection pressure of 2,000 psi. Interested parties must file objections or request for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, 1220 S. St. Francis, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 within 15 days of this notice.
Donald R. Lankford, PE
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