

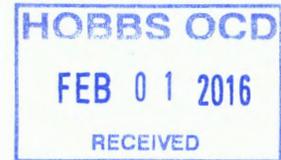
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Mr. Kieling:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 6, 2016 and to thank you for your departments interest in certain environmental issues related to the toxic fluid spill in the Nw4Nw4 Sec. 5, Twp. 14S. Rng. 36E. Lea County New Mexico. As I have stated in numerous documents our family has land and water wells adjacent to the spill area and have concerns as to the pollution of the land and groundwater underlying the area. I am most pleased to find an Environmental Department in New Mexico with concerns and interest in protecting the soil and ground water in Lea County, New Mexico. I do thank you for your concerns and efforts.

Please note that as of this date no information what-so-ever has been received by the writer regarding our numerous requests for details as to how the monitoring and correction of the spill is being handled by the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Departments. We will continue on a regular basis to obtain water quality samples from the water supply wells owned by our family, for analyses by certified labs. with the hope that no contamination or damage to the groundwater has occurred and that no legal actions will be necessary.

Again my thanks for your reply and efforts, I am

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Robert C. Hull'.

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