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Sent: Friday, March 6, 2020 10:07 AM
To: 'Camille J Bryant'
Cc: Amber L Groves
Subject: RE: Plains TNM 98-05A (NMOCD Ref.# AP-12) 2019 Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report

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Camille J. Bryant – Plains
Amber Groves – Plains

RE; Annual Report for OCD AP-12

Hello,

As it turns out I had an opening in time, so I have reviewed this report today, and have the following response:

- 1) The requests made for alternative sampling and data procurement from indicated monitor wells, for the near future is APPROVED, as is the schedule for next submitted report.
- 2) It is suggested that even those well on an annual sampling schedule be “bailed-out” with approximately three or more bore volumes on a quarterly basis to help maintain viability of the wells and preclude possible silting of the well.
- 3) Noted the benzene levels in MW-13.

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) appreciates your continued efforts. Report and this response will be available on imaging soon.

Please keep this communication for your records, as NO paper copy will follow.

Of note, the OCD will, likely this month, be opening an office in Albuquerque. At such time, phone numbers for individuals will change. We will make sure numbers will be posted on website.

Sincerely,

Bradford Billings
EMNRD/OCD
Santa Fe

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

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Subject: [EXT] Plains TNM 98-05A (NMOCD Ref.# AP-12) 2019 Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report

Good Morning Mr. Billings,

Please find attached for your review, the 2019 Annual Groundwater Monitoring Report for the Plains TNM 98-05A Site (NMOCD Ref. # AP-12). This site is located in the SW¼, NW¼ of Section 26, Township 21 South, Range 37 East of Lea County. Plains respectfully request NMOCD approval to modify the sampling schedule frequency from quarterly to semi-annually for monitor well MW-6 and modify the sampling schedule from semi-annually to annually for monitor wells MW-7, MW-9, and MW-11. Also, modify the sampling schedule frequency from quarterly to annually for monitor well MW-8. The laboratory analytical data indicates each of these wells has exhibited BTEX constituent concentrations below regulatory guidelines for at least eight (8) consecutive quarters. If you have any questions or require additional information please contact Amber Groves (575.200.5517) or myself.

Respectively submitted,

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