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**AOC-27**

**Boiler & Cooling Unit  
Area**

**2020**

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Good Morning,  
Please see attachment

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**RE: APPROVAL  
AREA OF CONCERN 27 – BOILER AND COOLING UNIT AREA [ASSESSMENT REPORT]  
JANUARY 20, 2017 ORDER ON CONSENT  
WESTERN REFINING SOUTHWEST INC., GALLUP REFINERY  
EPA ID # NMD000333211  
HWB-WRG-20-011**

Dear Mr. Moore:

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) has reviewed the *Area of Concern 27 – Boiler and Cooling Unit Area [Assessment Report] January 20, 2017 Order on Consent* (Report), dated March 27, 2020, submitted on behalf of Marathon Petroleum Company dba Western Refining Southwest Inc., Gallup Refinery (the Permittee). The Report was submitted in accordance with the requirements of the January 2017 Consent Order (Consent Order).

The purpose of the Consent Order is to determine whether areas of concern (AOCs) listed in Attachment 1 of the Consent Order require investigation or if the Permittee can provide sufficient information to determine that no further investigation or remediation is necessary.

Consent Order Section IV.B requires NMED to review the Report and determine whether the report "approved, disapproved, or disapproved in part ... " The Permittee provided information

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required by Consent Order Section IV.C (Contents of AOC Assessment Report). NMED reviewed the Report and hereby issues this Approval.

As specified by the Consent Order Section IV.D (NMED Determination of AOC Entry or Elimination), NMED will make a determination of whether or not AOC 27 should be restored to the RCRA Permit or eliminated from corrective action requirements when NMED receives the last Assessment Report.

If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Michiya Suzuki of my staff at 505-476-6046.

Sincerely,



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