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March 24, 2000

Mr. William C. Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco
Santa Fe, NM 87504

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ENVIRONMENTAL BUREAU
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

RE: 1999 Pit Project Annual Groundwater Report

Dear Mr. Olson:

In accordance with reporting requirements, El Paso Field Services (EPFS) has enclosed annual updates for the 32 remaining groundwater impacted locations that were identified during our pit closure project of 1994 / 1995.

Of the 32 reports, EPFS hereby requests closure of 4 of these locations. The 4 sites EPFS is requesting closure on are presented in one separate binder entitled "San Juan Basin Pit Closures, El Paso Field Services, Pit Closure Reports".

The Jaquez Com. C #1 and Jaquez Com. E #1 site is included in a separate report which is entitled "Jaquez Com. C #1 and Jaquez Com. E #1 Annual Report for Soil and Groundwater Remediation".

EPFS has also included for your information five Navajo sites in a separate binder and a separate report for the Bisti Flare Pit #1.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed reports or closure requests, please call me at (505) 599-2124.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Scott T. Pope".

Scott T. Pope P.G.
Senior Environmental Scientist

xc: Mr. Denny Foust, NMOCD, Aztec - w / enclosures; **Certified Mail # Z 213 707 667**
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SAN JUAN BASIN PIT CLOSURES
San Juan Basin, New Mexico

El Paso Field Services Pit Project Groundwater Report
Annual Report

March 2000

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Prepared For

El Paso Field Services
Farmington, New Mexico

Project 62800158



EPFS GROUNDWATER PITS 1999 ANNUAL GROUNDWATER REPORT

FOGELSON 4-1 COM #14
Meter/Line ID - 73220

SITE DETAILS

Legals - Twn: 29N Rng: 11W Sec: 4 Unit: P
NMOCD Hazard Ranking: 10 Land Type: FEDERAL
Operator: BURLINGTON RESOURCES

PREVIOUS ACTIVITIES

Site Assessment: Mar-94 Excavation: Apr-94 (65 cy) Soil Boring: Oct-95
Monitor Well: Oct-95 Geoprobe: Dec-96 Quarterly Sampling Initiated: Dec-96

1999 ACTIVITIES

Annual Groundwater Monitoring – Annual groundwater monitoring was initiated in June of 1998. Annual groundwater sampling was conducted in May 1999.

Operator Notification- The operator was notified that up-gradient production pits might be causing contamination of groundwater. Quarterly sampling was discontinued in June of 1998.

SUMMARY TABLES

Groundwater analytical data are presented in Table 1. Copies of the laboratory data sheets and the associated quality assurance/quality control data are presented in Attachment 1.

SITE MAP

A site map is presented as Figure 1.

GEOLOGIC LOGS AND WELL COMPLETION DIAGRAMS

There were no drilling activities at this site in 1999.

DISPOSITION OF GENERATED WASTES

There were no wastes generated at this site in 1999.

ISOCONCENTRATION MAPS

None generated for this site.

CONCLUSIONS

Analytical results of groundwater samples from MW-1 show levels of benzene, ethyl benzene and total xylenes above New Mexico Groundwater Standards. Quarterly sampling was discontinued in June of 1998 while EPFS waited for the operator to investigate the unlined pit associated with their operations at the location. In 1999, the operator excavated the unlined pit, backfilled the pit, and installed a monitoring well.

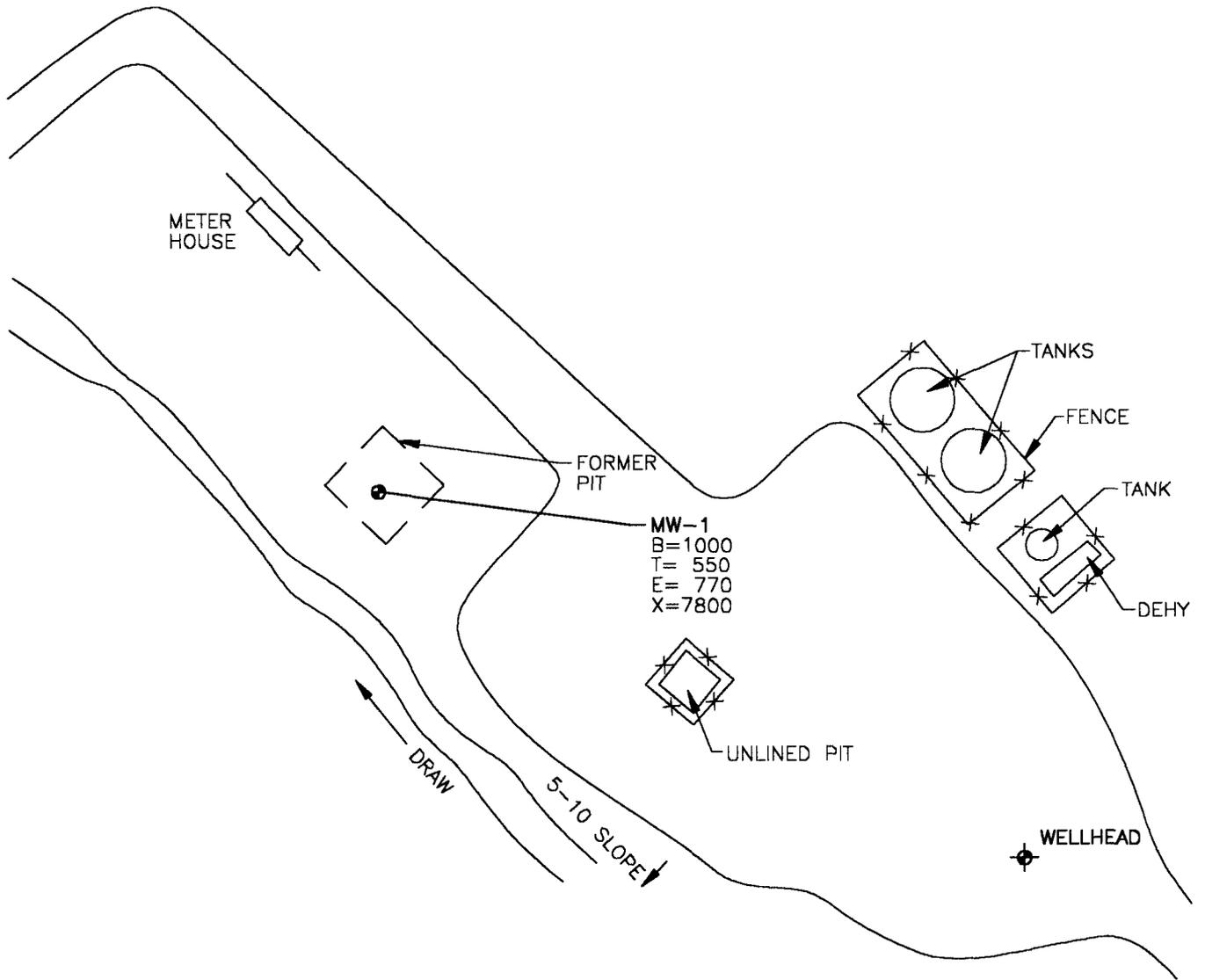
Pertinent data from past groundwater reports include the following: Based on groundwater levels collected from temporary well point data, the direction of groundwater flow is to the west on this site. Groundwater samples collected from MW-1 have been above standards for benzene, and total xylenes since quarterly sampling was initiated. Downgradient and upgradient Geoprobe and

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temporary well point groundwater samples are also in excess of standards. Additional monitoring wells will be required to define extent of migration.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Quarterly groundwater sampling of MW-1.
- Install two downgradient monitoring wells to define extent of migration.
- Annual groundwater sampling of the two proposed monitoring wells.
- EPFS will continue to work with the operator at this location and has supplied operator with data collected by EPFS.



LEGEND

● MW-1 MONITORING WELL NUMBER AND APPROXIMATE LOCATION

B BENZENE (ug\L)
 T TOLUENE (ug\L)
 E ETHYL BENZENE (ug\L)
 X XYLENE (ug\L)

ug\L MICROGRAMS PER LITER

NOT TO SCALE



	TITLE:	DWN:	DES.:	PROJECT NO.:
	FOGELSON 4-1 #14 METER 73220 JUNE 15, 1999	CJG	CI	17520 EPFS GW PITS
		CHKD:	APPD:	
		CI		
		DATE:	REV.:	FIGURE 1
		03/20/00	0	

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EPFS Groundwater Pits
1999 Groundwater Report

TABLE 1

Sample #	Meter/ Line #	Site Name	Sample Date	MW #	Project	Benzene (PPB)	Toluene (PPB)	Ethyl Benzene (PPB)	Total Xylenes (PPB)	Total BTEX
990290	73220	Fogelson 4-1 Com. #14	06/15/99	1	Sample 4 - 8th Quarter	= 1000	= 550	= 770	= 7800	= 10120

ATTACHMENT 1
1999 GROUNDWATER ANALYTICAL

**FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY
ANALYTICAL REPORT
PIT CLOSURE PROJECT**

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION

	Field ID	Lab ID
SAMPLE NUMBER:	NA	990290
MTR CODE SITE NAME:	73220	Fogelson 4-1 COM #14
SAMPLE DATE TIME (Hrs):	6/15/99	1548
PROJECT:	Annual	
DATE OF BTEX EXT. ANAL.:	NA	6/21/99
TYPE DESCRIPTION:	MW-1	Water

Field Remarks: _____

RESULTS

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	Q		
BENZENE	1000	PPB	20	D		
TOLUENE	550	PPB	20	D		
ETHYL BENZENE	770	PPB	20	D		
TOTAL XYLENES	7800	PPB	20	D		
TOTAL BTEX	10120	PPB				

--BTEX is by EPA Method 8021 Modified --

The Surrogate Recovery was at 96 % for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.

DF = Dilution Factor Used

The "D" qualifier indicates that the analyte calculated is based on a secondary dilution factor.

Narrative:

This sample was analyzed by Pinnacle Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM.

Approved By: _____

John Sabido

Date: _____

6/24/99



Well Development and Purging Data

Well Number MW-1
 Meter Code 73320

Development
 Purging

Site Name FOGELSON 4-1 COM #74

Development Criteria

- 3 to 5 Casing Volumes of Water Removal
- Stabilization of Indicator Parameters
- Other _____

Methods of Development

- Pump
 - Centrifugal
 - Submersible
 - Peristaltic
- Bailer
 - Bottom Valve
 - Double Check Valve
- Other _____

Water Volume Calculation

Initial Depth of Well (feet) 477.79
 Initial Depth to Water (feet) 44.88
 Height of Water Column in Well (feet) 5.91

Diameter (inches): Well 4 Gravel Pack _____

Item	Water Volume in Well		Gallons to be Removed
	Cubic Feet	Gallons	
Well Casing		<u>3.9</u>	<u>11.7</u>
Gravel Pack			
Drilling Fluids			
Total			

Instruments

- pH Meter
- DO Monitor
- Conductivity Meter
- Temperature Meter
- Other DO CHEMETS KIT

Water Disposal

KUTZ SEPARATOR

Water Removal Data

Date	Time	Development Method	Removal Rate (gal/min)	Intake Depth (feet)	Ending Water Depth (feet)	Water Volume Removed (gal)		Product Volume Removed (gallons)		pH	Conductivity $\mu\text{mho/cm}$	Dissolved Oxygen mg/L	Comments
						Increment	Cumulative	Increment	Cumulative				
6-15-99	1457					5.0	5.0			7.13	14130		
6-15-99	1506					5.0	10.0			7.15	14720		
6-15-99	1515					5.0	15.0			7.18	16210		
6-15-99	1525					5.0	20.0			7.17	16000		
6-15-99	1535					5.0	25.0			7.19	15990	0.5	

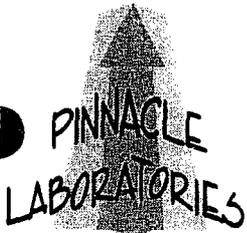
Comments THE WATER HAD A STRONG HYDROGEN SULFIDE SMELL.

Developer's Signature [Signature]

Date 6-15-99

Reviewer [Signature]

Date 6/24/99



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Pinnacle Lab ID number **906065**
June 22, 1999

EL PASO FIELD SERVICES
770 WEST NAVAJO
FARMINGTON, NM 87401

Project Name PIT MONITOR WELLS
Project Number (none)

Attention: JOHN LAMBDIN

On 6/18/99 Pinnacle Laboratories, Inc. Inc., (ADHS License No. AZ0592), received a request to analyze **aqueous** samples. The samples were analyzed with EPA methodology or equivalent methods. The results of these analyses and the quality control data, which follow each set of analyses, are enclosed.

If you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact us at (505)344-3777.

Kimberly D. McNeill
Project Manager

H. Mitchell Rubenstein, Ph. D.
General Manager

MR: mt

Enclosure

Reviewed & Accepted
J. Jander 6/24/99



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CLIENT	: EL PASO FIELD SERVICES	PINNACLE ID	: 906065
PROJECT #	: (none)	DATE RECEIVED	: 6/18/99
PROJECT NAME	: PIT MONITOR WELLS	REPORT DATE	: 6/22/99

PIN			DATE
ID. #	CLIENT DESCRIPTION	MATRIX	COLLECTED
01	990290	AQUEOUS	6/15/99
02	990291 (TRIP BLANK)	AQUEOUS	6/15/99



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GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY RESULTS

TEST : EPA 8021 MODIFIED
CLIENT : EL PASO FIELD SERVICES
PROJECT # : (none)
PROJECT NAME : PIT MONITOR WELLS

PINNACLE I.D.: 906065

SAMPLE ID. #	CLIENT I.D.	MATRIX	DATE SAMPLED	DATE EXTRACTED	DATE ANALYZED	DIL. FACTOR
01	990290	AQUEOUS	6/15/99	NA	6/21/99	20
02	990291 (TRIP BLANK)	AQUEOUS	6/15/99	NA	6/21/99	1

PARAMETER	DET. LIMIT	UNITS	990290	990291 (TRIP BLANK)
BENZENE	0.5	UG/L	1000	< 0.5
TOLUENE	0.5	UG/L	550	< 0.5
ETHYLBENZENE	0.5	UG/L	770	< 0.5
TOTAL XYLENES	0.5	UG/L	7800	< 0.5

SURROGATE:
BROMOFLUOROBENZENE (%) 96 96
SURROGATE LIMITS (80 - 120)

CHEMIST NOTES:
N/A



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GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY RESULTS
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TEST	: EPA 8021 MODIFIED	PINNACLE I.D.	: 906065
BLANK I. D.	: 062199	DATE EXTRACTED	: N/A
CLIENT	: EL PASO FIELD SERVICES	DATE ANALYZED	: 6/21/99
PROJECT #	: (none)	SAMPLE MATRIX	: AQUEOUS
PROJECT NAME	: PIT MONITOR WELLS		

PARAMETER	UNITS	
BENZENE	UG/L	<0.5
TOLUENE	UG/L	<0.5
ETHYLBENZENE	UG/L	<0.5
TOTAL XYLENES	UG/L	<0.5

SURROGATE:
BROMOFLUOROBENZENE (%) 93
SURROGATE LIMITS: (80 - 120)
CHEMIST NOTES:
N/A



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GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY QUALITY CONTROL
 MSMSD

TEST : EPA 8021 MODIFIED
 MSMSD # : 062199 PINNACLE I.D. : 906065
 CLIENT : EL PASO FIELD SERVICES DATE EXTRACTED : N/A
 PROJECT # : (none) DATE ANALYZED : 6/21/99
 PROJECT NAME : PIT MONITOR WELLS SAMPLE MATRIX : AQUEOUS
 UNITS : UG/L

PARAMETER	SAMPLE RESULT	CONC SPIKE	SPIKED SAMPLE	% REC	DUP SPIKE	DUP % REC	RPD	REC LIMITS	RPD LIMITS
BENZENE	<0.5	20.0	22.1	111	22.0	110	0	(80 - 120)	20
TOLUENE	<0.5	20.0	19.8	99	20.1	101	2	(80 - 120)	20
ETHYLBENZENE	<0.5	20.0	21.4	107	20.5	103	4	(80 - 120)	20
TOTAL XYLENES	<0.5	60.0	61.2	102	59.1	99	3	(80 - 120)	20

CHEMIST NOTES:
 N/A

$$\% \text{ Recovery} = \frac{(\text{Spike Sample Result} - \text{Sample Result})}{\text{Spike Concentration}} \times 100$$

$$\text{RPD (Relative Percent Difference)} = \frac{(\text{Sample Result} - \text{Duplicate Result})}{\text{Average Result}} \times 100$$

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BILL TO: *1000 E. PC BLDG (E)*

COMPANY: *AMERICAN ENVIRONMENTAL NETWORK*

ADDRESS: *1000 E. PC BLDG (E)*

SAMPLE ID	DATE	TIME	MATRIX	LAB I.D.	ANALYSIS REQUEST
<i>710390</i>	<i>6/18/99</i>	<i>10:30</i>	<i>WATER</i>	<i>01</i>	Petroleum Hydrocarbons (418.1) TRPH (MOD.8015) Diesel/Direct Inject (M8015) Gas/Purge & Trap 8021 (BTEX)/8015 (Gasoline) 8021 (BTEX) <input type="checkbox"/> MTBE <input type="checkbox"/> TMB <input type="checkbox"/> PCE 8021 (TCL) 8021 (EDX) 8021 (HALO) 8021 (CUST) 504.1 EDB <input type="checkbox"/> / DBCP <input type="checkbox"/>
<i>710391 (SP. LAB)</i>	<i>6/18/99</i>	<i>10:30</i>	<i>WATER</i>	<i>02</i>	8260 (TCL) Volatile Organics 8260 (Full) Volatile Organics 8260 (CUST) Volatile Organics 8260 (Landfill) Volatile Organics Pesticides /PCB (608/8081) Herbicides (615/8151) Base/Neutral/Acid Compounds GC/MS (625/8270) Polynuclear Aromatics (610/8310) General Chemistry: Priority Pollutant Metals (13) Target Analyte List Metals (23) RCRA Metals (8) RCRA Metals by TCLP (Method 1311) Metals:
					NUMBER OF CONTAINERS

PROJECT INFORMATION

PROJ NO.: *710390*

PROJ NAME: *710390 (SP. LAB)*

PO NO.: *11/6*

SHIPPED VIA: *Express*

SAMPLE RECEIPT

NO. CONTAINERS: *3*

CUSTODY SEALS: *(Y) N/NA*

RECEIVED INTACT: *YES*

BILL TO: *952*

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION IS REQUIRED FOR RUSH PROJECTS

(RUSH) 12hr 48hr 72hr 1 WEEK (NORMAL)

CERTIFICATION REQUIRED: NM SDWA OTHER

METHANOL PRESERVATION

COMMENTS: FIXED FEE

RELINQUISHED BY:

Signature: *[Signature]* Time: *10:30*

Printed Name: *DAVID GARDNER* Date: *6/18/99*

Company: *AMERICAN ENVIRONMENTAL NETWORK*

RECEIVED BY:

Signature: *[Signature]* Time: *10:30*

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Company: *AMERICAN ENVIRONMENTAL NETWORK*

RELINQUISHED BY:

Signature: *[Signature]* Time: *10:30*

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