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Subject: RE: LRE- Staley-Williams A Release
Date: Thursday, July 30, 2015 7:38:00 AM

RE: LRE Operating * Staley St 20 * 30-015-40983 * O-30-17s-28e
NMOCD Tracking Number: **2RP-3017** * Date of release: 5/13/15

Mr. Barrett,

Your proposal for remediation of the above referenced release, submitted to NMOCD July 22, 2015 by R.T. Hicks Consultants, is not approved. Please provide an alternative method for disposition of impacted materials resulting from this produced fluid release.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

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Mike Stubblefield called. He noticed you weren't on this email and asked me to forward it to you.

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From: Randall Hicks [<mailto:r@rthicksconsult.com>]
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Lady and Gentlemen

We have revised the Remediation Plan and have tried to address several administrative problems identified with the previously-submitted (and withdrawn) plan.

As stated in the transmittal letter, if OCD and/or BLM wish to meet and work out some additional details – we are available to do so. Such a meeting might avoid an OCD hearing to appeal a denial.

We look forward to working through this project. As produced water recycling expands, these types of releases will occur from time to time. Creating a protocol to avoid routine dig-haul-dispose will be another way that OCD will be encouraging recycling.

Thanks all.

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