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Subject: RE: Delineation Report De La Sierra Trucking

Date: Monday, October 26, 2015 8:01:00 AM

Attachments: 6.WaterColumn.pdf

RE: De La Sierra Trucking \* De La Sierra Trucking Yard \* FAB1526729035 \* 2RP-3296

## Rebecca.

The OCD is in receipt of your work plan for the above listed site. We believe the depth to groundwater is actually closer to 60' based on the ChevronTexaco Trend map and a more refined OSE database search (see attached), therefore we will consider the site ranking for this location to be a 10.

As for your proposal to complete 5 more samples to determine vertical extent, the OCD does not believe this will be quite adequate, especially due to the extremely high surface samples. We will require a minimum of 10 vertical samples. Alternatively, you can grid the site off to  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre plots and conduct a 5 point composite within each  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre square. Vertical chloride delineation goals are  $\frac{250 \text{mg}}{\text{kg}}$ .

If De La Sierra and SESI desire to scrape off an additional foot of contaminated soils before they begin the next phase of delineation, that is approved. The OCD requests that all previously excavated material (which is stock piled just to the east of the caliche pit) be hauled off to an OCD approved landfill as soon as possible. Any further excavated material should be placed on a liner until it can be hauled off to reduce further soil contamination.

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.

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

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**From:** Rebecca Pons [mailto:office2@sesi-nm.com]

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## Good Morning,

I have attached a preliminary delineation report recapping our initial assessment for the above site. Please review and advise us. Feel free to contact us with any questions.

## Thank You

## Rebecca Pons

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