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From: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD
Sent: Tuesday, November 03, 2015 9:20 AM
To: 'Walker, Clayton D'; Pair, Randal; Blair, Yvonne B
Cc: Dade, Randy, EMNRD; Case, Nicholas L; Pudim, David A; tgregsto@blm.gov; Valencia, Israel; Michael, Kelley R
Subject: RE: MM line leak C141 with remediation plan

RE: DCP Midstream * Loco Hills MM Line * 18-17s-31e
2RP-3339 * Date of discovery: 10/9/2015

Clay,

Your request to back fill this site is approved by OCD. BLM approval is required for this site as well.

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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Attached you will see the where the MM line mentioned below was remediated. These samples were taken on behalf of DCP by Basin Environmental, and were sent to Cardinal labs for analysis. The sample on scrape number 3 came back higher on chlorides than the rest due to what looks like another past leak that entered the area from a well location. DCP would like to ask for permission to back fill this location. Regards, Clay

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From: Pair, Randal [<mailto:rpair@blm.gov>]
Sent: Friday, October 16, 2015 4:27 PM
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Ms Blair,

BLM approves the general tenor of your clean-up proposal.

I checked with our archeologists, and virtually all of the spill path delineated by my coworker Terry Gregston has been previously surveyed for archeology; so you can skip that step.

Please include Chlorides in your sampling parameters for analysis (in addition to TPH and BTEX). Please obtain my approval of final confirmation samples prior to backfilling. You should obtain and retain all load tickets for contaminated materials disposed off-site.

Like approval of your proposed plan by NM-OCD will also be required.

We have reports from third-parties working in the vicinity that the pipe had been leaking for at least a couple of weeks before another BLM employee discovered it. Some 3rd parties reported getting alarms on H2S personal monitors. For these reasons, the BLM-CFO Safety Officer (Terry Gregston) is concerned about the extended duration of the leak, particularly since any gasses would have been concentrated in a narrow downhill flow path. I believe she will approach you - or higher DCP management - to require DCP to address how it will revise its inspection procedures and line markings to prevent future recurrences. Whatever results from that request should be appended to the final report for this leak, in addition to being reported to Ms Gregston separately.

With the addition of these comments, BLM approves this clean-up proposal.

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On Fri, Oct 16, 2015 at 9:10 AM, Blair, Yvonne B <YBBBlair@dcpmidstream.com> wrote:

Mike

After re-evaluating the spill on the MM line in Loco Hills we have discovered it may be at the 5 barrel impact line. Thus we are providing you with the C141 and the remediation plan. We will be working closely with Randy Pair at the BLM on the remediation. Please contact myself or Nick Case 575-802-5225 if you have any questions.

Yvonne Blair

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