

**From:** [Tucker, Shelly](#)  
**To:** [Patterson, Heather, EMNRD](#)  
**Cc:** [Austin Weyant](#); [Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Work Plans  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 09, 2015 9:38:13 AM

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BLM concurs with NMOCD stipulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

*Shelly J Tucker*

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The **BLM acceptance/approval does not** relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment or if the location fails to reclaim properly. In such an event that the location does not revegetate, or future issues with contaminants are encountered, the operator will be asked to address the issues until the contaminant issues are fully mitigated and the location is successfully reclaimed. In addition, BLM approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state or local laws/regulations.

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On Wed, Dec 9, 2015 at 9:36 AM, Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
<[Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us](mailto:Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us)> wrote:

**RE: COG \* Copperhead 31 Fed Com #2H \* 30-015-39791 \* 2RP-3354**

Austin,

Your work plan for the above referenced site is approved with the following conditions:

- A 4' excavation will be required in this area;
- The OCD will need a vertical delineation. Chloride delineation goal is 250mg/kg;
- Like approval by BLM.

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:** Austin Weyant [mailto:[austin.veyant@soudermiller.com](mailto:austin.veyant@soudermiller.com)]

**Sent:** Monday, December 07, 2015 8:07 AM

**To:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

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As per our discussion on Friday

Thanks

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