

## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 11, 2017 1:59 PM  
**To:** Dakota Neel; Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD; Amber Groves (agroves@slo.state.nm.us)  
**Cc:** Rebecca Haskell; Robert McNeill  
**Subject:** RE: (C-141 Final) BUENA VISTA 2 STATE #001H 7-13-2017 (30-015-40789) 2RP-4302

RE: COG \* Buena Vista 2 St 1H \* **2RP-4302** \* DOR: 7/13/17

Dakota,

Your request for closure of the above referenced release is approved.

Thank you,

Mike Bratcher  
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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.

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Ms. Weaver / Ms. Groves,

A final inspection has been conducted regarding the clean-up efforts made at the above mentioned lined facility. Free fluids were removed and if present the impacted gravel was removed from the liner and taken to a NMOCD approved disposal facility. The liner was inspected for damage and found to have liner integrity to contain free fluids. Please see the attached Final C-141 and picture taken during the final inspection conducted by a COG HSE representative.





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RE: COG \* Buena Vista 2 State #1H \* 30-015-40789 \* 2RP-4302

Dakota,

Sorry for the delay on this one. It and quite a few others had been misplaced. I have included a scanned copy of the signed Initial C-141 Remediation Permit along with an attached Conditions of Approval. The OCD tracking number for this event is 2RP-4302. Considering the delay OCD will accept release characterization work plans 15 days from today's date.

Thank you,

## Crystal Weaver

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Ms. Weaver/Ms. Groves,

Please find the attached C-141 for your consideration. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me.

Thank You,

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**Subject:** (Notification) BUENA VISTA 2 STATE #001H 7-13-2017 (30-015-40789)

MS. WEAVER/ MS. GROVES,

**COG OPERATING LLC IS REPORTING A RELEASE ON THE BUENA VISTA 2 STATE  
#001H (30-015-40789)  
SECTION 02 TOWNSHIP 20S RANGE 30E  
THE RELEASE OCCURRED AT 7:47 AM ON 7-13-2017  
RELEASED: APPROXIMATELY 27 BBLs PW  
RECOVERED: APPROXIMATELY 25 BBLs PW**

THIS RELEASE OCCURRED DUE TO A LOOSE CONNECTION ON A 4 INCH PW LINE. A VACUUM TRUCK WAS DISPATCHED TO RECOVER ALL STANDING FLUID. THIS RELEASE OCCURRED WITHIN THE LINED CONTAINMENT OF THE FACILITY. THIS RELEASE IS BEING EVALUATED AND A C-141 WILL BE SUBMITTED. IF YOU HAVE ANY ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ME.

Thank you.

**Aaron Lieb**

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