

**From:** Tucker, Shelly  
**To:** [Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD](#)  
**Cc:** [Blaney, Karolina](#); [Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD](#)  
**Subject:** Re: WPX Brushy Draw Booster Station - initial C-141  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 10, 2017 9:21:42 AM

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## BLM concurs with NMOCD approval and stipulations regarding the use of EM and ERT delineation methods.

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 Tue, Jan 3, 2017 at 8:46 AM, Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <[mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us)> wrote:

RE: WPX/RKI \* Brushy Draw Booster Station \* **2RP-4011** \* DOR: 11/13/16

Karolina,

Your delineation proposal is approved. OCD will review the data generated using EM & ERT delineation methods, however be aware that OCD may require a traditional soil sample delineation at some point in the project.

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:** Blaney, Karolina [mailto:[Karolina.Blaney@wpxenergy.com](mailto:Karolina.Blaney@wpxenergy.com)]

**Sent:** Monday, January 2, 2017 4:17 AM

**To:** Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD <[Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us](mailto:Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us)>

**Cc:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <[mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us)>; [stucker@blm.gov](mailto:stucker@blm.gov)

**Subject:** RE: WPX Brushy Draw Booster Station - initial C-141

Good morning Crystal,

Attached is the delineation plan for the Brushy Booster spills that occurred in July and

November of 2016.

I will proceed with the delineation after I receive your approval.

Thank you and have a great day,

*Karolina Blaney*

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**From:** Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD [<mailto:Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 07, 2016 3:36 PM  
**To:** Blaney, Karolina <[Karolina.Blaney@wpxenergy.com](mailto:Karolina.Blaney@wpxenergy.com)>  
**Cc:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD <[Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us](mailto:Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us)>; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <[mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us)>; [stucker@blm.gov](mailto:stucker@blm.gov)  
**Subject:** RE: WPX Brushy Draw Booster Station - initial C-141

RE: WPX Energy Inc. \* Brushy Draw Booster Station Fed. UCBHWW 1 \* 2RP-4011

Hello Karolina,

Attached are the Conditions of Approval for this C-141 Remediation Permit. The OCD tracking number for this event is 2RP-4011.

Thank you,

## Crystal Weaver

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**From:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 7, 2016 11:50 AM  
**To:** Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD <[Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us](mailto:Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** FW: WPX Brushy Draw Booster Station - initial C-141

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**From:** Blaney, Karolina [<mailto:Karolina.Blaney@wpxenergy.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, November 28, 2016 2:09 PM  
**To:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD <[Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us](mailto:Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us)>; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <[mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us)>; 'stucker@blm.gov' <[stucker@blm.gov](mailto:stucker@blm.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: WPX Brushy Draw Booster Station - initial C-141

Attached is the initial C-141 for this spill.

Please let me know if you have any questions or suggestions.

Thank you,

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**From:** Blaney, Karolina

**Sent:** Monday, November 14, 2016 1:02 PM

**To:** 'Patterson, Heather, EMNRD' <[Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us](mailto:Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us)>; 'Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD' <[mike.bratcher@state.nm.us](mailto:mike.bratcher@state.nm.us)>; '[stucker@blm.gov](mailto:stucker@blm.gov)' <[stucker@blm.gov](mailto:stucker@blm.gov)>

**Subject:** WPX Brushy Draw Booster Station - spill notification

Good afternoon,

Yesterday, 11/13/16, WPX had a produced water spill at the Brushy Booster Station location. The cause of this spill is equipment failure; a cross arm on an electric failed which cut off power supply to the water transfer pump. Additionally, the ESC float got stuck and didn't trigger the high water alarm notification and didn't shut in the system. Approximately 200 bbls of produced water and stormwater were recovered from the secondary containment (estimated at least 80 bbls of stormwater).

The Brushy Booster Station is located south of the Fed UCBHWW 1, API # 30- 015-24034, qtr/qtr M, S25, T26S, R29E.

The C-141 report will be submitted within 15 days from the incident.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you and have a great day,

*Karolina Blaney*

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