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**Subject:** Re: Riverbend Fed. 8 SWD

Thank you for the notification. Once area impacted has been calculated, please let me know so I can clear the area off location for remedial activities.

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

Sincerely,

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On Thu, Jul 6, 2017 at 5:54 PM, <[Wade\\_Dittrich@oxy.com](mailto:Wade_Dittrich@oxy.com)> wrote:

All,  
This is to inform you that Oxy Permian had a **Reportable** release in Eddy County at the RIVERBEND FED. 8 SWD on 7/6/2017.

- **Release Location:** Legal –Sec.23-T24S-R29E, API: 30-015-28390
- **Release Volume:** 0 bbls of Oil and 500 bbls of Produced Water.
- **Recovered:** TBD bbls recovered

- **Cause of Release:** 3 INCH POLY WATER TRANSFER LINE BURST
- **Approximate Area impacted by release:** 150x150, 110x40, 30x50 Leak is in containment and off location (measurements are subject to change with GPS tracking)
- **GPS Coordinates and Driving Direction:** 32.208710,-103.962730, FROM MALAGA NM GO EAST ON MCDONALD ROAD CROSS THE PECOS RIVER CONTINUING ON 2 MILES AND AT THE T IN ROAD TURN LEFT AT NEXT CROSS ROAD TURN RIGHT GOING .5 MILE TO THE LOCATION

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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