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**Subject:** Re: (C-141 Initial) Canvasback 13 Federal #002H 7-26-17 (30-015-40538)(Triste Draw #2H)

Henryetta Price will be the AO for this release.

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

Sincerely,

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On Tue, Aug 15, 2017 at 3:11 PM, Weaver, Crystal, EMNRD <[Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us](mailto:Crystal.Weaver@state.nm.us)> wrote:

RE: COG \* Canvasback 13 Federal #2H \* 30-015-40538 \* 2RP-4324

Becky,

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-4324.

Thank you,

## Crystal Weaver

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Mike,

Here is an Initial C-141 for the Canvasback 13 Federal #002H. I am keeping Triste Draw #2H in the name of the spill for internal tracking of cost associated with the spill remediation. I hope this is acceptable for all parties involved. I appreciate your assistance and patience in resolving the reporting of this release.

Thank You,

Becky Haskell

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Becky,

For ease of data entry on OCD's part, I would like to enter it under the API for the Canvasback. It would require you sending another C-141 and you could add some language indicating where the fluid originated. That would simplify things for us, but if it causes anyone else problems, speak up and we will go another route.

Thanks,

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Mr. Bratcher,

You are correct there are two wells that flow water through this flowline to the SWD, both of them are located in Lea County. The production foreman knows that at the time of the release water was flowing from the Triste Draw Federal Com #002H because when he shut in the well the leak stopped. How do you think this particular release should be handled?

Thank You,

Becky Haskell

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I guess my next question would have to be, for OCD tracking purposes, do you want an Eddy County release tied to a Lea County well 2.5 miles away? If it is an SWD line, there would be fluid from multiple wells going down that line, right?

Not trying to be difficult, just trying to determine how best to enter this one.

Thanks – MikeB

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Mr. Bratcher,

Aaron Lieb has been to the leak site in question and he confirmed that the Canvasback 13 Federal #2H was nearby. It is located to the west of the lease road. The fluid was traveling through the flowline on its way to a SWD. Aaron confirmed with the production foreman of the Triste Draw Federal #2H well that fluid from that well does flow through that line. Please let me know if you have any additional questions or need any additional information.

Thank You,

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Becky,

There still may be some confusion somewhere. The Lat/Long for the spill puts it about 180 yards SE of the Canvasback 13 Fed 2H (A-13-24-31 \* 30-015-40538) in Eddy County by about 50 yards. The Triste Draw well cited is approximately 2.5 miles from the spill site to the NE in Lea County. Doesn't seem plausible for the flowline from the Triste Draw well to be that far away?

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Ms. Weaver,

I initial reported this spill to Olivia in Lea County. She pointed out below that the spill is just over the county line and is in Eddy County. I apologize for any confusion.

Thank You,

Becky Haskell

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Ms. Haskell:

Thank you for your prompt response. Based on the GPS coordinates, then this release occurred just over the District line into Eddy County. PLSS for the release location needs to be corrected to 13A-24S-31E, in which case, surface and mineral ownership is Federal.

Olivia



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Good Morning Ms. Yu,

1. The spill was from a flowline and is located according to the GPS on the Initial C-141 submitted on 7/28/17 rather than the well location.
2. I am showing the NMOCD Permitting site has the mineral owner as Federal.
3. The surface owner of the spill location is Federal.

Please let me know if have any additional questions or need any additional information.

Thank You,

Becky Haskell

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Good morning Ms. Haskell:

Please clarify these concerns regarding this release.

1. NMOCD database indicates surface ownership is Fee and mineral is State. The original application to drill in 2012 stated a State lease.
2. The GPS coordinates for the flowline release is not in proximity to the associated API well.

Thanks,

Olivia

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Ms. Yu / Ms. Tucker,

Please see attached Initial C-141 for your consideration. If you have any questions or concerns please contact me.

Thank You,

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