

Hamlet, Robert, EMNRD

From: Andresen, Rebecca <Rebecca.Andresen@arcadis.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 27, 2019 3:19 PM
To: Hamlet, Robert, EMNRD
Cc: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Venegas, Victoria, EMNRD; 'Jason Michelson'
Subject: [EXT] RE: Carrasco 14-2, Inspection iTM1734047745

Mr. Hamlet-

Thank you for your review. We would like to officially request an extension to address this violation. Chevron is currently evaluating the schedule for plugging this well. Pending your approval, the work to address this violation will be completed within 12 months of this email.

Thank you,
Rebecca

From: Hamlet, Robert, EMNRD <Robert.Hamlet@state.nm.us>
Sent: Tuesday, June 25, 2019 7:31 AM
To: Andresen, Rebecca <Rebecca.Andresen@arcadis.com>
Cc: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD <mike.bratcher@state.nm.us>; Venegas, Victoria, EMNRD <Victoria.Venegas@state.nm.us>; 'Jason Michelson' <JMichelson@chevron.com>
Subject: RE: Carrasco 14-2, Inspection iTM1734047745

Rebecca,

This "Letter of Violation – Inspection Letter" on the Carrasco 14-2 well was not an Administrative Order and does not qualify for a deferral.

There are two options on this Letter of Violation.

One, we can give you a 12 month extension and that might allow you enough time to plug the well and address staining around the well.

Two, grab some shovels and/or equipment to remove the stained soil. Take a picture after the stained soil has been replaced with clean soil. Send in a letter with the picture explaining that the violation has been addressed and we will administrate the violation has been taken care.

Please let us know your decision.

Thank you,

Robert J Hamlet
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From: Andresen, Rebecca <Rebecca.Andresen@arcadis.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 13, 2019 12:24 PM
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Mr. Hamlet,

Please find attached a Site Deferral Request regarding inspection number iTM1734047745, conducted in 2017. This inspection identified a staining violation. Chevron acquired the lease for this well in October 2018 and is planning to plug and abandon this well. The attached letter proposes that work to address the violation will be conducted in conjunction with P&A activities at this well.

Please let us know if you have questions.

Best Regards,

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