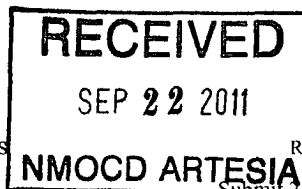


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Release Notification and Corrective Action

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OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: LINN Energy	269324	Contact: Joe Hernandez
Address: 2130 W Bender Blvd. - Hobbs, NM		Telephone No.: 575-942-8675
Facility Name: J.L. Keel B Well 61 Flowline		Facility Type: Producing Oil Well

Surface Owner: BLM	Mineral Owner: BLM	Lease No.: LC-029435-B
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
	6	17S	31E	1410	N	150	E	Eddy

Latitude: 32.862985 Longitude: -103.905658

NATURE OF RELEASE

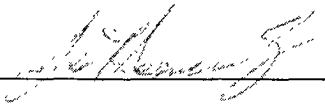
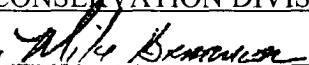
Type of Release: Oil & Produced Water	Volume of Release: 5	Volume Recovered: 0
Source of Release: Flowline	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 09/16/11-1300	Date and Hour of Discovery: 19/16/11-1400
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? T. Gregston BLM, 09/20/11-1600, M. Bratcher OCD 09/21/11-0900	
By Whom?	Date and Hour:	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*:

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*: Scale buildup in the flowline caused the line to over-pressure and rupture. Well was shut in and line repaired.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*: Approximately 2600 square feet of surface area was impacted. Majority of spill pooled in an area next to the road. Note: Spill is over a buried water pipeline operated by Yates. Also noted was the presence of a possible historical spill in this area prior to acquisition of the lease by LINN. The spill resides within confines of the potential historical impact and will be investigated/remediated at the time of remediation of this release. Photographs, Site Map, and Corrective Action Plan attached.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Jose Hernandez	Signed By 	
Title: Foreman	Approved by District Supervisor: OCT 07 2011	
E-mail Address: jhernandez@linneenrgy.com	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
Date: 09/31/11 Phone: 575-738-1739	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per OCD Rules & Guidelines. SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NOT LATER THAN: 11/7/2011	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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