

- C. The reserve pit will be lined with a high quality plastic sheeting (5-7 mil thickness).

10. Plan for Restoration of the Surface:

- A. Upon completion of the proposed operations, should the proposed well be abandoned, the pit area, after allowed to dry, will be broken out and leveled. The original top soil will be returned to the entire location, and leveled and contoured to the original topography as nearly as possible.

All trash, garbage and pit lining will be removed in order to leave the location in an aesthetically pleasing condition. All pits will be filled and the location leveled within 120 days after abandonment.

- B. The disturbed area will be revegetated by reseeding during the proper growing season with a seed mixture of native grasses as recommended by the BLM.
- C. Three sides of the reserve pit will be fenced prior to and during drilling operations. At the time the rig is removed, the reserve pit will be fenced on the rig (fourth) side to prevent livestock or wildlife from being entrapped. The fencing will remain in place until the pit area is cleaned and leveled. No oil will be left on the surface of the fluid in the pit.
- D. Upon completion of the proposed operations, should the proposed well be productive, the reserve pit area will be treated as outlined above within the same prescribed time. The caliche from an area of the original drillsite not needed for production operations or facilities will be removed and used for construction of thicker pads or firewalls for the tank battery installation. Any additional caliche required for facilities will be obtained from a BLM approved caliche pit. Topsoil removed from the drillsite will be used to recontour the pit area and unused portions of the drill pad to the original natural level and reseeded as per BLM specifications.