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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144  
Revised June 6, 2013

For temporary pits, below-grade tanks, and multi-well fluid management pits, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.  
For permanent pits submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

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45-30844

Pit, Below-Grade Tank, or  
Proposed Alternative Method Permit or Closure Plan Application

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By OCD 3-4-15

- Type of action:  Below grade tank registration  
 Permit of a pit or proposed alternative method  
 Closure of a pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method  
 Modification to an existing permit/or registration  
 Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

*Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, below-grade tank or alternative request*

Please be advised that approval of this request does not relieve the operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does approval relieve the operator of its responsibility to comply with any other applicable governmental authority's rules, regulations or ordinances.

1.  
Operator: Burlington Resources OGRID #: 14538  
Address: PO BOX 4289, Farmington, NM 87499  
Facility or well name: Cornell 4R  
API Number: 3004530844 OCD Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
U/L or Qtr/Qtr F (SENW) Section 14 Township 29N Range 12W County: San Juan  
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 36.72862000 °N Longitude -108.07073000 °W NAD:  1927  1983  
Surface Owner:  Federal  State  Private  Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

2.  
 **Pit:** Subsection F, G or J of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  
Temporary:  Drilling  Workover  
 Permanent  Emergency  Cavitation  P&A  Multi-Well Fluid Management Low Chloride Drilling Fluid  yes  no  
 Lined  Unlined Liner type: Thickness \_\_\_\_\_ mil  LLDPE  HDPE  PVC  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 String-Reinforced  
Liner Seams:  Welded  Factory  Other \_\_\_\_\_ Volume: \_\_\_\_\_ bbl Dimensions: L \_\_\_\_\_ x W \_\_\_\_\_ x D \_\_\_\_\_

**Closed Prior to Closure Plan Approval**

3.  
 **Below-grade tank:** Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  
Volume: 120 bbl Type of fluid: Produced Water  
Tank Construction material: Metal  
 Secondary containment with leak detection  Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off  
 Visible sidewalls and liner  Visible sidewalls only  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Liner type: Thickness 45 mil  HDPE  PVC  Other LLDPE

4.  
 **Alternative Method:**  
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

5.  
**Fencing:** Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (*Applies to permanent pits, temporary pits, and below-grade tanks*)  
 Chain link, six feet in height, two strands of barbed wire at top (*Required if located within 1000 feet of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church*)  
 Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet  
 Alternate. Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

5.  
**Fencing:** Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (*Applies to permanent pits, temporary pits, and below-grade tanks*)  
 Chain link, six feet in height, two strands of barbed wire at top (*Required if located within 1000 feet of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church*)  
 Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet  
 Alternate. Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

6.  
**Netting:** Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (*Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks*)  
 Screen  Netting  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Monthly inspections (If netting or screening is not physically feasible)

7.  
**Signs:** Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  
 12"x 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers  
 Signed in compliance with 19.15.16.8 NMAC

8.  
**Variances and Exceptions:**  
 Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for guidance.  
*Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank:*  
 Variance(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district for consideration of approval.  
 Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

9.  
**Siting Criteria (regarding permitting):** 19.15.17.10 NMAC  
*Instructions: The applicant must demonstrate compliance for each siting criteria below in the application. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks.*

<u>General siting</u>	
<b><u>Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of a low chloride temporary pit or below-grade tank.</u></b> - <input type="checkbox"/> NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; <input type="checkbox"/> USGS; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
<b><u>Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of a Temporary pit, permanent pit, or Multi-Well Fluid Management pit.</u></b> NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NA
Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. <b>(Does not apply to below grade tanks)</b> - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. <b>(Does not apply to below grade tanks)</b> - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within an unstable area. <b>(Does not apply to below grade tanks)</b> - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within a 100-year floodplain. <b>(Does not apply to below grade tanks)</b> - FEMA map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b><u>Below Grade Tanks</u></b>	
Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, significant watercourse, lake bed, sinkhole, wetland or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for public or livestock consumption; - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<b><u>Temporary Pit using Low Chloride Drilling Fluid</u></b> (maximum chloride content 15,000 mg/liter)	
Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). (Applies to low chloride temporary pits.) - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<p>Within 300 feet from a occupied permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, or 300feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of the initial application. NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 100 feet of a wetland.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p><b><u>Temporary Pit Non-low chloride drilling fluid</u></b></p>	
<p>Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse, or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, or 1000 feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in the existence at the time of the initial application;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 300 feet of a wetland.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p><b><u>Permanent Pit or Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit</u></b></p>	
<p>Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 500 feet of a wetland.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

10.  
**Temporary Pits, Emergency Pits, and Below-grade Tanks Permit Application Attachment Checklist:** Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC  
*Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- Hydrogeologic Report (Below-grade Tanks) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Hydrogeologic Data (Temporary and Emergency Pits) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (2) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design)    API Number: \_\_\_\_\_ or Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

11.  
**Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit Checklist:** Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC  
*Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- A List of wells with approved application for permit to drill associated with the pit.
- Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Hydrogeologic Data - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC

Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design)    API Number: \_\_\_\_\_ or Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

12. **Permanent Pits Permit Application Checklist:** Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

*Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- Hydrogeologic Report - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (1) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- Climatological Factors Assessment
- Certified Engineering Design Plans - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Dike Protection and Structural Integrity Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Leak Detection Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Liner Specifications and Compatibility Assessment - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Quality Control/Quality Assurance Construction and Installation Plan
- Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- Freeboard and Overtopping Prevention Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- Nuisance or Hazardous Odors, including H<sub>2</sub>S, Prevention Plan
- Emergency Response Plan
- Oil Field Waste Stream Characterization
- Monitoring and Inspection Plan
- Erosion Control Plan
- Closure Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

13. **Proposed Closure:** 19.15.17.13 NMAC

*Instructions: Please complete the applicable boxes, Boxes 14 through 18, in regards to the proposed closure plan.*

- Type:  Drilling  Workover  Emergency  Cavitation  P&A  Permanent Pit  Below-grade Tank  Multi-well Fluid Management Pit  
 Alternative
- Proposed Closure Method:  Waste Excavation and Removal  
 Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)  
 On-site Closure Method (Only for temporary pits and closed-loop systems)  
 In-place Burial  On-site Trench Burial  
 Alternative Closure Method

14. **Waste Excavation and Removal Closure Plan Checklist:** (19.15.17.13 NMAC) *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings)
- Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

15. **Siting Criteria (regarding on-site closure methods only):** 19.15.17.10 NMAC

*Instructions: Each siting criteria requires a demonstration of compliance in the closure plan. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria require justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.*

Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Ground water is between 25-50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Ground water is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 feet of a wetland. US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within an unstable area. - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

16.  
**On-Site Closure Plan Checklist:** (19.15.17.13 NMAC) *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC  
 Proof of Surface Owner Notice - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
 Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection K of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  
 Construction/Design Plan of Temporary Pit (for in-place burial of a drying pad) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC  
 Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
 Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
 Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
 Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings or in case on-site closure standards cannot be achieved)  
 Soil Cover Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
 Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
 Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

17.  
**Operator Application Certification:**  
I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

18.  
**OCD Approval:**  Permit Application (including closure plan)  Closure Plan (only)  OCD Conditions (see attachment)

OCD Representative Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_ Approval Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Apr 24, 2015  
Title: Environmental Specialist \_\_\_\_\_ OCD Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

19.  
**Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion):** 19.15.17.13 NMAC  
*Instructions: Operators are required to obtain an approved closure plan prior to implementing any closure activities and submitting the closure report. The closure report is required to be submitted to the division within 60 days of the completion of the closure activities. Please do not complete this section of the form until an approved closure plan has been obtained and the closure activities have been completed.*

Closure Completion Date: 12/6/12

20.  
**Closure Method:**  
 Waste Excavation and Removal  On-Site Closure Method  Alternative Closure Method  Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)  
 If different from approved plan, please explain.

21.  
**Closure Report Attachment Checklist:** *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure report. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

Proof of Closure Notice (surface owner and division)  
 Proof of Deed Notice (required for on-site closure for private land only)  
 Plot Plan (for on-site closures and temporary pits)  
 Confirmation Sampling Analytical Results (if applicable)  
 Waste Material Sampling Analytical Results (required for on-site closure)  
 Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number  
 Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation  
 Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique  
 Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)

On-site Closure Location: Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_ NAD:  1927  1983

22.

**Operator Closure Certification:**

I hereby certify that the information and attachments submitted with this closure report is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that the closure complies with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.

Name (Print): Kenny Davis Title: Staff Regulatory Technician

Signature:  Date: 12/3/14

e-mail address: kenny.r.davis@conocophillips.com Telephone: 505-599-4045

**Burlington Resources Oil Gas Company, LP**  
**San Juan Basin**  
**Below Grade Tank Closure Report**  
**(Without Reclamation)**

**Lease Name: Cornell 4R**  
**API No.: 30-045-30844**

In accordance with Rule 19.15.17.13 NMAC the following information describes the closure of the below-grade tank referenced above. All proper documentation regarding closure activities is being included with the C-144.

General Plan:

1. BR shall close a below-grade tank within 60 days of cessation of operations per Subsection G.4 of 19.15.17.13 NMAC. This will include a) below-grade tanks that do not meet the requirements of Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC or is not included in Paragraph (5) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC within five years, if not retrofitted to comply with Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC; b) an earlier date that the division requires because of imminent danger to fresh water, public health or the environment. For any closure, BR will file the C144 Closure Report as required.
2. **The below-grade tank referenced above was permitted and closed within 60 days of cessation of the below-grade tanks operation.**
3. BR shall remove liquids and sludge from a below-grade tank prior to implementing a closure method and shall dispose of the liquids and sludge in a division-approved facility. The facilities to be used will be Basin Disposal (Permit #NM-01-005), JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B) and Envirotech Land Farm (Permit #NM-01-011). The liner after being cleaned well (Subsection D, Paragraph 1, Subparagraph (m) of 19.15.9.712 NMAC) will be disposed of at the San Juan County Regional Landfill located on CR 3100.

**All recovered liquids were disposed of at Basin Disposal (Permit #NM-01-005) and any sludge or soil required to be removed to facilitate closure was hauled to Envirotech Land Farm (Permit #NM-01-011) and JFJ Landfarm % IEI (Permit #NM-01-0010B). The liner was cleaned per Subsection D, Paragraph 1, Subparagraph (m) of 19.15.9.712 NMAC was disposed of at the San Juan County Regional Landfill located on CR 3100.**

4. BR Will receive prior approval to remove the below-grade tank and dispose of it in a division-approved facility or recycle, reuse, or reclaim it in a manner that the appropriate division district office approves.

**The below-grade tank was disposed of in a division-approved manner.**

5. If there is any on-site equipment associated with a below-grade tank, then BR shall remove the equipment, unless the equipment is required for some other purpose.

**All on-site equipment associated with the below-grade tank was removed.**

6. BR will test the soils beneath the below-grade tank to determine whether a release has occurred. COPC shall collect, at a minimum, a five point, composite sample; collect individual grab samples from any area that is wet, discolored or showing other evidence of a release; and analyzed for the constituents listed in Table I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC. COPC shall notify the division of its results on form C-141.

7. A five point composite sample was taken of the below-grade tank using sampling tools and all samples tested per Subsection B of 19.15.17.1 3(B)(1)(b). (Sample results attached).

Components	Tests Method	Limit (mg/kg)
Benzene	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	0.2
BTEX	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	50
TPH	EPA SW-846 418.1	100
Chlorides	EPA 300.1	250

8. If BR or the division determines that a release has occurred, then BR shall comply with 19.15.3.116 NMAC and 19.15.1.19 NMAC, as appropriate.

**A release was not determined for the above referenced well.**

9. If the sampling program demonstrates that a release has not occurred or that any release does not exceed the concentrations specified in Table I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, then BR shall backfill the excavation with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material; construct a division-prescribed soil cover; recontour and re-vegetate the site.

**The below-grade tank area passed all requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC and was backfilled with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material.**

10. Notice of Closure will be given prior to closure to the Aztec Division office between 72 hours and one week via email or verbally. The notification of closure will include the following:
- i. Operator's name
  - ii. Location by Unit Letter, Section, Township, and Range. Well name and API number.

**Notification is missing due to employee turnovers. ConocoPhillips has reviewed our internal processes and has updated them to include the required 72 hour notification.**

11. The surface owner shall be notified of BR's closing of the below-grade tank 72 hours, but not more than one week, prior to closure as per the approved closure plan via certified mail, return receipt requested.

**The closure process notification to the landowner not found. COPC was not aware that the original notification sent at the time of Permitting was not the only closure notification required. ConocoPhillips has reviewed our internal processes and has updated them to include the required 72 hour notification.**

12. Re-contouring of location will match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding. Re-shaping will include drainage control, prevent ponding, and prevent erosion. Natural drainages will be unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps will be place in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final re-contour shall have a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.

**The below-grade tank area will be re-contoured to match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding area. Re-shaping, including drainage control, to prevent ponding and erosion. Natural drainages were unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps were placed in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final recontour has a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.**

13. BR Shall seed the disturbed areas the first favorable growing season following closure of a below-grade tank. Seeding will be accomplished via drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other division-approved

methods. BLM stipulated seed mixes will be used on federally regulated lands and division-approved seed mixtures (administratively approved if required) will be utilized on all State or private lands. A uniform vegetative cover has been established that reflects a life-form ratio of plus or minus fifty percent (50%) of pre-disturbance levels and a total percent plant cover of at least seventy percent (70%) of pre-disturbance levels, excluding noxious weeds. If an alternate seed mix is required by the state, private owner or tribe, it will be implemented with administrative approval if needed. COPC will repeat seeding or planting will be continued until successful vegetative growth occurs.

**Provision 13 will be accomplished through complying with BLM seeding requirements as allowed by the BLM/OCD MOU.**

14. A minimum of four feet of cover shall be achieved and the cover shall include one foot of suitable material, with chloride concentrations less than 600 mg/kg as analyzed by EPA Method 300.0, to establish vegetation at the site, or the background thickness of topsoil, whichever is greater.

**The below-grade tank area was backfilled and more than four feet of cover was achieved and the cover included one foot of suitable material to establish vegetation at the site.**

15. All closure activities will include proper documentation and be available for review upon request and will be submitted to OCD within 60 days of closure of the below-grade tank. Closure report will be filed on C-144 and incorporate the following:
  - Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation **(See Report)**
  - Re-vegetation application rates and seeding techniques **(See Report)**
  - Photo documentation of the site reclamation **(Included as an attachment)**
  - Confirmation Sampling Results **(Included as an attachment)**
  - Proof of closure notice **(Included as an attachment)**

**Closure Documentation was not submitted within the 60 day requirement due to employee turnovers. ConocoPhillips has reviewed our internal processes and has updated them to ensure closure documentation is submitted with the 60 day time frame.**



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February 5, 2013

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**RE: Below Grade Tank Closure Report  
Cornell #4R  
San Juan County, New Mexico**

Dear Ms. Tafoya:

Animas Environmental Services, LLC (AES) is pleased to provide the final report associated with the below grade tank (BGT) closure at ConocoPhillips (CoP) Cornell #4R, located in San Juan County, New Mexico. Tank removal had been completed by CoP contractors prior to AES' arrival at the location.

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## 1.0 Site Information

### 1.1 Location

Site Name – Cornell #4R

Legal Description - SE¼ NW¼, Section 14, T29N, R12W, San Juan County, New Mexico

Well Latitude/Longitude - N36.72902 and W108.07137, respectively

BGT Latitude/Longitude - N36.72915 and W108.07159, respectively

Land Jurisdiction - Bureau of Land Management (BLM)

Figure 1. Topographic Site Location Map

Figure 2. Aerial Site Map, December 2012

### 1.2 NMOCD Ranking

Prior to site work, the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) database was reviewed, and no prior ranking information was located. The New Mexico Office of the State Engineer (NMOSE) database was reviewed for nearby water wells, and no registered water wells were reported to be located within 1,000 feet of the location. Additionally, Google Earth and the New Mexico Tech Petroleum Recovery Research Center online mapping tool (<http://ford.nmt.edu/react/project.html>) were accessed to aid in the identification of downgradient surface water.

Once on site, AES personnel further assessed the ranking using topographical interpretation, Global Positioning System (GPS) elevation readings, and visual reconnaissance. AES personnel concluded that depth to groundwater at the site was between 50 and 99 feet below ground surface (bgs) based on depth to water information from the nearest water wells located approximately 1,700 feet northwest of the location. An unnamed wash is located approximately 230 feet southeast of the location, which eventually drains to the San Juan River approximately 3.3 miles to the south. Based on this information, the location was assessed a ranking score of 20.

### 1.3 BGT Closure Assessment

AES was initially contacted by Jess Henson, CoP representative, on December 6, 2012, and on December 7, 2012, Corwin Lameman and Zachary Trujillo of AES met with a CoP representative at the location. AES personnel collected six soil samples from the below the BGT liner. Four samples were collected from the perimeter of the BGT footprint, one sample was collected from the center of the BGT footprint, and one sample was composited from the four perimeter samples and one center sample.

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## 2.0 Soil Sampling

On December 7, 2012, AES personnel conducted field screening and collected five soil samples (S-1 through S-5) and one 5-point composite (SC-1) from below the BGT. Soil samples were collected from approximately 0.5 feet below the former BGT for field screening of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and total petroleum hydrocarbon (TPH). Soil sample SC-1 was field screened for VOCs and chloride and was submitted for confirmation laboratory analysis. Soil sample locations are included on Figure 2

### 2.1 Field Screening

#### 2.1.1 Volatile Organic Compounds

A portion of each sample was utilized for field screening of VOC vapors with a photo-ionization detector (PID) organic vapor meter (OVM). Before beginning field screening, the PID-OVM was first calibrated with 100 parts per million (ppm) isobutylene gas.

#### 2.1.2 Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons

Soil samples were also analyzed in the field for TPH per USEPA Method 418.1 using a Buck Scientific Model HC-404 Total Hydrocarbon Analyzer Infrared Spectrometer (Buck). A 3-point calibration was completed prior to conducting soil analyses. Field analytical protocol followed AES's *Standard Operating Procedure: Field Analysis Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons per EPA Method 418.1*.

**2.1.3 Chlorides**

Soil sample SC-1 was field screened for chlorides using Chloride Drop Count Titration with silver nitrate. Sampling and analysis methods followed procedures provided by Hach Company.

**2.2 Laboratory Analyses**

The composite soil sample SC-1 collected for laboratory analysis was placed into a new, clean, laboratory-supplied container, which was then labeled, placed on ice, and logged onto a sample chain of custody record. The sample was maintained on ice until delivery to the analytical laboratory, Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory (Hall), in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Soil sample SC-1 was laboratory analyzed for:

- Benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylene (BTEX) per U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Method 8021B; and
- Chloride per USEPA Method 300.0.

**2.3 Field and Laboratory Analytical Results**

Field screening readings for VOCs via OVM ranged from 1.8 ppm in S-5 up to 5.8 ppm in S-4. Field TPH concentrations were less than 20 mg/kg in S-1 through S-5. The field chloride concentration in SC-1 was 40 mg/kg. Field screening results are summarized in Table 1 and presented on Figure 2. The AES Field Screening Report is attached.

Table 1. Soil Field Screening VOCs, TPH, and Chloride Results  
 Cornell #4R BGT Closure, December 2012

<i>Sample ID</i>	<i>Date Sampled</i>	<i>Depth below BGT (ft)</i>	<i>VOCs OVM Reading (ppm)</i>	<i>Field TPH (mg/kg)</i>	<i>Field Chlorides (mg/kg)</i>
<i>NMOCD Action Level (NMAC 19.15.17.13E)</i>			--	100	250
S-1	12/7/12	0.5	4.9	<20.0	NA
S-2	12/7/12	0.5	3.0	<20.0	NA
S-3	12/7/12	0.5	4.5	<20.0	NA
S-4	12/7/12	0.5	5.8	<20.0	NA
S-5	12/7/12	0.5	1.8	<20.0	NA
SC-1	12/7/12	0.5	2.0	NA	40

NA - not analyzed

Laboratory analytical results reported benzene and total BTEX concentrations in SC-1 as less than 0.050 mg/kg and 0.25 mg/kg, respectively. The laboratory chloride concentration was 200 mg/kg. Laboratory analytical results are summarized in Table 2 and included on Figure 2. Laboratory analytical reports are attached.

Table 2. Soil Laboratory Analytical Results  
Cornell #4R BGT Closure, December 2012

Sample ID	Date Sampled	Depth (ft)	Benzene (mg/kg)	BTEX (mg/kg)	TPH-GRO (mg/kg)	TPH-DRO (mg/kg)	Chlorides (mg/kg)
<b>NMOCD Action Level (NMAC 19.15.17.13E)</b>			<b>0.2</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100</b>		<b>250</b>
SC-1	12/7/12	0.5	<0.050	<0.25	NA	NA	200

NA - not analyzed

### 3.0 Conclusions and Recommendations

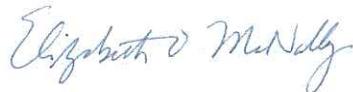
NMOCD action levels for BGT closures are specified in New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) 19.15.17.13E. Field TPH concentrations were below the NMOCD action level of 100 mg/kg in all of the samples (S-1 through S-5). Laboratory analytical results for benzene and total BTEX in SC-1 were below the NMOCD action level of 0.2 mg/kg and 50 mg/kg, respectively. Chloride concentrations in SC-1 were also below the NMOCD action level of 250 mg/kg. Based on field screening and laboratory analytical results for benzene, total BTEX, TPH, and chlorides, no further work is recommended at the Cornell #4R.

If you have any questions about this report or site conditions, please do not hesitate to contact Deborah Watson at (505) 564-2281.

Sincerely,



Heather M. Woods  
Staff Geologist



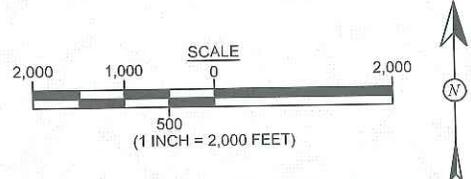
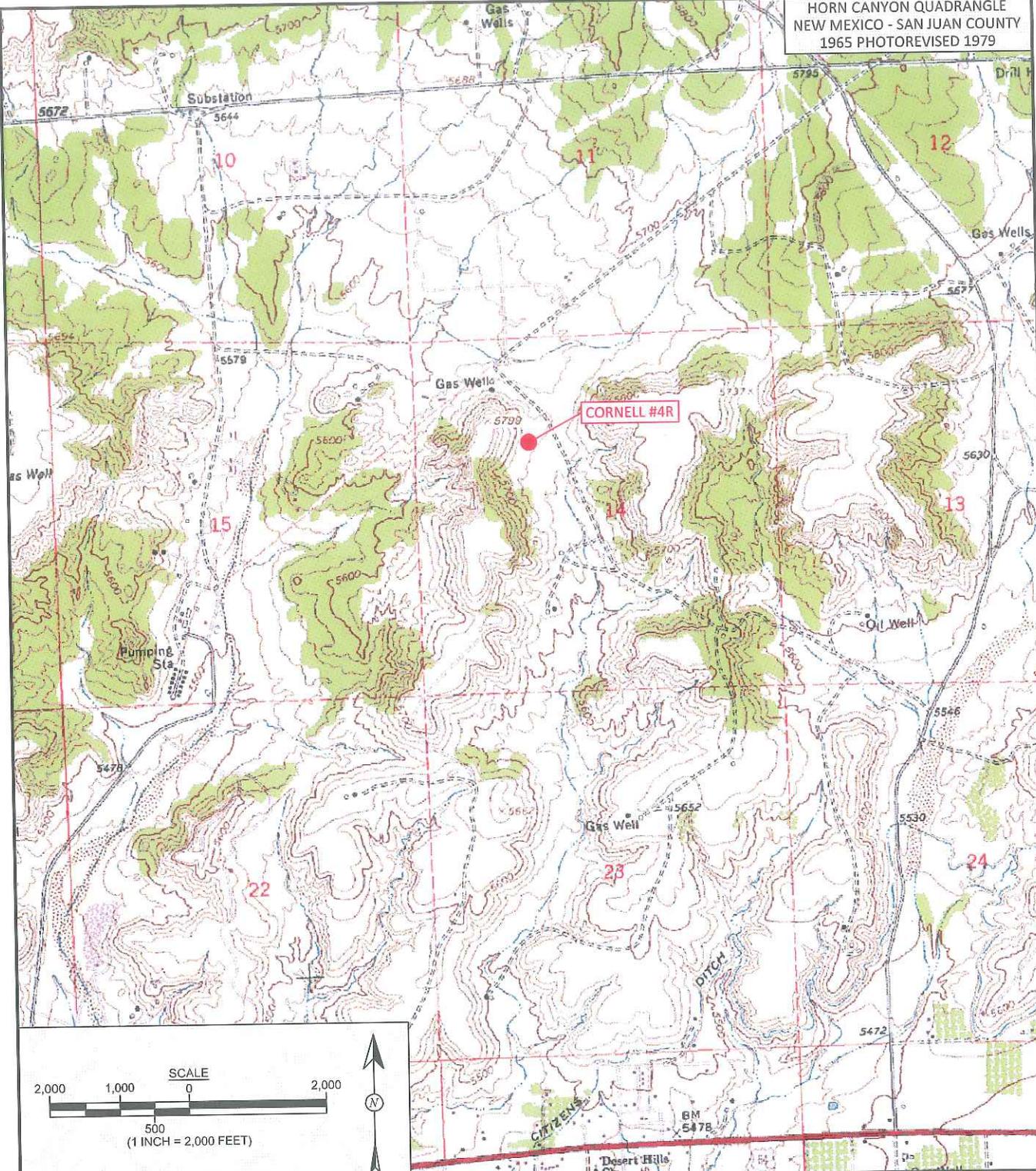
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Attachments:

- Figure 1. Topographic Site Location Map
- Figure 2. Aerial Site Map, December 2012
- AES Field Screening Report 120712
- Hall Analytical Report 1212377

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<b>CHECKED BY:</b> D. Watson	<b>DATE CHECKED:</b> December 7, 2012
<b>APPROVED BY:</b> E. McNally	<b>DATE APPROVED:</b> December 7, 2012

**FIGURE 1**  
**TOPOGRAPHIC SITE LOCATION MAP**  
 ConocoPhillips  
 CORNELL #4R  
 SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
 SE¼ NW¼, SECTION 14, T29N, R12W  
 N36.72902, W108.07137

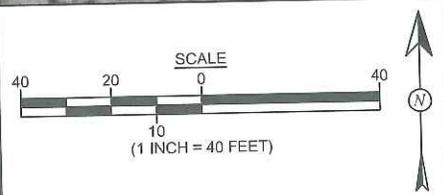
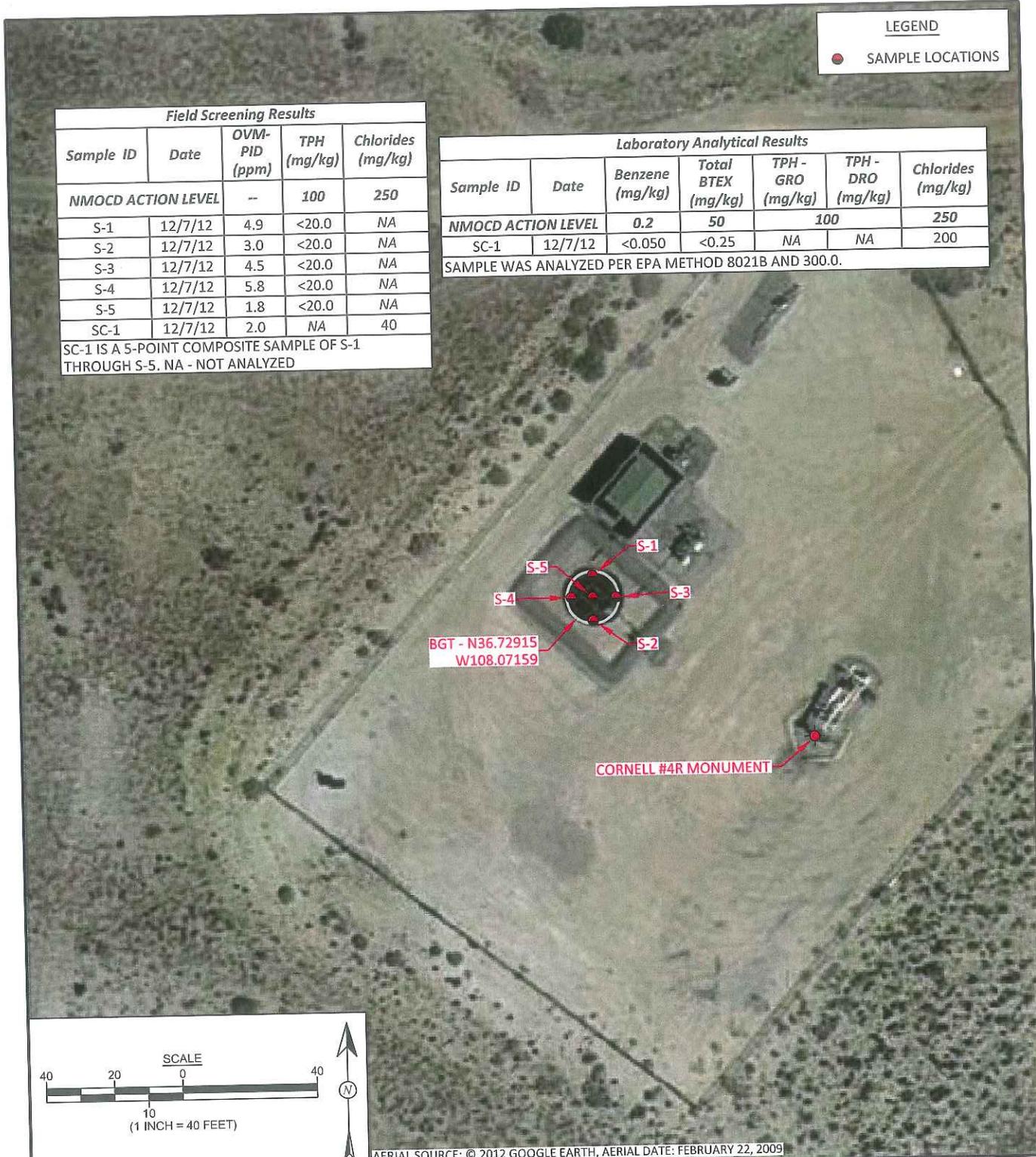
**LEGEND**  
 SAMPLE LOCATIONS

Field Screening Results				
Sample ID	Date	OVM-PID (ppm)	TPH (mg/kg)	Chlorides (mg/kg)
<b>NMOC ACTION LEVEL</b>		--	100	250
S-1	12/7/12	4.9	<20.0	NA
S-2	12/7/12	3.0	<20.0	NA
S-3	12/7/12	4.5	<20.0	NA
S-4	12/7/12	5.8	<20.0	NA
S-5	12/7/12	1.8	<20.0	NA
SC-1	12/7/12	2.0	NA	40

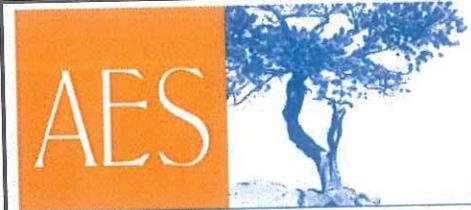
Laboratory Analytical Results						
Sample ID	Date	Benzene (mg/kg)	Total BTEX (mg/kg)	TPH - GRO (mg/kg)	TPH - DRO (mg/kg)	Chlorides (mg/kg)
<b>NMOC ACTION LEVEL</b>		0.2	50	100		250
SC-1	12/7/12	<0.050	<0.25	NA	NA	200

SC-1 IS A 5-POINT COMPOSITE SAMPLE OF S-1 THROUGH S-5. NA - NOT ANALYZED

SAMPLE WAS ANALYZED PER EPA METHOD 8021B AND 300.0.



AERIAL SOURCE: © 2012 GOOGLE EARTH, AERIAL DATE: FEBRUARY 22, 2009



Animas Environmental Services, LLC

<b>DRAWN BY:</b> C. Lameman	<b>DATE DRAWN:</b> January 31, 2013
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**FIGURE 2**  
**AERIAL SITE MAP**  
**BELOW GRADE TANK CLOSURE**  
**DECEMBER 2012**  
 ConocoPhillips  
 CORNELL #4R  
 SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
 SE¼ NW¼, SECTION 14, T29N, R12W  
 N36.72902, W108.07137

# AES Field Screening Report



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Client: ConocoPhillips

Project Location: Cornell #4R

Date: 12/7/2012

Matrix: Soil

Sample ID	Collection Date	Time of Sample Collection	Sample Location	OVM (ppm)	Field Chloride (mg/kg)	Field TPH Analysis Time	Field TPH* (mg/kg)	TPH PQL (mg/kg)	DF	TPH Analysts Initials
S-1	12/7/2012	8:44	North	4.9	NA	9:21	<20.0	20.0	1	CL
S-2	12/7/2012	8:45	South	3.0	NA	9:24	<20.0	20.0	1	CL
S-3	12/7/2012	8:46	East	4.5	NA	9:27	<20.0	20.0	1	CL
S-4	12/7/2012	8:47	West	5.8	NA	9:30	<20.0	20.0	1	CL
S-5	12/7/2012	8:48	Center	1.8	NA	9:33	<20.0	20.0	1	CL
SC-1	12/7/2012	8:50	Composite	2.0	40	Not Analyzed for TPH.				

Field Chloride - Quantab Chloride Titrators or Drop Count Titration with Silver Nitrate  
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons - USEPA 418.1

PQL Practical Quantitation Limit

ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

NA Not Analyzed

DF Dilution Factor

\*Field TPH concentrations recorded may be below PQL.

Analyst: *Coin*



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December 13, 2012

Debbie Watson  
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FAX

RE: COP Cornell #4R

OrderNo.: 1212377

Dear Debbie Watson:

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory received 1 sample(s) on 12/8/2012 for the analyses presented in the following report.

These were analyzed according to EPA procedures or equivalent. To access our accredited tests please go to [www.hallenvironmental.com](http://www.hallenvironmental.com) or the state specific web sites. See the sample checklist and/or the Chain of Custody for information regarding the sample receipt temperature and preservation. Data qualifiers or a narrative will be provided if the sample analysis or analytical quality control parameters require a flag. All samples are reported as received unless otherwise indicated. Lab measurement of analytes considered field parameters that require analysis within 15 minutes of sampling such as pH and residual chlorine are qualified as being analyzed outside of the recommended holding time.

Please don't hesitate to contact HEAL for any additional information or clarifications.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andy Freeman", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Andy Freeman  
Laboratory Manager  
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**Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.**

CLIENT: Animas Environmental Services

Client Sample ID: SC-1

Project: COP Cornell #4R

Collection Date: 12/7/2012 8:50:00 AM

Lab ID: 1212377-001

Matrix: SOIL

Received Date: 12/8/2012 11:00:00 AM

Analyses	Result	RL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
						Analyst: NSB
<b>EPA METHOD 8021B: VOLATILES</b>						
Benzene	ND	0.050		mg/Kg	1	12/10/2012 1:12:51 PM
Toluene	ND	0.050		mg/Kg	1	12/10/2012 1:12:51 PM
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050		mg/Kg	1	12/10/2012 1:12:51 PM
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.10		mg/Kg	1	12/10/2012 1:12:51 PM
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	93.8	80-120		%REC	1	12/10/2012 1:12:51 PM
						Analyst: JRR
<b>EPA METHOD 300.0: ANIONS</b>						
Chloride	200	30		mg/Kg	20	12/10/2012 11:12:41 AM

**Qualifiers:**

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- P Sample pH greater than 2
- RL Reporting Detection Limit

- B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
- R RPD outside accepted recovery limits
- S Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits

# QC SUMMARY REPORT

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1212377

13-Dec-12

**Client:** Animas Environmental Services  
**Project:** COP Cornell #4R

Sample ID	<b>MB-5184</b>	SampType:	<b>MBLK</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 300.0: Anions</b>					
Client ID:	<b>PBS</b>	Batch ID:	<b>5184</b>	RunNo:	<b>7413</b>					
Prep Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214833</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	ND	1.5								

Sample ID	<b>LCS-5184</b>	SampType:	<b>LCS</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 300.0: Anions</b>					
Client ID:	<b>LCSS</b>	Batch ID:	<b>5184</b>	RunNo:	<b>7413</b>					
Prep Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214834</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	15	1.5	15.00	0	98.0	90	110			

Sample ID	<b>1212377-001BMS</b>	SampType:	<b>MS</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 300.0: Anions</b>					
Client ID:	<b>SC-1</b>	Batch ID:	<b>5184</b>	RunNo:	<b>7413</b>					
Prep Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214836</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	230	30	15.00	203.5	163	64.4	117			S

Sample ID	<b>1212377-001BMSD</b>	SampType:	<b>MSD</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 300.0: Anions</b>					
Client ID:	<b>SC-1</b>	Batch ID:	<b>5184</b>	RunNo:	<b>7413</b>					
Prep Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214837</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	230	30	15.00	203.5	163	64.4	117	0.0105	20	S

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- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
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- R RPD outside accepted recovery limits

# QC SUMMARY REPORT

## Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1212377

13-Dec-12

**Client:** Animas Environmental Services  
**Project:** COP Cornell #4R

Sample ID	<b>5ML RB</b>	SampType:	<b>MBLK</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles</b>					
Client ID:	<b>PBS</b>	Batch ID:	<b>R7406</b>	RunNo:	<b>7406</b>					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214884</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	ND	0.050								
Toluene	ND	0.050								
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050								
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.10								
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.92		1.000		92.5	80	120			

Sample ID	<b>100NG BTEX LCS</b>	SampType:	<b>LCS</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles</b>					
Client ID:	<b>LCSS</b>	Batch ID:	<b>R7406</b>	RunNo:	<b>7406</b>					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214885</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	101	76.3	117			
Toluene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	102	80	120			
Ethylbenzene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	103	77	116			
Xylenes, Total	3.1	0.10	3.000	0	103	76.7	117			
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.96		1.000		95.7	80	120			

Sample ID	<b>1212377-001AMS</b>	SampType:	<b>MS</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles</b>					
Client ID:	<b>SC-1</b>	Batch ID:	<b>R7406</b>	RunNo:	<b>7406</b>					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214886</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	0.82	0.050	0.8038	0	102	67.2	113			
Toluene	0.83	0.050	0.8038	0	103	62.1	116			
Ethylbenzene	0.83	0.050	0.8038	0	104	67.9	127			
Xylenes, Total	2.5	0.10	2.411	0	103	60.6	134			
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.81		0.8038		101	80	120			

Sample ID	<b>1212377-001AMSD</b>	SampType:	<b>MSD</b>	TestCode:	<b>EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles</b>					
Client ID:	<b>SC-1</b>	Batch ID:	<b>R7406</b>	RunNo:	<b>7406</b>					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	<b>12/10/2012</b>	SeqNo:	<b>214887</b>	Units:	<b>mg/Kg</b>			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	0.80	0.050	0.8038	0	99.3	67.2	113	2.29	14.3	
Toluene	0.81	0.050	0.8038	0	100	62.1	116	2.41	15.9	
Ethylbenzene	0.82	0.050	0.8038	0	102	67.9	127	1.66	14.4	
Xylenes, Total	2.4	0.10	2.411	0	102	60.6	134	1.50	12.6	
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.80		0.8038		100	80	120	0	0	

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# Sample Log-In Check List

Client Name: **Animas Environmental** Work Order Number: **1212377**  
 Received by/date: AT 12/08/12  
 Logged By: **Anne Thorne** 12/8/2012 11:00:00 AM *Anne Thorne*  
 Completed By: **Anne Thorne** 12/8/2012 *Anne Thorne*  
 Reviewed By: AT 12/08/12

**Chain of Custody**

- 1. Were seals intact? Yes  No  Not Present
- 2. Is Chain of Custody complete? Yes  No  Not Present
- 3. How was the sample delivered? Courier

**Log In**

- 4. Coolers are present? (see 19. for cooler specific information) Yes  No  NA
- 5. Was an attempt made to cool the samples? Yes  No  NA
- 6. Were all samples received at a temperature of >0° C to 6.0°C Yes  No  NA
- 7. Sample(s) in proper container(s)? Yes  No
- 8. Sufficient sample volume for indicated test(s)? Yes  No
- 9. Are samples (except VOA and ONG) properly preserved? Yes  No
- 10. Was preservative added to bottles? Yes  No  NA
- 11. VOA vials have zero headspace? Yes  No  No VOA Vials
- 12. Were any sample containers received broken? Yes  No
- 13. Does paperwork match bottle labels? (Note discrepancies on chain of custody) Yes  No
- 14. Are matrices correctly identified on Chain of Custody? Yes  No
- 15. Is it clear what analyses were requested? Yes  No
- 16. Were all holding times able to be met? (If no, notify customer for authorization.) Yes  No

# of preserved bottles checked for pH: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (<2 or >12 unless noted)  
 Adjusted? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_

**Special Handling (if applicable)**

- 17. Was client notified of all discrepancies with this order? Yes  No  NA

Person Notified:		Date:	
By Whom:		Via:	<input type="checkbox"/> eMail <input type="checkbox"/> Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Fax <input type="checkbox"/> In Person
Regarding:			
Client Instructions:			

18. Additional remarks:

**19. Cooler Information**

Cooler No	Temp °C	Condition	Seal Intact	Seal No	Seal Date	Signed By
1	1.3	Good	Yes			

# Chain-of-Custody Record

Client: Animas Environmental Services  
 Mailing Address: At E. Comanche  
Farmington NM 87401  
 Phone #: 505-564-2281  
 email or Fax#: \_\_\_\_\_  
 QA/QC Package:  Standard  Level 4 (Full Validation)  
 Accreditation  NELAP  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 EDD (Type) \_\_\_\_\_

Turn-Around Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Standard  Rush Same Day  
 Project Name: CoP Cornell #4R  
 Project #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Project Manager: D. Watson

Sampler: Carmen 2. Trujillo  
 ONI: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sample Temperature: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Container Type and #: 4oz glass jar  
 Preservative Type: meth kit

HEAL No. 12231  
 Date Time 12-17-12 0850  
 Matrix Soil  
 Sample Request ID SC-1

Received by: Christy Spante Date Time 12/17/12 1631  
 Received by: John D. [Signature] Date Time 12/18/12

Relinquished by: [Signature] Date Time 12/17/12 1705  
 Relinquished by: Christy Spante Date Time 12/17/12 1705



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Analysis Request	
BTEX + MTBE + TPH (Gas only)	
BTEX + MTBE + TPH (Gas/Diesel)	
TPH Method 8015B (Gas/Diesel)	
TPH (Method 418.1)	
EDB (Method 504.1)	
8310 (PNA or PAH)	
RCRA 8 Metals	
Anions (F, Cl, NO <sub>3</sub> , NO <sub>2</sub> , PO <sub>4</sub> , SO <sub>4</sub> )	
8081 Pesticides / 8082 PCB's	
8260B (VOA)	
8270 (Semi-VOA)	
Chlorides (300.0)	X
Air Bubbles (Y or N)	

Remarks: BILL TO CONOCO PHILLIPS  
NO: 10334097  
AREA CODE: C200  
AREA: 3  
 SUPERVISOR: HARRY DEE  
 USER ID: K.GARCIA  
 ORDERED BY: JESS HENSON

If necessary, samples submitted to Hall Environmental may be subcontracted to other accredited laboratories. This serves as notice of this possibility. Any sub-contracted data will be clearly notated on the analytical report.

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District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
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Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**OPERATOR**

Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company <b>Burlington Resources</b>	Contact <b>Kenny Davis</b>
Address 3401 East 30 <sup>th</sup> St, Farmington, NM	Telephone No. (505) 599-4045
Facility Name: <b>Cornell 4R</b>	Facility Type: <b>Gas Well</b>
Surface Owner <b>Federal</b>	Mineral Owner <b>Federal</b>
Lease No. <b>SF-065557A</b>	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

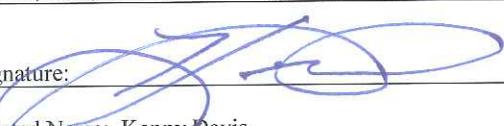
Unit Letter <b>F</b>	Section <b>14</b>	Township <b>29N</b>	Range <b>12W</b>	Feet from the <b>1695</b>	North/South Line <b>North</b>	Feet from the <b>1820</b>	East/West Line <b>West</b>	County <b>San Juan</b>
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Latitude 36.72862000 Longitude -108.07073000

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release <b>BGT Closure Summary</b>	Volume of Release <b>N/A</b>	Volume Recovered <b>N/A</b>
Source of Release: <b>NONE</b>	Date and Hour of Occurrence <b>N/A</b>	Date and Hour of Discovery <b>N/A</b>
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? <b>N/A</b>	
By Whom? <b>N/A</b>	Date and Hour <b>N/A</b>	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <b>N/A</b>	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. <b>N/A</b>	
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* <b>N/A</b>		
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* <b>N/A</b>		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* <b>BGT Closure: NO RELEASE FOUND UPON REMOVAL</b>		

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: 	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: <b>Kenny Davis</b>	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: <b>Staff Regulatory Technician</b>	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: <b>Kenny.r.davis@conocophillips.com</b>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: <b>12/8/14</b> Phone: <b>(505) 599-4045</b>		

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

*Handwritten mark*



