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Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
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Oil Conservation Division
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Form C-144
July 21, 2008

For temporary pits, closed-loop systems, and below-grade tanks, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For permanent pits and exceptions submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

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

Type of action: ☐ Permit of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
☒ Closure of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
☐ Modification to an existing permit
☐ Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, closed-loop system, 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: BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY OGRID #: 778
Address: 200 Energy Court, Farmington, NM 87401
Facility or well name: GALLEGOS CANYON UNIT 008E
API Number: 3004526191 OCD Permit Number: _____
U/L or Qtr/Qtr J Section 22.0 Township 28.0N Range 12W County: San Juan County
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 36.64514 Longitude -108.09558 NAD: ☐1927 ☒1983
Surface Owner: ☒ Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☐ Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

2.
☐ **Pit:** Subsection F or G of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Temporary: ☐ Drilling ☐ Workover
☐ Permanent ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A
☐ 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_____

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OIL CONS. DIV.
DIST. 3

3.
☐ **Closed-loop System:** Subsection H of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Type of Operation: ☐ P&A ☐ Drilling a new well ☐ Workover or Drilling (Applies to activities which require prior approval of a permit or notice of intent)
☐ Drying Pad ☐ Above Ground Steel Tanks ☐ Haul-off Bins ☐ Other _____
☐ Lined ☐ Unlined Liner type: Thickness _____mil ☐ LLDPE ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other _____
Liner Seams: ☐ Welded ☐ Factory ☐ Other _____

4.
☒ **Below-grade tank:** Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC **Tank ID:** A
Volume: 95.0 bbl Type of fluid: Produced Water
Tank Construction material: Steel
☐ Secondary containment with leak detection ☐ Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off
☐ Visible sidewalls and liner ☐ Visible sidewalls only ☒ Other SINGLE WALLED SINGLE BOTTOMED SIDE WALLS NOT VISIBLE
Liner type: Thickness _____mil ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other _____

5.
☐ **Alternative Method:**
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

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6.

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 4' Hogwire with single barbed wire

7.

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)

8.

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

9.

Administrative Approvals 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:

☒ Administrative approval(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district or the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

☐ Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

10.

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. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval. Applicant must attach justification for request. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance. **Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks associated with a closed-loop system.**

Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the temporary pit, permanent pit, or below-grade tank. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	☒ Yes ☐ No
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). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☒ No
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. *(Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks)* - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ NA
Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. *(Applies to permanent pits)* - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ NA
Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of initial application. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☒ No
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. - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	☐ Yes ☒ No
Within 500 feet of a wetland. - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☒ No
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	☐ Yes ☒ No
Within an unstable area. - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	☐ Yes ☒ No
Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map	☐ Yes ☒ No

11.
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.

- [x] 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
- [x] Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- [x] Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- [x] Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- [x] 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: _____

12.
Closed-loop Systems 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.

- ☐ Geologic and Hydrogeologic Data (only for on-site closure) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (3) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9
- ☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations (only for on-site closure) - 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: _____

☐ Previously Approved Operating and Maintenance Plan API Number: _____ *(Applies only to closed-loop system that use above ground steel tanks or haul-off bins and propose to implement waste removal for closure)*

13.
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_2S, 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

14.
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 [x] Below-grade Tank ☐ Closed-loop System ☐ Alternative

Proposed Closure Method: [x] 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 (Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau for consideration)

15.
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.***

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

16.
Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: (19.15.17.13.D NMAC)
Instructions: Please indentify the facility or facilities for the disposal of liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings. Use attachment if more than two facilities are required.

Disposal Facility Name: _____ Disposal Facility Permit Number: _____

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Will any of the proposed closed-loop system operations and associated activities occur on or in areas that *will not* be used for future service and operations?
☐ Yes (If yes, please provide the information below) ☐ No

Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:
☐ 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 I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

17.
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 may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval. Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.

Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA
Ground water is between 50 and 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ 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	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA
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). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☐ 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	☐ Yes ☐ No
Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of initial application. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☐ No
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. - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	☐ Yes ☐ No
Within 500 feet of a wetland. - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☐ No
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	☐ Yes ☐ No
Within an unstable area. - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	☐ Yes ☐ No
Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map	☐ Yes ☐ No

18.
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 F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements 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 Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F 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 I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

19.
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): Jeffrey Peace Title: Field Environmental Advisor

Signature: Jeffrey H. Peace Date: 06\14\2010

e-mail address: Peace.Jeffrey@bp.com Telephone: 505-326-9479

20.
OCD Approval: ☐ Permit Application (including closure plan) ☒ Closure Plan (only) ☐ OCD Conditions (see attachment)

OCD Representative Signature: Jonathan D. Kelly 12/11/2013 Approval Date: 6/12/13

Title: Senior Hydrologist Compliance Officer OCD Permit Number:

21.
Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion): Subsection K of 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:** 8-13-2013

22.
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.

23.
Closure Report Regarding Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only:

Instructions: Please indentify the facility or facilities for where the liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings were disposed. Use attachment if more than two facilities were utilized.

Disposal Facility Name: Disposal Facility Permit Number:

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Were the closed-loop system operations and associated activities performed on or in areas that *will not* be used for future service and operations?

☐ Yes (If yes, please demonstrate compliance to the items below) ☐ No

Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:

☐ Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)
☐ Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
☐ Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique

24.
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)
☐ 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 36.64514 Longitude -108.09558 NAD: ☐1927 ☒1983

25.
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): Jeff Peace Title: Field Environmental Advisor

Signature: Jeff Peace Date: December 5, 2013

e-mail address: peacejeffrey@bp.com Telephone: (505)326-9479

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Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: BP	Contact: Jeff Peace
Address: 200 Energy Court, Farmington, NM 87401	Telephone No.: 505-326-9479
Facility Name: Gallegos Canyon Unit 8E	Facility Type: Natural gas well

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 3004526191

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County: San Juan
J	22	28N	12W	1,700	South	1,770	East	

Latitude 36.64514 **Longitude** 108.09558

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: hydrocarbon impacts were found beneath BGT	Volume of Release: unknown	Volume Recovered: none
Source of Release: 95 bbl below grade tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence: unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery: August 13, 2013 – 5:00 PM
Was Immediate Notice Given? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
Was a Watercourse Reached? ☐ Yes ☒ No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* Sampling of the soil beneath the BGT was done during removal to ensure no soil impacts from the BGT. Soil analysis levels resulted in TPH above standards. Analysis results are attached.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* BGT was removed and the area underneath the BGT was sampled. Borehole drilling will be done to determine the extent of the impacts, then the impacted soil will be removed. The excavated area will be backfilled and compacted.

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: Jeff Peace

Printed Name: Jeff Peace

Title: Field Environmental Advisor

E-mail Address: peace.jeffrey@bp.com

Date: December 5, 2013 Phone: 505-326-9479

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Approved by Environmental Specialist:

Approval Date: Expiration Date:

Conditions of Approval: Attached ☐

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

CLIENT: BP

BLAGG ENGINEERING, INC.
P.O. BOX 87, BLOOMFIELD, NM 87413
(505) 632-1199

API #: 3004526191
TANK ID (if applicble): A

FIELD REPORT:

(circle one): [BGT CONFIRMATION] / RELEASE INVESTIGATION / OTHER:

PAGE #: 1 of 1

SITE INFORMATION:

SITE NAME: GCU # 8E

QUAD/UNIT: J SEC: 22 TWP: 28N RNG: 12W PM: NM CNTY: SJ ST: NM

1/4 -1/4/FOOTAGE: 1,700'S / 1,770'E NW/SE LEASE TYPE: [FEDERAL] / STATE / FEE / INDIAN

LEASE #: SF 078905 PROD. FORMATION: DK CONTRACTOR: ELKHORN MBF - B. SCHURMAN

DATE STARTED: 08/13/13

DATE FINISHED:

ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIALIST(S): NJV

REFERENCE POINT:

WELL HEAD (W.H.) GPS COORD.: 36.64510 X 108.09615 GL ELEV.: 5,667'

1)	95 BGT (SW/SB)	GPS COORD.:	36.64514 X 108.09558	DISTANCE/BEARING FROM W.H.:	167', N86E
2)		GPS COORD.:		DISTANCE/BEARING FROM W.H.:	
3)		GPS COORD.:		DISTANCE/BEARING FROM W.H.:	
4)		GPS COORD.:		DISTANCE/BEARING FROM W.H.:	

SAMPLING DATA:

CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD(S) # OR LAB USED: HALL

								OVM READING (ppm)
1)	SAMPLE ID: (1) @ 6' (95)	SAMPLE DATE:	08/13/13	SAMPLE TIME:	1209	LAB ANALYSIS:	NA	356
2)	SAMPLE ID: (1) @ 12' (95)	SAMPLE DATE:	08/13/13	SAMPLE TIME:	1217	LAB ANALYSIS:	8015B/8021B	416
3)	SAMPLE ID:	SAMPLE DATE:		SAMPLE TIME:		LAB ANALYSIS:		
4)	SAMPLE ID:	SAMPLE DATE:		SAMPLE TIME:		LAB ANALYSIS:		

SOIL DESCRIPTION:

SOIL TYPE: [SAND / SILTY SAND] / SILT / SILTY CLAY / CLAY / GRAVEL / OTHER

SOIL COLOR: DARK YELLOW ORANGE TO BROWNISH GRAY

COHESION (ALL OTHERS): [NON COHESIVE] SLIGHTLY COHESIVE / COHESIVE / HIGHLY COHESIVE

PLASTICITY (CLAYS): NON PLASTIC / SLIGHTLY PLASTIC / COHESIVE / MEDIUM PLASTIC / HIGHLY PLASTIC

CONSISTENCY (NON COHESIVE SOILS): [LOOSE / FIRM] / DENSE / VERY DENSE

DENSITY (COHESIVE CLAYS & SILTS): SOFT / FIRM / STIFF / VERY STIFF / HARD

MOISTURE: DRY / [SLIGHTLY MOIST] / MOIST / WET / SATURATED / SUPER SATURATED

HC ODOR DETECTED: [YES] / NO EXPLANATION - BROWNISH GRAY SOIL ONLY.

SAMPLE TYPE: [GRAB] / COMPOSITE - # OF PTS. NA

DISCOLORATION/STAINING OBSERVED: [YES] / NO EXPLANATION - BLACK STAINED SOIL @ TH-1 POSITION DIRECTLY BENEATH BGT.

ANY AREAS DISPLAYING WETNESS: YES / [NO] EXPLANATION -

APPARENT EVIDENCE OF A RELEASE OBSERVED AND/OR OCCURRED : [YES] / NO EXPLANATION : BASED ON DISCOLORATION NOTED ABOVE.

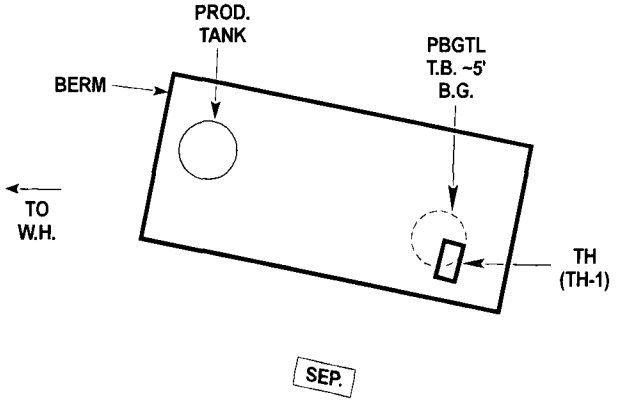
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: WILL BE REQUIRED TO ESTABLISH VERTICAL & LATERAL EXTENT. INITIAL ASSESSMENT OF IMPACTS: ~ 15' X 15' X >10'.

SOIL IMPACT DIMENSION ESTIMATION: _____ ft. X _____ ft. X _____ ft. EXCAVATION ESTIMATION (Cubic Yards) : _____

DEPTH TO GROUNDWATER: <50' NEAREST WATER SOURCE: >1,000' NEAREST SURFACE WATER: <200' NMOCD TPH CLOSURE STD: 100 ppm

SITE SKETCH

PLOT PLAN circle: attached



X - S.P.D.

OVM CALIB. READ. = 52.2 ppm RF = 0.52

OVM CALIB. GAS = 100 ppm

TIME: 12:38 am/pm DATE: 08/13/13

MISCELL. NOTES

WO: N15279705

PO #:

PK: ZEVH01BGT2

PJ #: Z2-006Q0

Permit date(s): 06/14/10

OCD Appr. date(s): 06/18/13

Tank ID	OVM = Organic Vapor Meter ppm = parts per million
A	BGT Sidewalls Visible: Y / (N)
	BGT Sidewalls Visible: Y / N
	BGT Sidewalls Visible: Y / N

Magnetic declination: 10° E

NOTES: BGT = BELOW-GRADE TANK; E.D. = EXCAVATION DEPRESSION; B.G. = BELOW GRADE; B = BELOW; T.H. = TEST HOLE; ~ = APPROX.; W.H. = WELL HEAD; T.B. = TANK BOTTOM; PBGTL = PREVIOUS BELOW-GRADE TANK LOCATION; SPD = SAMPLE POINT DESIGNATION; R.W. = RETAINING WALL; NA - NOT APPLICABLE OR NOT AVAILABLE; SW - SINGLE WALL; DW - DOUBLE WALL; SB - SINGLE BOTTOM; DB - DOUBLE BOTTOM.

TRAVEL NOTES: CALLOUT: _____ ONSITE: 08/13/13

Analytical Report
Lab Order **1308732**
Date Reported: **8/22/2013**

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

CLIENT: Blagg Engineering
Project: GCU #8E
Lab ID: 1308732-001 **Matrix:** SOIL

Client Sample ID: 1 @ 12' (95)
Collection Date: 8/13/2013 12:17:00 PM
Received Date: 8/16/2013 10:07:00 AM

Analyses	Result	RL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed	Batch
EPA METHOD 8015D: DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS						Analyst: **JME**	
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	3500	99		mg/Kg	10	8/21/2013 1:49:58 PM	8918
Surr: DNOP	0	63-147	S	%REC	10	8/21/2013 1:49:58 PM	8918
EPA METHOD 8015D: GASOLINE RANGE						Analyst: **NSB**	
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	2500	48		mg/Kg	10	8/20/2013 7:45:11 PM	8924
Surr: BFB	1400	80-120	S	%REC	10	8/20/2013 7:45:11 PM	8924
EPA METHOD 8021B: VOLATILES						Analyst: **NSB**	
Benzene	ND	0.48		mg/Kg	10	8/20/2013 7:45:11 PM	8924
Toluene	1.8	0.48		mg/Kg	10	8/20/2013 7:45:11 PM	8924
Ethylbenzene	12	0.48		mg/Kg	10	8/20/2013 7:45:11 PM	8924
Xylenes, Total	190	9.5		mg/Kg	100	8/20/2013 12:06:20 PM	8924
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	198	80-120	S	%REC	10	8/20/2013 7:45:11 PM	8924

Refer to the QC Summary report and sample login checklist for flagged QC data and preservation information.

Qualifiers:

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E	Value above quantitation range	H	Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
J	Analyte detected below quantitation limits	ND	Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
O	RSD is greater than RSDlimit	P	Sample pH greater than 2 for VOA and TOC only.
R	RPD outside accepted recovery limits	RL	Reporting Detection Limit
S	Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits		

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: **1308732**

22-Aug-13

Client: Blagg Engineering

Project: GCU #8E

Sample ID **MB-8918**	SampType: **MBLK**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics**
Client ID: **PBS**	Batch ID: **8918**	RunNo: **12710**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/19/2013**	SeqNo: **361940** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	ND	10								
Surr: DNOP	11		10.00		106	63	147			

Sample ID **LCS-8918**	SampType: **LCS**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics**
Client ID: **LCSS**	Batch ID: **8918**	RunNo: **12710**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/19/2013**	SeqNo: **362140** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	39	10	50.00	0	77.1	77.1	128			
Surr: DNOP	4.9		5.000		98.3	63	147			

Sample ID **1308731-001AMS**	SampType: **MS**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics**
Client ID: **BatchQC**	Batch ID: **8918**	RunNo: **12741**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **362974** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	330	10	50.15	238.7	175	61.3	138			S
Surr: DNOP	5.5		5.015		109	63	147			

Sample ID **1308731-001AMSD**	SampType: **MSD**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Diesel Range Organics**
Client ID: **BatchQC**	Batch ID: **8918**	RunNo: **12741**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **362981** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	280	10	49.95	238.7	77.9	61.3	138	16.2	20	
Surr: DNOP	6.0		4.995		121	63	147	0	0	

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- S Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits
- B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
- ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
- P Sample pH greater than 2 for VOA and TOC only.
- RL Reporting Detection Limit

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: **1308732**

22-Aug-13

Client: Blagg Engineering

Project: GCU #8E

Sample ID **MB-8924**	SampType: **MBLK**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Gasoline Range**
Client ID: **PBS**	Batch ID: **8924**	RunNo: **12768**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **363895** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	ND	5.0								
Surr: BFB	880		1000		88.5	80	120			

Sample ID **LCS-8924**	SampType: **LCS**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Gasoline Range**
Client ID: **LCSS**	Batch ID: **8924**	RunNo: **12768**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **363896** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	27	5.0	25.00	0	106	74.5	126			
Surr: BFB	950		1000		95.0	80	120			

Sample ID **1308731-001AMS**	SampType: **MS**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Gasoline Range**
Client ID: **BatchQC**	Batch ID: **8924**	RunNo: **12768**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **363899** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	27	4.8	24.02	1.236	108	76	156			
Surr: BFB	970		960.6		101	80	120			

Sample ID **1308731-001AMSD**	SampType: **MSD**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8015D: Gasoline Range**
Client ID: **BatchQC**	Batch ID: **8924**	RunNo: **12768**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **363900** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	29	4.8	23.99	1.236	115	76	156	5.19	17.7	
Surr: BFB	950		959.7		99.2	80	120	0	0	

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- S Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits
- B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
- H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
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- P Sample pH greater than 2 for VOA and TOC only.
- RL Reporting Detection Limit

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: **1308732**

22-Aug-13

Client: Blagg Engineering

Project: GCU #8E

Sample ID **MB-8924**	SampType: **MBLK**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles**
Client ID: **PBS**	Batch ID: **8924**	RunNo: **12768**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **363925** Units: **mg/Kg**

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	1.0		1.000		101	80	120			

Sample ID **LCS-8924**	SampType: **LCS**	TestCode: **EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles**
Client ID: **LCSS**	Batch ID: **8924**	RunNo: **12768**
Prep Date: **8/19/2013**	Analysis Date: **8/20/2013**	SeqNo: **363928** Units: **mg/Kg**

Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	104	80	120			
Toluene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	99.7	80	120			
Ethylbenzene	1.0	0.050	1.000	0	102	80	120			
Xylenes, Total	3.1	0.10	3.000	0	103	80	120			
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	1.0		1.000		104	80	120			

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Chain-of-Custody Record

Client: BLAGG ENGR. / BP AMERICA

Mailing Address: P.O. BOX 87
BLOOMFIELD, NM 87413

Phone #: (505) 632-1199

email or Fax#:

QA/QC Package:
☑ Standard ☐ Level 4 (Full Validation)

Accreditation:
☐ NELAP ☐ Other

☐ EDD (Type)

Turn-Around Time:
☑ Standard ☐ Rush

Project Name:
GCU # 8E

Project #:

Project Manager:
NELSON VELEZ

Sampler: NELSON VELEZ

On Ice: ☑ Yes ☐ No

Sample Temperature: 1.2

HALL ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS LABORATORY

www.hallenvironmental.com

4901 Hawkins NE - Albuquerque, NM 87109

Tel. 505-345-3975 Fax 505-345-4107

Analysis Request

Date	Time	Matrix	Sample Request ID	Container Type and #	Preservative Type	HEAL No. 1308733	BTEX + ~~MTBE + TMB's~~ (8021B)	BTEX + MTBE + TPH (Gas only)	TPH 8015B (GRO / DRO / ~~MRO~~)	TPH (Method 418.1)	EDB (Method 504.1)	PAH (8310 or 8270SIMS)	RCRA 8 Metals	Anions (F,Cl,NO_3,NO_2,PO_4,SO_4)	8081 Pesticides / 8082 PCB's	8260B (VOA)	8270 (Semi-VOA)	Chloride (soil-300.0 / water-300.1)		Grab sample	5 pt. composite sample
8/13/13	1217	SOIL	1 @ 12' (95)	4 oz. - 1	Cool	-001	✓		✓											✓	

Date: 8/15/13 Time: 1635 Relinquished by: [signature]
Received by: [signature] Date: 8/15/13 Time: 1635

Date: 8/15/13 Time: 1711 Relinquished by: [signature]
Received by: [signature] Date: 08/16/13 Time: 1007

Remarks:

BILL DIRECTLY TO BP:
Jeff Peace, 200 Energy Court, Farmington, NM 87401

Work Order: N15279705 Paykey: ZEVH01BGT2

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.

HALL ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS LABORATORY

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory
4901 Hawkins NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109
TEL: 505-345-3975 FAX: 505-345-4107
Website: www.hallenvironmental.com

Sample Log-In Check List

Client Name: BLAGG | Work Order Number: 1308732 | RcptNo: 1

Received by/date: 08/16/13

Logged By: Ashley Gallegos 8/16/2013 10:07:00 AM

Completed By: Ashley Gallegos 8/16/2013 2:43:49 PM

Reviewed By: IO 08/16/13

Chain of Custody

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

Log In

4. Was an attempt made to cool the samples?	Yes ✔	No	NA
5. Were all samples received at a temperature of >0° C to 6.0°C	Yes ✔	No	NA
6. Sample(s) in proper container(s)?	Yes ✔	No	
7. Sufficient sample volume for indicated test(s)?	Yes ✔	No	
8. Are samples (except VOA and ONG) properly preserved?	Yes ✔	No	
9. Was preservative added to bottles?	Yes	No ✔	NA
10. VOA vials have zero headspace?	Yes	No	No VOA Vials ✔
11. Were any sample containers received broken?	Yes	No ✔	# of preserved bottles checked for pH: (<2 or >12 unless noted)
12. Does paperwork match bottle labels? (Note discrepancies on chain of custody)	Yes ✔	No	Adjusted?
13. Are matrices correctly identified on Chain of Custody?	Yes ✔	No	
14. Is it clear what analyses were requested?	Yes ✔	No	
15. Were all holding times able to be met? (If no, notify customer for authorization.)	Yes ✔	No	Checked by:

Special Handling (if applicable)

16. Was client notified of all discrepancies with this order? Yes No NA ✔

Person Notified: Date:

By Whom: Via: eMail Phone Fax In Person

Regarding:

Client Instructions:

17. Additional remarks:

18. Cooler Information

Cooler No	Temp °C	Condition	Seal Intact	Seal No	Seal Date	Signed By
1	1.6	Good	Yes			

bp

BP America Production Company
200 Energy Court
Farmington, NM 87401
Phone: (505) 326-9200

August 27, 2013

Bureau of Land Management
Mark Kelly
1235 La Plata Hwy
Farmington, NM 87401

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Re: Notification of plans to close/remove a below grade tank
Well Name: Gallegos Canyon Unit 008E

Dear Mr. Kelly,

As part of the NM "Pit Rule": 19.15.17.13 Closure Requirements, Paragraph J. BP America Production Company (BP) is required to notify the surface owner of BP's plans to close/remove a below grade tank. BP wishes to inform you of our plans to close/remove the below grade tank on its well pad located on your surface. BP plans to commence this work on or about August 21, 2013. If there aren't any unforeseen problems, the work should be completed within 10 working days.

As a point of clarification, BP will be closing the below grade tank and either operating without one or replacing it with an above ground tank, the well site will continue to operate.

Unless you have questions about this notice, there is no need to respond to this letter. If you do have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 505-326-9214

Sincerely,

Jerry Van Riper
Surface Land Negotiator
BP America Production Company

200 Energy Court
Farmington, NM 87401
Phone: (505) 326-9200

SENT VIA E-MAIL TO: BRANDON.POWELL@STATE.NM.US

August 27, 2013

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1000 Rio Brazos Road
Aztec, New Mexico 87410

RE: Notice of Proposed Below-Grade Tank (BGT) Closure

Gallegos Canyon Unit 008E
API 30-045-26191
(J) Section 22 – T28N – R12W
San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Brandon Powell:

In regards to the captioned subject and requirements of the NMOCD pit rule, this letter is notification that BP is planning to close a 21 bbl BGT that will no longer be operational at this well site.

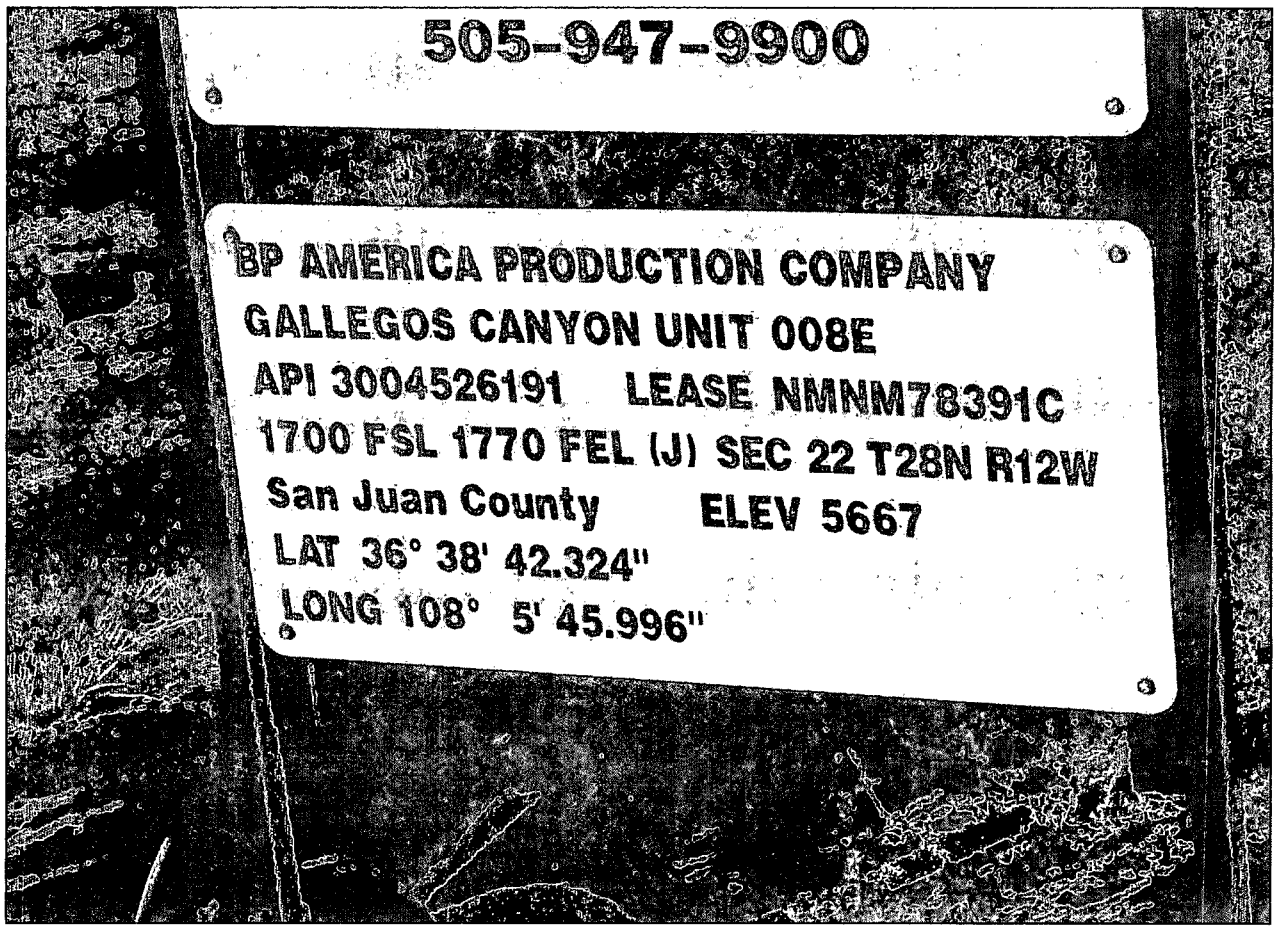
Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact BP at our Farmington office.

Sincerely,

Jeff Peace

Jeff Peace
BP Field Environmental Advisor

(505) 326-9479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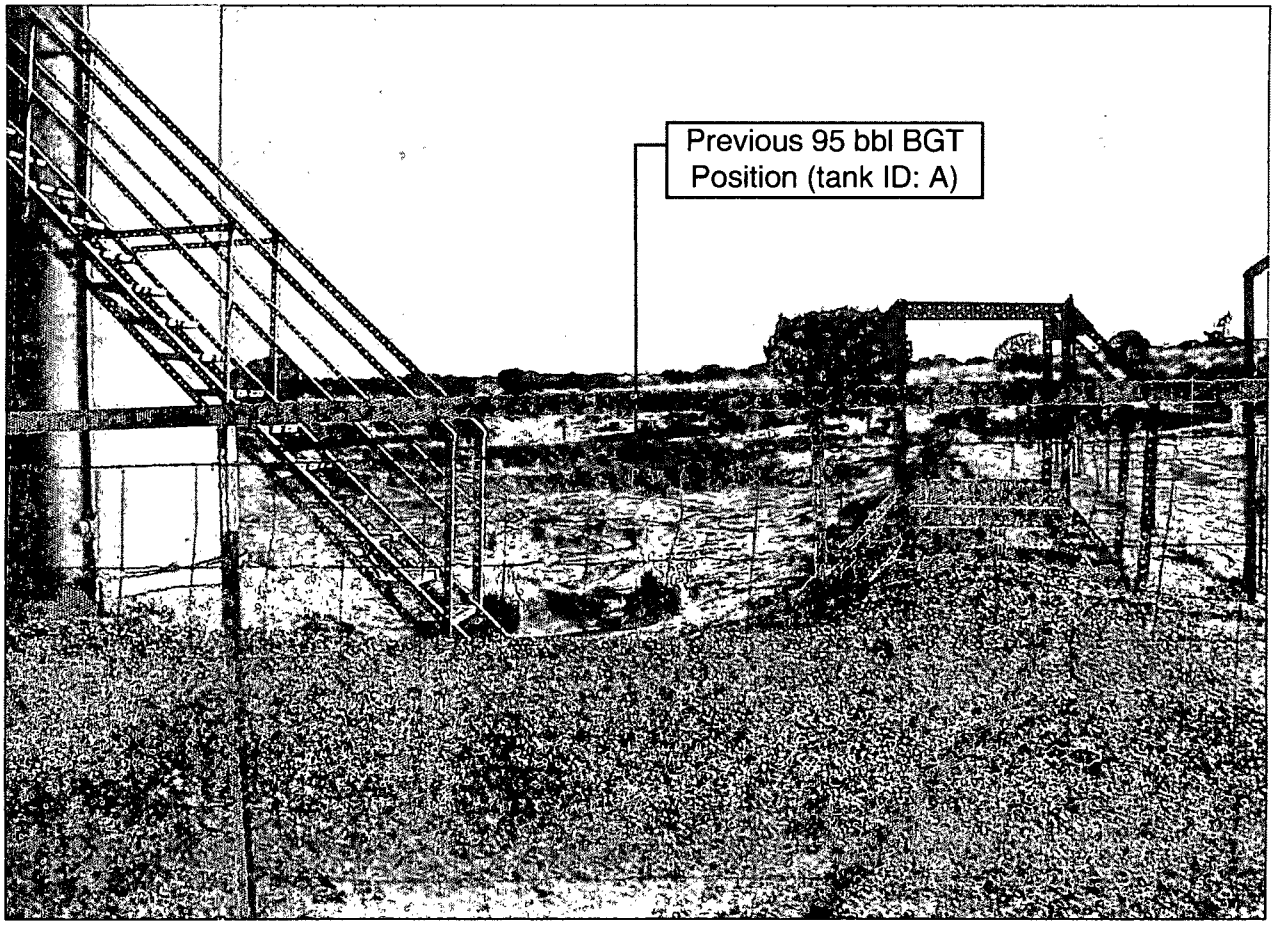
BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY
GALLEGOS CANYON UNIT 008E
API 3004526191 LEASE NMNM78391C
1700 FSL 1770 FEL (J) SEC 22 T28N R12W
San Juan County ELEV 5667
LAT 36° 38' 42.324"
LONG 108° 5' 45.996"


Previous 95 bbl BGT
Position (tank ID: A)

BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY
SAN JUAN BASIN, NORTHWEST NEW MEXICO

BELOW-GRADE TANK CLOSURE PLAN

Gallegos Canyon Unit 8E
API No. 3004526191
Unit Letter J, Section 22, T28N, R12W

This plan will address the standard protocols and procedures for closure of below-grade tanks (BGTs) on BP America Production Company (BP) well sites. As stipulated in Paragraph A of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, BP shall close a BGT within the time periods provided in 19.15.17.13 NMAC, or by an earlier date that the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) requires because of imminent danger to fresh water, public health, safety or the environment. If deviations from this plan are necessary, any specific changes will be included on form C-144 and approved by the NMOCD. BP shall close an existing BGT that does 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 after June 16, 2008, if not retrofit with a BGT that complies with the BP NMOCD approved BGT design attached to the BP Design and Construction Plan. BP shall close an existing BGT that does not meet the requirements of Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC, if not previously retrofitted to comply with the BP NMOCD approve BGT Design attached to the BP Design and Construction Plan, prior to any sale or change in operator pursuant to 19.15.9.9 NMAC. BP shall close the permitted BGT within 60 days of cessation of the BGTs operation or as required by the transitional provisions of Subsection B, D, or E of 19.15.17.17 NMAC.

General Closure Plan

1. BP shall notify the surface owner by certified mail that it plans to close a BGT. Evidence of mailing of the notice to the address of the surface owner shown in the county tax records demonstrates compliance with this requirement.
   Notice sent to BLM is attached.

2. BP shall notify the division District III office verbally or by other means at least 72 hours, but not more than one (1) week, prior to any closure operation. The notice shall include the operator's name, and the location to be closed by unit letter, section, township and range. If the BGT closure is associated with a particular well, then the notice shall also include the well's name, number and API number.
   Notice e-mailed to NMOCD is attached.

3. BP shall remove liquids and sludge from the BGT prior to implementing a closure method and dispose of the liquids and sludge in a NMOCD's division-approved facility. The facilities to be used are:
   a. BP Crouch Mesa Landfarm, Permit NM-02-003 (Solids)
   b. JFJ Landfarm, Permit NM-01-010(B) (Solids and Sludge)
   c. Basin Disposal, Permit NM-01-0005 (Liquids)

d. Envirotech Inc Soil Remediation Facility, Permit NM-01-0011 (Solids and Sludge)
e. BP Operated E.E. Elliott SWD #1, API 30-045-27799 (Liquids)
f. BP Operated 13 GCU SWD #1, API 30-045-28601 (Liquids)
g. BP Operated GCU 259 SWD, API 30-045-20006 (Liquids)
h. BP Operated GCU 306 SWD, API 30-045-24286 (Liquids)
i. BP Operated GCU 307 SWD, API 30-045-24248 (Liquids)
j. BP Operated GCU 328 SWD, API 30-045-24735 (Liquids)
k. BP Operated Pritchard SWD #1, API 30-045-28351 (Liquids)

All liquids and sludge in the BGT were removed and sent to one of the above NMOCD approved facilities for disposal.

4. BP shall remove the BGT and dispose of it in a NMOCD approved facility or recycle, reuse, or reclaim it in a manner that the NMOCD approves. If a liner is present and must be disposed of it will be cleaned by scraping any soils or other attached materials on the liner to a de minimus amount and disposed at a permitted solid waste facility, pursuant to Subparagraph (m) of Paragraph (1) of Subsection C of 19.15.35.8 NMAC. Documentation as to the final disposition of the removed BGT will be provided in the final closure report.
The BGT was transported to a storage area for sale and re-use.

5. BP shall remove any on-site equipment associated with a BGT unless the equipment is required for well production.
All equipment associated with the BGT has been removed.

6. BP shall test the soils beneath the BGT to determine whether a release has occurred. BP shall collect at a minimum: a five (5) point composite sample and individual grab samples from any area that is wet, discolored or showing other evidence of a release and analyze for BTEX, TPH and chlorides. The testing methods for those constituents are as follows;

Constituents	Testing Method	Release Verification (mg/Kg)	Sample results
Benzene	US EPA Method SW-846 8021B or 8260B	0.2	ND
Total BTEX	US EPA Method SW-846 8021B or 8260B	50	203.8
TPH	US EPA Method SW-846 418.1	100	6000
Chlorides	US EPA Method 300.0 or 4500B	250 or background	-

Notes: mg/Kg = milligram per kilogram, BTEX = benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes, TPH = total petroleum hydrocarbons. Other EPA methods that the division approves may be applied to all constituents listed. Chloride closure standards will be determined by which ever concentration level is greatest.

Soil under the BGT was sampled and TPH and BTEX levels were above the stated limits. Sampling data is attached. Impacted soil beneath the BGT will be excavated and taken to IEI landfarm for treatment. The excavated area will be backfilled with clean soil.

7. BP shall notify the division District III office of its results on form C-141.
C-141 is attached.

8. If it is determined that a release has occurred, then BP will comply with 19.15.30 NMAC and 19.15.29 NMAC, as appropriate.
A C-141 for the release under the BGT was submitted to NMOCD. Remediation of the impacted soil will be done under the spill rule.

9. If the sampling demonstrates that a release has not occurred or that any release does not exceed the concentrations specified above, then BP shall backfill the excavation, with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material; construct a division-prescribed soil cover, re-contour and re-vegetate the location. The location will be reclaimed if it is not with in the active process area
The area under the BGT will be backfilled with clean soil after remediation is completed. It is still within the active area of the well.

10. BP shall reclaim the BGT location and all areas associated with the BGT including associated access roads to a safe and stable condition that blends with the surrounding undisturbed area. BP shall substantially restore the impacted surface area to the condition that existed prior to oil and gas operations by placement of the soil cover as provided in Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, re-contour the location and associated areas to a contour that approximates the original contour and blends with the surrounding topography and re-vegetate according to Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC.
The area under the BGT will be backfilled with clean soil after remediation is completed. This area will be reclaimed when the well is plugged and abandoned as part of final reclamation.

11. The soil cover for closures where the BGT has been removed or remediated to the NMOCD's satisfaction shall consist of the background thickness of topsoil or one foot of suitable material to establish vegetation at the site, whichever is greater. The soil cover will be constructed to the site's existing grade and all practicable efforts will be made to prevent ponding of water and erosion of the cover material.
The area under the BGT will be backfilled with clean soil after remediation is completed. This area will be reclaimed when the well is plugged and abandoned as part of final reclamation.

12. BP shall seed the disturbed area the first growing season after closure of the BGT. Seeding will be accomplished by drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other division-approved methods. Vegetative cover will be, at a minimum, 70% of the native perennial vegetative cover (un-impacted by overgrazing, fire or other intrusion damaging to native vegetation), consisting of at least three native plant species, including at least one grass, but not including noxious weeds, and maintenance of that cover through two successive growing seasons. During the two growing seasons that prove viability, there shall be no artificial irrigation of the vegetation.
The area under the BGT will be backfilled with clean soil after remediation is completed. This area will be reclaimed when the well is plugged and abandoned as part of final reclamation.

13. BP shall seed, plant and re-seed pursuant to Paragraph (3) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, until the location successfully achieves the required vegetative cover.
BP will seed the area when the well is plugged and abandoned.

14. Pursuant to Paragraph (5) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, BP shall notify the NMOCD when it has seeded or planted and when it successfully achieves re-vegetation.
BP will notify NMOCD when re-vegetation is successful.

15. Within 60 days of closure completion, BP shall submit a closure report on NMOCD's form C-144, and will include the following;
    a. proof of closure notification (surface owner and NMOCD)
    b. sampling analytical reports; information required by 19.15.17 NMAC;
    c. disposal facility name and permit number
    d. details on back-filling, capping, covering, and where applicable re-vegetation application rates and seeding techniques and
    e. site reclamation, photo documentation.
    Closure report on C-144 form is included.

16. BP shall certify that all information in the report and attachments is accurate, truthful, and compliant with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.
Certification section of C-144 has been completed.