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From: Griswold, Jim, EMNRD
Sent: Friday, March 22, 2013 2:38 PM
To: Chris Biagi
Cc: Wayne Price (wayneprice77@earthlink.net); M Griffin (whearth@msn.com)
Subject: Dickinson Remediation Project (1RP-432)

Chris,

I have reviewed the annual report and closure request dated February 23, 2013 submitted on your behalf by Wayne Price of Price LLC regarding the Dickinson remediation project (OCD remediation plan 1RP-432) in Lea County. While the OCD acknowledges that Devon has funded a substantial effort toward restoration at this location, the underlying groundwater remains contaminated with dissolved chlorides at concentrations above the regulatory standard. As such, the project cannot be closed at this time but a number of the monitoring wells can be taken out of service. Based upon my review of the available information and discussions with Mr. Price of today, the OCD approves the proper plugging of four monitoring wells; MW-1, -4, -5 and -7. Furthermore, the three remaining monitoring wells (MWs-6, -North, and – South) need to be placed on a quarterly monitoring schedule for depth-to-water and dissolved chloride measurement with reporting of all data to the OCD on at least an annual basis. As more data become available, we should engage in further discussions about this situation. Please keep a copy of this email in your files as no hardcopy will be sent. Thank you.

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