

**1RF-11  
Salado Draw Section  
23 Recycling Facility  
and Containment-  
Facility ID  
fTO1706148730.  
Annual Extension  
Approved**

**[4323] CHEVRON USA INC  
November 18, 2021**

**Venegas, Victoria, EMNRD**

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**From:** Venegas, Victoria, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 18, 2021 1:28 PM  
**To:** Vallejo, Tony; Visairo, Omar; Zemen, Jessica  
**Cc:** Enviro, OCD, EMNRD  
**Subject:** RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID FTO1706148730. Annual Extension Approved.  
**Attachments:** C-147 1RF-11 Annual Extension Salado Draw\_11.18.2021.pdf

**RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID [FTO1706148730](#). Annual Extension Approved**

Good afternoon Mr. Vallejo,

NMOCD has reviewed the determination of registration/permit annual extension request for RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID [FTO1706148730](#), received from [4323] CHEVRON USA INC on November 15, 2021. The registration/permit extension request is approved with the following conditions of approval:

- The RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID [FTO1706148730](#) is approved for one (1) year of operation from the date of the previous registration/permit expiration date of December 16, 2021. The new registration/permit expiration date is December 16, 2022.
- [4323] CHEVRON USA INC will continue to operate, maintain, and close the RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID [FTO1706148730](#) in compliance with 19.15.34 NMAC, to include but not limited to the performance of weekly inspections regardless of fluid levels in the containment; recording of detailed inspection reports; removal of debris, foreign objects and oil from the containment; and monthly reporting of recycling and reuse of produced water, drilling fluids, and liquid oil field waste via from C-148.
- [4323] CHEVRON USA INC will maintain a liquid level in the containment that is at least equal to the weight of the liner plus 20%. [4323] CHEVRON USA INC may maintain a higher liquid level if they choose.
- If less than 20% of the total fluid capacity is utilized every consecutive six months, operation of the facility is considered ceased and notification of cessation of operations should be sent electronically to [OCD Online](#). An extension to extend the cessation of operations, not to exceed six months, may be submitted using a C-147 form through [OCD Online](#).
- The recycling containment is bonded pursuant to 19.15.8 NMAC per 19.15.34.15(A)(2) NMAC. Water reuse and recycling from RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID [FTO1706148730](#) is limited to wells owned or operated by [4323] CHEVRON USA INC.
- A minimum of 3-feet freeboard must be maintained in the recycling containment at all times.
- [4323] CHEVRON USA INC will comply with 19.15.29 NMAC Releases in the event of any release of produced water or produced water or other oil field wastes at RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID [FTO1706148730](#). [4323] CHEVRON USA INC will comply with all other OCD rules.
- [4323] CHEVRON USA INC must perform weekly inspections of the containment and leak detection system.
- If [4323] CHEVRON USA INC wishes to extend the registration/permit past the December 16, 2022, a registration/permit extension request must be submitted to OCD. Extension requests are reviewed on a case-by-case basis and evaluated on their merit. Extensions are considered for a maximum length of one year. Additional requests must be submitted to OCD through the [OCD Online](#) system on a Form C-147 (long form) as an Extension request and should include a formal extension request letter, a summary of the prior registration/permit period inspection reports, and the copies of the detailed inspection records for the prior permit period. The extension request should be submitted no later than November 16, 2022.

The signed C-147 will be saved in RF-11 Salado Draw Section 23 Recycling Facility and Containment-Facility ID [FTO1706148730](#) file

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CONDITIONS  
 Action 62770

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	Action Number: 62770
	Action Type: [C-147] Water Recycle Long (C-147L)

**CONDITIONS**

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
vvenegas	None	11/19/2021