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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
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1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

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Name of Company OXY USA Inc.	Contact Leslie V. Moreno
Address 1017 W. Stanolind Rd.	Telephone No. (575) 397-8247
Facility Name Sterling Silver 3 Fed. #6	Facility Type Production Battery

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No. API 30-015-27638
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
	03	24S	31E	1980	N	2310	W	Eddy

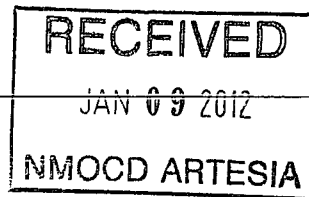
Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Volume of Release 89 MCF	Volume Recovered 0
Source of Release	Date and Hour of Occurrence 11/20/11 @ 0000 hrs To 11/20/11 @ 2400 hrs	Date and Hour of Discovery 11/20/11 @ 0600 hrs
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Jim Amos	
By Whom? Leslie V. Moreno, HES Administrative Assistant	Date and Hour 11/21/11 @ 2:53 pm	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.* **N/A**

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*
Oxy began flaring due to Pure Gold Booster compressor down.



Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* **N/A**

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: <i>Leslie V. Moreno</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Leslie V. Moreno	Approved by District Supervisor:	Accepted for record NMOCD
Title: HES Administrative Assistant	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: Leslie_Moreno@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: _____ Phone: (575) 397-8247		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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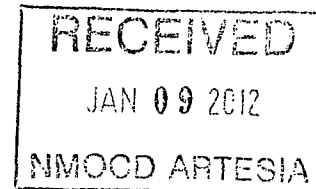
Moreno, Leslie V (Preferred Personnel)

From: Moreno, Leslie V (Preferred Personnel)
Sent: Monday, November 21, 2011 2:53 PM
To: jamos@blm.gov
Cc: Wilson, Dusty L; Summers, Chancey J; Moreno, Leslie V (Preferred Personnel)
Subject: 11/20/11 Venting

Hello,

This is to inform you that we began flaring 11/17/11 due to the Pure Gold Booster Compressor going down at the following locations:

Patton 18-1 (62 MCF)
Palladium 7-1 (225 MCF)
Sterling Silver 3-6 (89 MCF)
Sterling Silver 34-2 (59 MCF)
Sterling Silver 33 CTB (189 MCF)
Federal 29-8 (258 MCF)
Mobil #1 (159 MCF)



C-141's to follow.

Thank you,

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