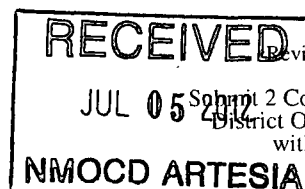


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Form C-141

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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

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OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company	OXY USA Inc. 16696	Contact	Brenda Hodges
Address	1017 W. Stanolind Rd.	Telephone No.	(575) 397-8247
Facility Name	Cypress 33 Federal #4	Facility Type	Single Oil Well

Surface Owner	Mineral Owner	Lease No.	API 30-015-37368
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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
H	33	23S	29E	1490	N	250	E	Eddy

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF RELEASE


Type of Release	Flare	Volume of Release	1500 MCF	Volume Recovered	0
Source of Release	Temp. Flare	Date and Hour of Occurrence	6-28-12 @ 10:00 a.m.	Date and Hour of Discovery	6-28-12 @ 10:00 a.m.
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Bratcher/Jim Amos			
By Whom?	Brenda Hodges, HES Administrative Assistant	Date and Hour 6-28-12 @ 12:22 p.m.			
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 at the Cypress 33 Federal #4 location due to Southern Union Gas shutting in their lines for an emergency at their Pecos Plant.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\* Return to sales upon purchaser opening their lines

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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION Accepted for record NMOCD		
Printed Name: Brenda Hodges	Approved by District Supervisor:		
Title: HES Administrative Assistant	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:	
E-mail Address: Brenda_Hodges@oxy.com	Conditions of Approval:		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 7-3-12 Phone: (575) 397-8247			

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** Brenda\_Hodges@oxy.com  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 03, 2012 12:24 PM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov  
**Cc:** Chancey\_Summers@oxy.com; Austin\_Tramell@oxy.com; Kim\_Moore@oxy.com; Lane\_Bodey@oxy.com; Donald\_Kendrick@oxy.com  
**Subject:** FW: Flaring

Good afternoon,  
Just a clarification on the flaring listed in the e-mail below.  
The Cypress 32 Federal #4 did not flare. The flare was at the Cypress 33 Federal #4.  
Also there was not a flare set at the Goodnight 27 Federal #2 location. I have mailed all of the correct forms to you today.  
Thank you,

*Brenda Hodges*

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**From:** Hodges, Brenda K (Preferred Personnel )  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 28, 2012 12:22 PM  
**To:** 'mike.bratcher@state.nm.us'; 'jamos@blm.gov'  
**Cc:** Summers, Chancey J; Tramell, Austin W  
**Subject:** Flaring

Good afternoon,  
Oxy began flaring at the Cypress 28 Federal #2 location at 10:00 p.m. on 6-27-12 with approximately 1700 MCF's per day.  
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