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**From:** Vernon Black <VBlack@Hungry-Horse.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 18, 2014 9:19 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Gonzalez, Luis; Jennifer Van Curen (jvancure@blm.gov)  
**Subject:** Release at Southwest Royalties North Hackberry Yates #105  
**Attachments:** SWR-North HackBerry Yates Well #105 Overhead.docx; SWR-North Hack Berry Yates Well #105 Map.docx

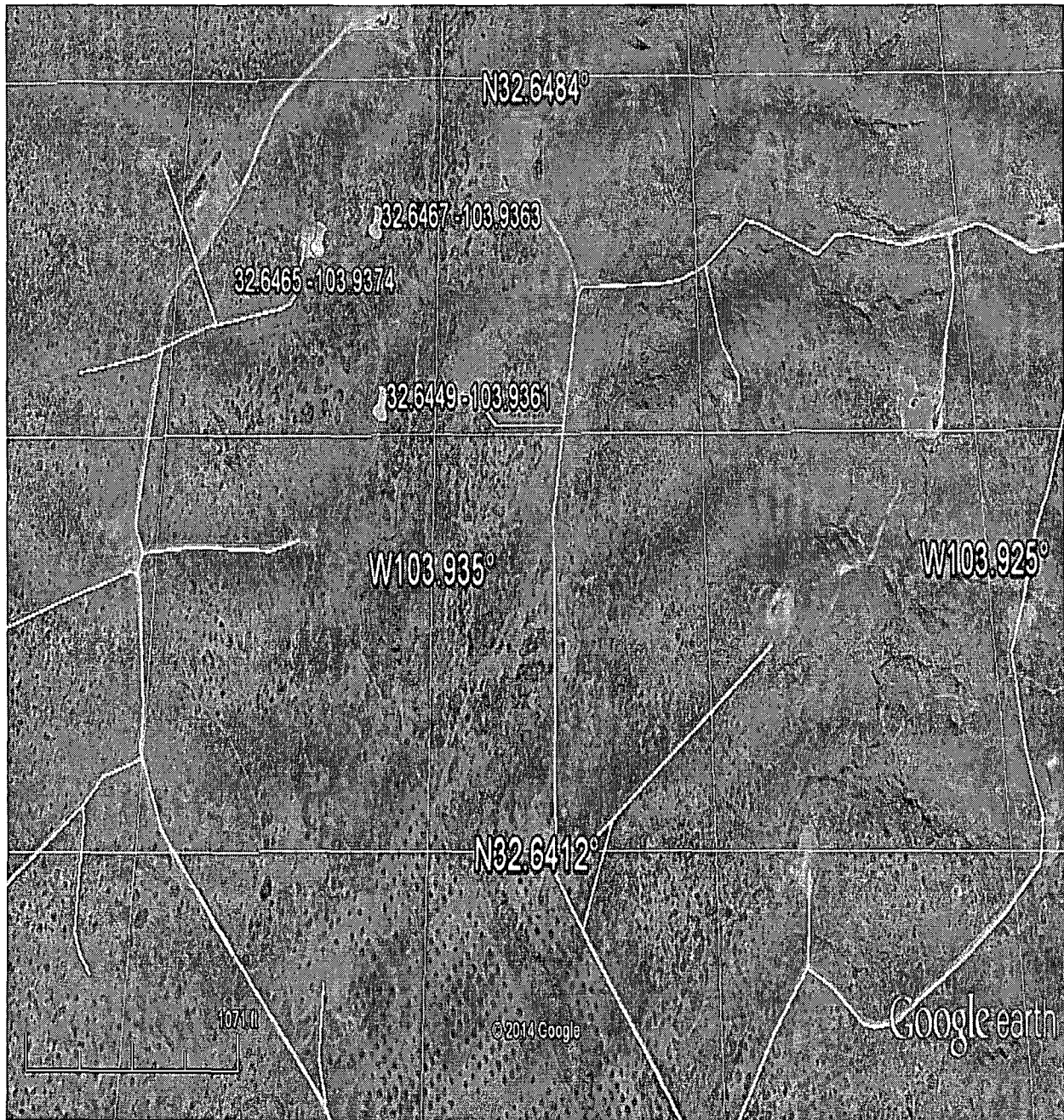
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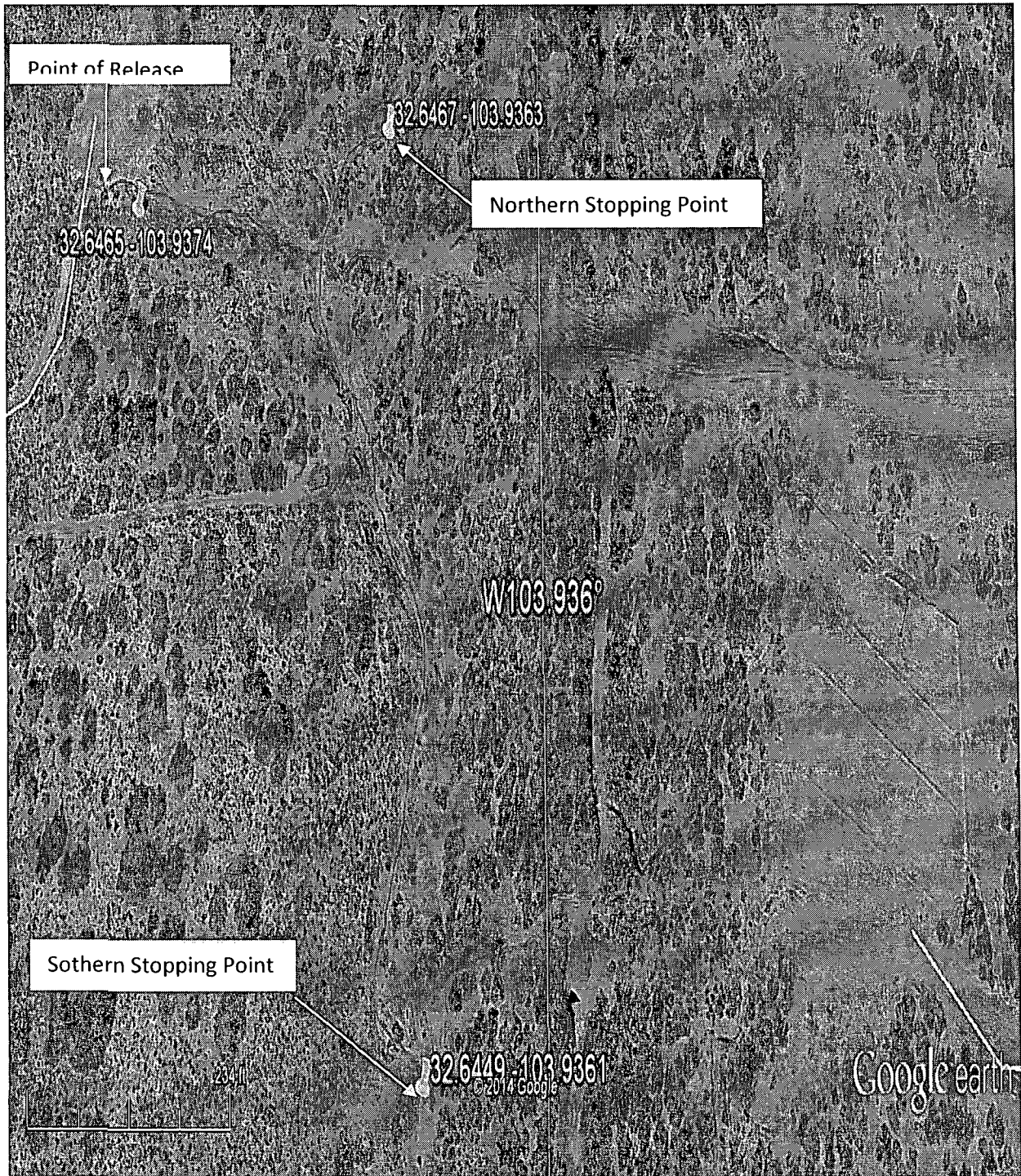
Please let this serve as official notification of the release. I'll get you a C 141 shortly. Please call me if you have any questions. Luis Gonzales is the contact for Southwest Royalties, 432-661-4708.

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**From:** Van Curen, Jennifer <jvancure@blm.gov>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 24, 2014 7:32 AM  
**To:** Vernon Black; Solomon Hughes  
**Cc:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Gonzalez, Luis  
**Subject:** Re: Release at Southwest Royalties North Hackberry Yates #105

Vernon,

Sol Hughes will be your main contact. I am helping him with this event, so I just need to stay in the loop. Thanks.

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"There are known knowns. These are things we know that we know. There are known unknowns. That is to say, there are things that we know we don't know." Jim Perry

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