

GW - 246

INSPECTION

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Subject: GW-246, EPCO's Axis # 2 facility
Attachments: GW-246, Inspection Letter.pdf; GW-246, Inspection Photo Sheet.pdf


Ms. Mary E. Hebert,

Here is the inspection report for the facility submitted for closure.

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September 15, 2008

Ms. Mary E. Hebert
Director, Field Environmental
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**Re: Closure Inspection Report, GW-246
Axis # 2 Compressor Station
Chavez County, New Mexico**

Dear Ms. Hebert:

The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) performed an onsite closure inspection of Enterprise Field Services LLC's Axis # 2 compressor station located in Section 15, Township 21 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Chavez County, New Mexico on August 27, 2008. Jennifer Corser and Paul Murray of Enterprise guided the inspection.

A letter written to the OCD on February 6, 2008 indicates that this facility is closed and is not providing compression of gas and has submitted their closure report. The inspection determined the following, please reference photos to the attached inspection photo sheet.

1. **Photos 1 - 4:** Remove all concrete slabs and existing underground conduits not in use at this location.

The Oil Conservation Division has concluded that due to the remaining above referenced items the facility has yet to be properly closed. Therefore the OCD request that Enterprise Field Services remove all remaining cement slabs and underground conduits within **45 days, by October 30, 2008**, of this dated letter. Once removed submit photos and a final report to Mr. Jim Griswold of the Santa Fe OCD Environmental Bureau office, the current Enterprise permit reviewer.

If there are any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (505) 476-3492, E-mail Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us or Jim Griswold at (505) 476-3465, E-mail Jim.Griswold@state.nm.us.

Sincerely,

Leonard Lowe



OCD Inspection: EPCO Axis # 2, GW - 246

Inspector(s): Leonard Lowe

Company Rep: Jennifer Corser and Paul Murray

Date: 08.27.08

Time: 10:20 – 10:35

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Photo 1: Slab of concrete.



Photo 2: Concrete remaining.



Photo 3: Underground conduit protruding from ground level near concrete slab.



Photo 4: Ground level concrete slab located on the east side of above ground slab noted in Photo 1.



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Re: Discharge Plan GW-246 Closure Report
2 Axis #2 Compressor Station

Dear Mr. Jones:

In accordance with conditions of the above ground water discharge plan GW-246, Enterprise Field Services LLC (Enterprise) is providing notice that the above-referenced compressor station is no longer in operation and respectfully requests that this plan be closed. In keeping with your instructions, Enterprise conducted an inspection of the compressor station on January 31, 2007, and certifies that the compressor has been removed and that no visual evidence of environmental contamination exists at this site.

Above-ground equipment at the site is idle, including a dehydration unit and associated open top tank that was noted to be empty, a horizontal separator, a concrete foundation where the compressor formerly existed, three above ground tanks located within an above-ground earthen containment, and some above ground piping. The above ground equipment is currently being removed with the exception of the concrete compressor pad and contained tank farm.

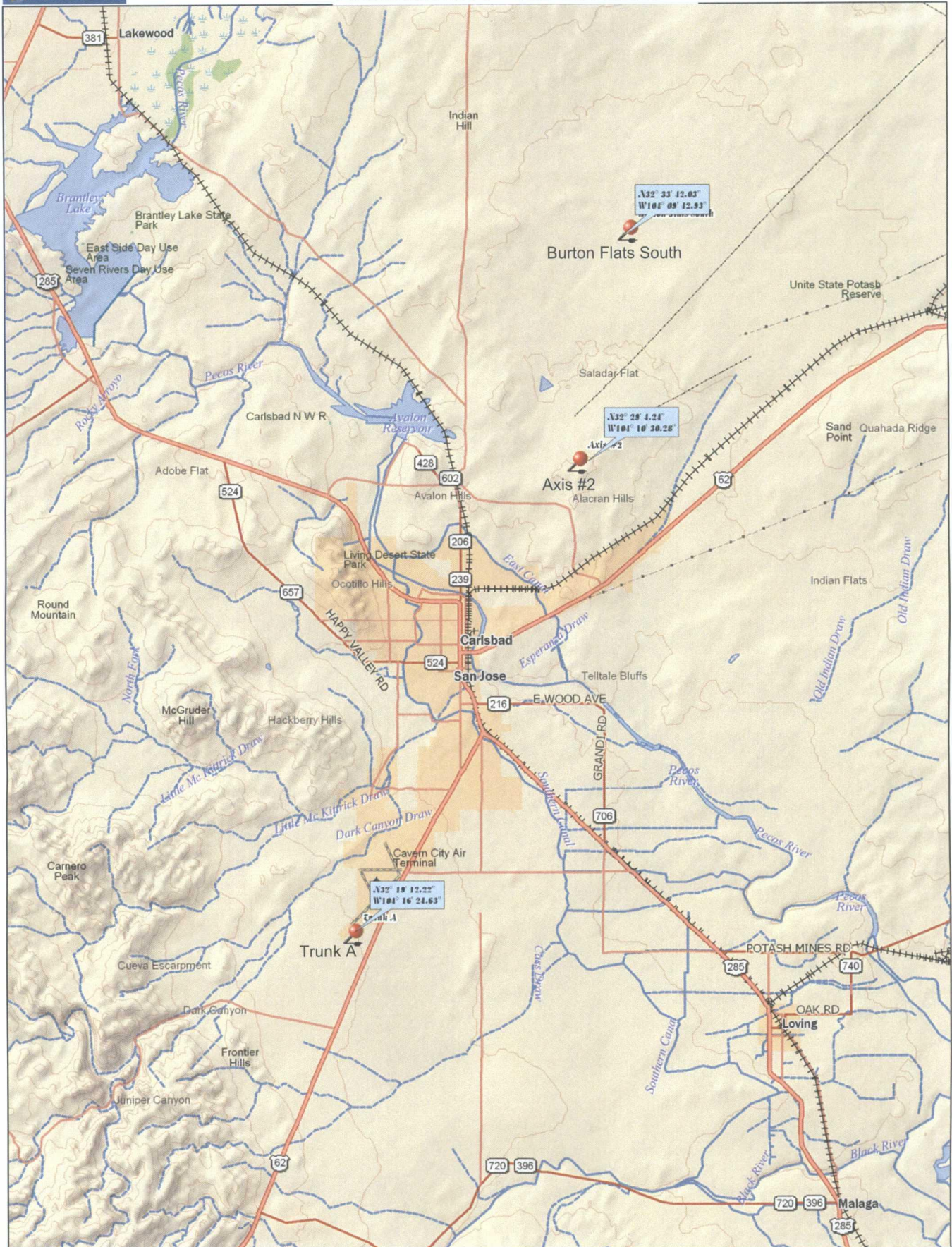
Included as attachments are a site location map and photographs of the facility taken during the site reconnaissance by our environmental field representative. If you have questions or need additional information concerning this project, please contact David O'Leary, our environmental field representative at 432-212-3490, or me directly at 713-880-6518.

Yours truly,

Mary E. Hebert
Director, Field Environmental

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cc: David Jaquez, Carlsbad
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Derrell Morrow, Midland



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Attachment B – Axis #2 Site Photos



Photo 1 – Compressor Pad (background)

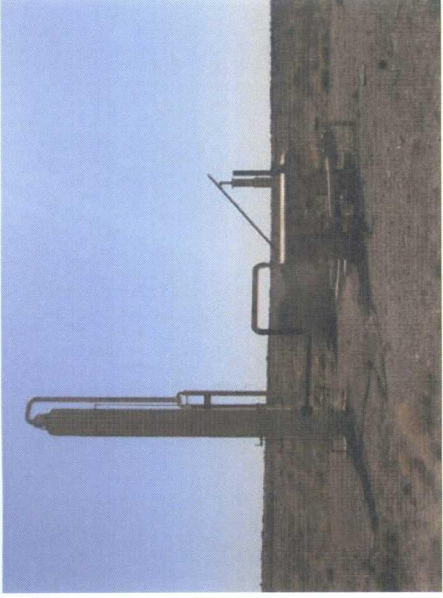


Photo 2 – Idled Dehydration Unit



Photo 3 – Idled Dehydrator Tank



Photo 4 – Idled Separator

Attachment B – Axis #2 Site Photos (Continued)



Photo 5 – Above Ground Idled Piping

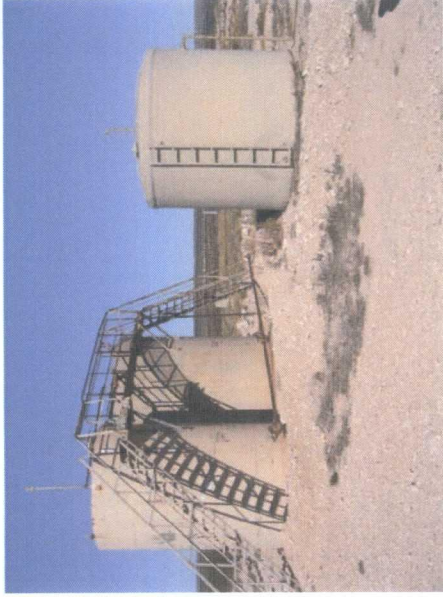


Photo 6 – Out-of-Service Tanks



Photo 7 – Tanks Unloading Area