

**NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Regulations, the following application has been submitted to the Director of the Oil Conservation Division, State Land Office Building, P.O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088, Telephone (505) 827-5800:

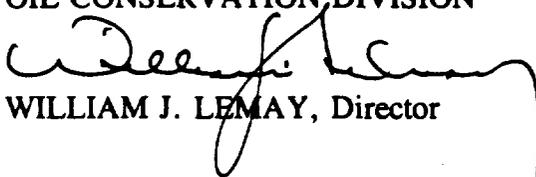
RMI Environmental Services, Brad F. Simmons, President, P.O. Box 2522, Farmington, New Mexico, 87499, has submitted for approval an application to construct and operate a Rule 711 commercial surface waste disposal facility located in the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 11, Township 32 North, Range 7 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico. Produced water associated with oil and gas production will be disposed of in a lined pond for evaporation. The applicant proposes to construct the pond with two layers of impermeable synthetic liner to prevent leaching to the subsurface. A leak detection system will be installed between the two layers to monitor the integrity of the primary synthetic liner. The permit application addresses the construction, operations, spill/leak prevention and monitoring procedures to be incorporated at the proposed site. The ground water most likely to be affected by an accidental release is at a depth of 100 feet with a total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 1300 parts per million.

Any interested person may obtain further information from the Oil Conservation Division and may submit written comments to the Director of the Oil Conservation Division at the address given above. The application may be viewed at the above address between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Prior to ruling on any proposed application, the Director of the Oil Conservation Division shall allow at least thirty (30) days after the date of publication of this notice during which comments may be submitted to him and public hearing may be requested by any interested person. Request for public hearing shall set forth the reasons why a hearing shall be held. A hearing will be held if the director determines that there is significant public interest.

If no hearing is held, the Director will approve or disapprove the application based on the information available. If a public hearing is held, the Director will approve the application based on the information in the application and information presented at the hearing.

GIVEN under the Seal of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 9th day of May, 1994.

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WILLIAM J. LEMAY, Director

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