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**Subject:** RE: Benson Deep BDX Federal Com #1 Work Plan  
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RE: Yates \* Benson Deep BDX Fed. Com #1 \* 30-015-22793 \* 2RP-2732

Chase,

Your proposed work plan is approved. When conducting your sampling please remit discrete samples, rather than composite, in the area of MR.

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, and for notification, please contact me.

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**From:** Chase Settle [mailto:CSettle@yatespetroleum.com]  
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**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Bob Asher; Katie Parker  
**Subject:** Benson Deep BDX Federal Com #1 Work Plan

April 16, 2015

Mr. Mike Bratcher/Mrs. Heather Patterson  
NMOCD District II  
811 S. First St.  
Artesia, NM 88210

Re: Benson Deep BDX Federal Com #1  
30-015-22793  
Section 33, T18S-R30E  
Eddy County, New Mexico  
2RP-2732

Mr. Bratcher/Mrs. Patterson,

Yates Petroleum Corporation is submitting the attached work plan for the above captioned well. The

plan is being submitted in response to the C-141 report dated January 13, 2015.

**If there are no objections with the scope of work described in the plan, Yates will have a contractor begin work on or after May 1, 2015.**

If you have any questions, feel free to call me at (575) 748-4171

Thank you.

*Chase Settle*

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