

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural  
Resources Department

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised August 24, 2018  
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	NAB1923156332
District RP	2RP-5585
Facility ID	
Application ID	pAB1923156051

## Release Notification

**EMY6H-190802-C-1410**

### Responsible Party

Responsible Party	OXY USA INC.	OGRID	16696
Contact Name	WADE DITTRICH	Contact Telephone	(575) 390-2828
Contact email	WADE_DITTRICH@OXY.COM	Incident # (assigned by OCD)	NAB1923156332
Contact mailing address	PO BOX 4294; HOUSTON, TX 77210		

### Location of Release Source

Latitude N 32.19649 Longitude W-103.96568  
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name	VORTEC 22 1 CTB	Site Type	BATTERY
Date Release Discovered	7/10/19	API# (if applicable)	30-015-34817

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
P	22	24S	29E	EDDY COUNTY, NM

Surface Owner: ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Tribal ☒ Private (Name: OXY USA INC.)

### Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) <b>95 BBLS</b>	Volume Recovered (bbls) <b>80 BBLS</b>
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

#### Cause of Release

**HOLE IN 4 INCH POLY LINE RUNNING OFF OF A WATER TANK**

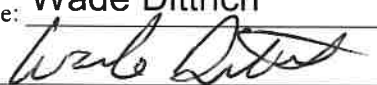
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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release? <b>THE RELEASE IS GREATER THAN 25 BBLS</b>
If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)? <b>YES, BY WADE DITTRICH OF OXY TO MIKE BRATCHER, ROBERT HAMLET, AND VICTORIA VENEGAS OF THE OCD AND JIM AMOS OF THE BLAM ON 7/11/19 VIA EMAIL</b>	

### Initial Response

*The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury*

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The source of the release has been stopped. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.	
If all the actions described above have <u>not</u> been undertaken, explain why:  	
Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.	
I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD 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 OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD 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.	
Printed Name: <u>Wade Dittrich</u> Signature: <u></u> email: <u>wade_dittrich@oxy.com</u>	Title: <u>Environmental Coordinator</u> Date: <u>7-31-19</u> Telephone: <u>(575) 390-2828</u>
<b><u>OCD Only</u></b> Received by: <u>Amalia Bustamante</u> Date: <u>8/19/2019</u>	