

Recommendations

No cultural properties were recorded during the course of this survey. Albeit not encountered, expected cultural properties, should they occur, should include isolated, random occurrences of debitage, cores, small angular debris, projectile points, etc.

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NMAS recommends clearance for DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION's proposed Todd "23" Federal Well No. 8 and its access road and suggests that work-related activities proceed in accordance with company plans (Fig. 1). Clearance, of course, is granted by the Bureau of Land Management. If cultural resources are encountered during construction, the BLM and NMAS should be notified immediately. Dune settings are notorious for covering and uncovering cultural properties.

Todd "23" Federal Well No. 12

Location

The proposed location will measure 400 X 400 ft (actual area surveyed 4.44 acres) on federal land and will be situated 1980 ft from the west line and 1880 ft from the south line.

Section 23, T23S, R31E, NMPM, Eddy County, NM

Thus it will be situated in the:

NE¼SW¼, Section 23, T23S, R31E, NMPM, Eddy County, NM

The proposed location will be situated next to a pipeline road.