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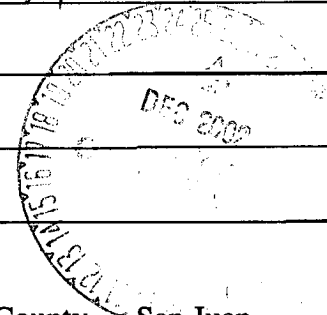
*Risk defined plume to 102 PPM TPH*

Submit 1 copy to appropriate District Office and 1 copy to the Santa Fe Office  
(Revised 3/9/94)

**PIT REMEDIATION AND CLOSURE REPORT**

30-045-25621

Operator: Amoco by EPFS Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Facility Or: Earl B Sullivan No. 2, Meter 94952  
Well Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Location: Unit or Qtr/Qtr Sec H Sec 26 T 29 R 11 County San Juan  
Pit Type: Separator \_\_\_\_\_ Dehydrator \_\_\_\_\_ Other Drip  
Land Type: BLM \_\_\_\_\_, State \_\_\_\_\_, Fee X Other \_\_\_\_\_



Pit Location: Pit dimensions: length 19', width 17', depth 1'  
(Attach diagram)

Reference: wellhead X, other \_\_\_\_\_

Footage from reference: 101'

Direction from reference: 284 Degrees X East North \_\_\_\_\_  
of \_\_\_\_\_ West South \_\_\_\_\_

Depth To Ground Water (Vertical distance from contaminants to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)	Less than 50 feet 50 feet to 99 feet Greater than 100 feet	(20 points) (10 points) ( 0 points) <u>20</u>
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Wellhead Protection Area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or; less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	Yes (20 points) No ( 0 points) <u>0</u>
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Distance To Surface Water: (Horizontal distance to perennial lakes, ponds, rivers, streams, creeks, irrigation canals and ditches.)	Less than 200 feet 200 feet to 1000 feet Greater than 1000 feet	(20 points) (10 points) ( 0 points) <u>0</u>
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RANKING SCORE (TOTAL POINTS): 20

Date Remediation Started: 09/26/94 Date completed: 09/26/94

Remediation Method: Excavation \_\_\_\_\_ Approx. cubic yards \_\_\_\_\_

(Check all appropriate sections.) Landfarmed \_\_\_\_\_ Insitu Bioremediation \_\_\_\_\_

Other Backfill pit without excavation

Remediation Location: Onsite N/A Offsite N/A  
(i.e. landfarmed onsite, name and location of offsite facility)

General Description of Remedial Action: Some lines markers. Started remediating. Had tank inside pit, took tank Out. Pit looked clean. Sample at 12', PID 44, closed pit.

Ground Water Encountered: No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_

Final Pit: Sample location Four walls and center of pit composite

Closure Sampling: (if multiple samples, attach sample results and diagram of sample locations and depths)

Sample depth 12'

Sample Date 09/26/94 Sample time 13:45

Sample Results

Benzene(ppm) <0.025

Total BTEX(ppm) 0.304

Field headspace(ppm) 44

TPH 10000

Ground Water Sample: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  (If yes, attach sample results)

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date 1/8/03  
Signature Scott T. Pope

Printed Name Scott T. Pope  
and Title Senior Env. Scientist



**PIT CLOSURE REQUEST**

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**Earl B. Sullivan No. 2  
Meter/Line ID 94952**

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**SITE DETAILS**

<b>Legals - Twn: 29N</b>	<b>Rng: 11W</b>	<b>Sec: 26</b>	<b>Unit: H</b>
<b>NMOCD Hazard Ranking: 20</b>		<b>Land Type: Fee</b>	
<b>Operator: Amoco Production Company</b>		<b>Pit Closure Date: 9/26/94</b>	

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**RATIONALE FOR RISK-BASED CLOSURE**

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The pit noted above was assessed and ranked according to the criteria in the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division's (NMOCD) Unlined Surface Impoundment Closure Guidelines.

A test pit was excavated to 12 feet (ft) below ground surface (bgs) and a soil sample was collected for field headspace and laboratory analysis for TPH and BTEX. Groundwater was not encountered in the test pit. Headspace analysis indicated an organic vapor content of 44 ppm; laboratory analysis indicated a TPH concentration of 10,000 mg/kg, a benzene concentration of <0.025 mg/kg, and a total BTEX concentration of 0.3 mg/kg. The TPH measurement exceeded recommended remediation levels for the Hazard Ranking Score of 20.

No soil was disposed of offsite. The pit was backfilled with site soil, topped with clean soil from the surrounding berms, and graded in a manner to direct surface runoff away from the pit area.

A Phase II boring was completed to 21 ft bgs. No groundwater was encountered in the soil boring. One laboratory sample was collected at 20-21 ft bgs. Headspace analysis indicated an organic vapor content of 0 ppm; laboratory analysis indicated a benzene concentration of <0.5 mg/kg, a total BTEX concentration of <3 mg/kg, and a TPH concentration of 102 mg/kg. The benzene and total BTEX concentrations were below recommended remediation levels for the Hazard Ranking Score.

No Phase III excavation was done.

El Paso Field Services requests closure of the above mentioned pit location for the following reasons:

- The primary source, discharge to the pit, has been removed for over eight years.
- The test pit was backfilled and the former pit area graded to direct surface runoff away from the former pit.
- The clean soil from the berms placed on top of the excavation would limit the potential for direct contact with hazardous constituents by livestock or the public; i.e., current direct contact exposure pathways are unlikely to be completed.
- There are no water supply wells or other sources of fresh water extraction within 1,000 feet of the site.
- Groundwater was not encountered in the soil boring to 21 ft bgs.



## **PIT CLOSURE REQUEST**

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- Benzene and total BTEX concentrations at the base of the Phase II soil boring were non-detect; and the TPH concentration of 102 mg/kg was just above the recommended remediation level of 100 mg/kg.
- TPH concentrations in the soil at 21 ft bgs were about 1% of the concentration at 12 ft bgs. This strong attenuation with depth indicates that residual hydrocarbons will likely degrade by natural attenuation with minimal risk to the environment.

### **ATTACHMENTS**

Field Pit Assessment Form

Revised Field Pit Assessment Form

Field Pit Remediation/Closure Form

Phase II Soil Boring Log

Laboratory Analytical Results

**REVISED  
FIELD PIT SITE ASSESSMENT FORM**

GENERAL

Meter: 94952 Location: Emil & Sullivan #2  
 Operator #: 0203 Operator Name: AMCO P/L District: ANGEL PEAK  
 Coordinates: Letter H Section 26 Township: 29 Range: 11  
 or Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_  
 Pit Type: Dehydrator \_\_\_\_\_ Location Drip: X Line Drip: \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Site Assessment Date: 9/12/94 Area: 01 Run: 41  
 Revised Date: 12/11/02

SITE ASSESSMENT

**NMOCOD Zone:** (from NMCOD Maps) **Land Type:**

	BLM	<input type="checkbox"/> (1)
	State	<input type="checkbox"/> (2)
	Fee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (3)
	Indian	_____

Inside  (1)  
 Outside  (2)

**Depth to Groundwater**

Less than 50 Feet (20 points)  (1)  
 50 Feet to 99 Feet (10 Points)  (2)  
 Greater than 100 Feet (0 Points)  (3)

**Well Protection Area**  
 Is it less than 1000 feet from well, spring or other source of fresh water extraction?  
 or; Is it less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source?  
 YES (20 Points)  NO (0 Points)

**Horizontal Distance to Surface Water Body**

Less than 200 Feet (20 points)  (1)  
 200 Feet to 1000 Feet (10 Points)  (2)  
 Greater than 1000 Feet (0 Points)  (3)

Name of Surface Water Body SAN JUAN RIVER  
 (Surface Water Body: Perennial River, Stream, Creek, Irrigation Canal, Ditch, Lake, Pond)  
 Distance to Nearest Ephemeral Stream  (1) < 100 feet (Navajo Pits Only)  
 (2) > 100 feet

**TOTAL HAZARD RANKING SCORE** 20 **POINTS**

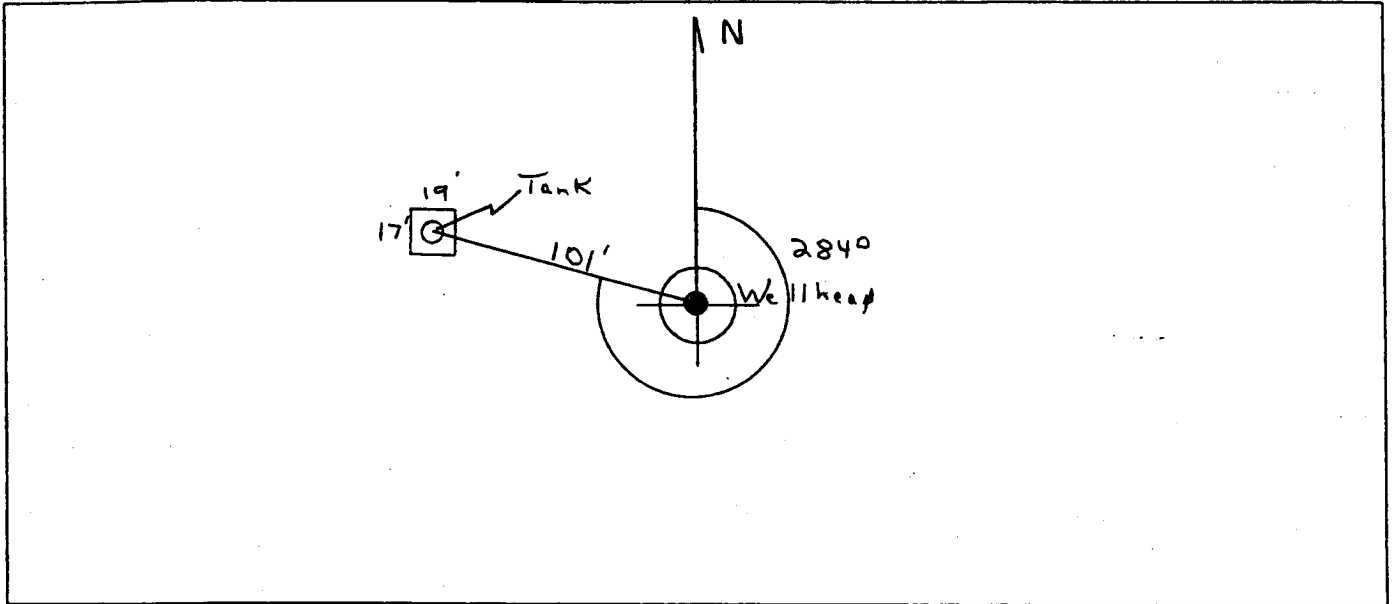
REMARKS

Remarks: REVISION BASED ON RE-ASSESSMENT OF  
DISTANCE TO NEAREST SURFACE WATER BODY.

ORIGINAL PIT LOCATION

### ORIGINAL PIT LOCATION

Original Pit : a) Degrees from North 284° Footage from Wellhead 101'  
b) Length : 19' Width : 17' Depth : 1'



REMARKS

Remarks :

Pictures @ 1148 hr

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Completed By:

Cory Chase  
Signature

9/12/94  
Date



# Natural Gas Company

## FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY

### ANALYTICAL REPORT

#### PIT CLOSURE PROJECT - Soil Samples Inside the GWV Zone

#### SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION

	Field ID	Lab ID
SAMPLE NUMBER:	KP 253	946214
MTR CODE   SITE NAME:	94952	N/A
SAMPLE DATE   TIME (Hrs):	9-26-94	1345
SAMPLED BY:	N/A	
DATE OF TPH EXT.   ANAL.:	9-27-94	9-27-94
DATE OF BTEX EXT.   ANAL.:	9-29-94	10-2-94
TYPE   DESCRIPTION:	VC	Multi Element Screen & Clean

REMARKS:

#### RESULTS

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	Q	M(g)	V(ml)
BENZENE	20.025	MG/KG	1			
TOLUENE	0.12	MG/KG	1			
ETHYL BENZENE	0.039	MG/KG	1			
TOTAL XYLENES	0.12	MG/KG	1			
TOTAL BTEX	0.304	MG/KG				
TPH (418.1)	10,000	MG/KG			1.05	28
HEADSPACE PID	44	PPM				
PERCENT SOLIDS	88.6	%				

-- TPH is by EPA Method 418.1 and BTEX is by EPA Method 8020 --

The Surrogate Recovery was at 103 % for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.

Narrative:

ATI Results attached.

DF = Dilution Factor Used

Approved By: [Signature]

Date: 10/23/94



Analytical Technologies, Inc.

### GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY RESULTS

TEST : BTEX (EPA 8020)  
CLIENT : EL PASO NATURAL GAS CO.      ATI I.D.: 409425  
PROJECT # : 24324  
PROJECT NAME : PIT CLOSURE

SAMPLE ID. #	CLIENT I.D.	MATRIX	DATE SAMPLED	DATE EXTRACTED	DATE ANALYZED	DIL. FACTOR
16	946214	NON-AQ	09/26/94	09/29/94	10/02/94	1

PARAMETER	UNITS	16
BENZENE	MG/KG	<0.025
TOLUENE	MG/KG	0.12
ETHYLBENZENE	MG/KG	0.039
TOTAL XYLENES	MG/KG	0.12

SURROGATE:

BROMOFLUOROBENZENE (%)      103



# FIELD PIT REMEDIATION/CLOSURE FORM

GENERAL

Meter: 94952 Location: Earl B SULLIVAN No. 2  
 Coordinates: Letter: H Section 26 Township: 29 Range: 11  
 Or Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Started : 9-26-94 Run: 01 41

FIELD OBSERVATIONS

Sample Number(s): KP 253  
 Sample Depth: 12' Feet  
 Final PID Reading 044 PID Reading Depth 12' Feet  
 Yes No  
 Groundwater Encountered   Approximate Depth \_\_\_\_\_ Feet

CLOSURE

Remediation Method :

Excavation  Approx. Cubic Yards \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onsite Bioremediation   
 Backfill Pit Without Excavation

Soil Disposition:

Envirotech  Tierra   
 Other Facility  Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Pit Closure Date: 9-26-94 Pit Closed By: B.E.I

REMARKS

Remarks : Some line markers started Remediating  
Had TANK in side pit ~~12'~~ took TANK out. Pit looked clear  
Sample At 12' Pid 044 closed pit

Signature of Specialist: Kelly Padalk

# RECORD OF SUBSURFACE EXPLORATION

Borehole # BH-1  
 Well # \_\_\_\_\_  
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**HILIP ENVIRONMENTAL**  
 4000 Monroe Road  
 Farmington, New Mexico 87401  
 (505) 326-2262 FAX (505) 326-2388

Project Name EPNG Pits  
 Project Number 14509 Phase 6000.77  
 Project Location East B Sullivan No 2  
94952  
 Well Logged By Jeff W. Kindley  
 Personnel On-Site G. Sudduth, A. Roberts, B. Charley  
 Contractors On-Site \_\_\_\_\_  
 Client Personnel On-Site \_\_\_\_\_  
 Drilling Method 4 1/4 ID HSA  
 Air Monitoring Method PID, CGI

*JWK 42*

Elevation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Borehole Location F29, R11, S26, H  
 GWL Depth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Logged By Jeff W. Kindley  
 Drilled By G. Sudduth  
 Date/Time Started 08/23/95 1345  
 Date/Time Completed 08/23/95 1440

Depth (Feet)	Sample Number	Sample Interval	Sample Type & Recovery (inches)	Sample Description Classification System: USCS	USCS Symbol	Depth Lithology Change (feet)	Air Monitoring Units: PPM				Drilling Conditions & Blow Counts
							BZ	BH	S	HS	
0				Backfill material to 12'							
5											
10											
15											
20	1	18-20'	8 2.0	SW, GRSAND, medium grained, dry, very dense, no clay. Boring terminated at 20'					0/0	1415	100 blows per Foot
25											
30											
35											
40											

Comments:

Sample collected from 18 to 20' (JWK 42). Submitted to lab for analysis of BTEX and TPH. BH grouted to the surface

Geologist Signature Jeffrey Kindley



**FIELD SERVICES LABORATORY  
ANALYTICAL REPORT**

**PIT CLOSURE PROJECT - Soil Samples Inside the GWV Zone**

**SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION**

	Field ID	Lab ID
SAMPLE NUMBER:	JWK 42	947 316
MTR CODE   SITE NAME:	94952	Earl B. Sullivan No. 2
SAMPLE DATE   TIME (Hrs):	08/23/95	14:15
PROJECT:	Phase II Drilling	
DATE OF TPH EXT.   ANAL.:	8/24/95	
DATE OF BTEX EXT.   ANAL.:	8/25/95	8/29/95
TYPE   DESCRIPTION:	V6	Light brown sand & sandstone

Field Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

**RESULTS**

PARAMETER	RESULT	UNITS	QUALIFIERS			
			DF	Q	M(g)	V(ml)
BENZENE	< .5	MG/KG				
TOLUENE	< .5	MG/KG				
ETHYL BENZENE	< .5	MG/KG				
TOTAL XYLENES	< 1.5	MG/KG				
TOTAL BTEX	< 3	MG/KG				
TPH (418.1)	102	MG/KG			2.02	28
HEADSPACE PID	0	PPM				
PERCENT SOLIDS	93.1	%				

-- TPH is by EPA Method 418.1 and BTEX is by EPA Method 8020 --

The Surrogate Recovery was at  
Narrative:

88 %

for this sample All QA/QC was acceptable.