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State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-144  
June 1, 2004

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

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.  
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

**Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure**

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☒ No ☐

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☐ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☒

Operator: Great Western Drilling Co. Telephone: 505-327-4892 e-mail address: paul@walsheng.net  
Address: 7415 E. Main St. Farmington, NM 87402  
Facility or well name: Nordhaus #8 API #: 30-039-27590 U/L or Qtr/Qtr J Sec 19 T 25N R7W  
County: Rio Arriba Latitude Longitude NAD: 1927 ☐ 1983 ☐ Surface Owner Federal ☒ State ☐ Private ☐ Indian ☐

**Pit**

Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐

Workover ☐ Emergency ☐

Lined ☒ Unlined ☐

Liner type: Synthetic ☒ Thickness 12 mil Clay ☐

Pit Volume 500 bbl

**Below-grade tank**

Volume: \_\_\_\_\_ bbl Type of fluid: \_\_\_\_\_

Construction material: \_\_\_\_\_

Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not. \_\_\_\_\_

Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)

Less than 50 feet	(20 points)
50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)
100 feet or more X	(0 points) 0

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 X	(0 points) 0

Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)

Less than 200 feet	(20 points)
200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)
1000 feet or more X	(0 points) 0

Ranking Score (Total Points) 0

**If this is a pit closure:** (1) attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location: (check the onsite box if you are burying in place) onsite ☒ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility \_\_\_\_\_. (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☒ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface \_\_\_\_\_ ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

Additional Comments:

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☒, a general permit ☐, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Date: 07/07/04

Printed Name/Title Paul C. Thompson, P.E.

Signature *Paul C. Thompson*

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Approval:

Printed Name/Title *Denny Fent* Signature \_\_\_\_\_

DEPUTY OIL & GAS INSPECTOR, DIST. 8

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## ANALYTICAL REPORT

Date: 21-Jul-04

**CLIENT:** Walsh Engineering & Production Corp.  
**Work Order:** 0406014  
**Project:** Landfarm and Reserve Pits  
**Lab ID:** 0406014-002A

**Client Sample Info:** Nordhaus Fed #8  
**Client Sample ID:** Reserve Pit  
**Collection Date:** 6/8/2004 4:30:00 PM  
**Matrix:** SOIL

Parameter	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
<b>DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS</b>		<b>SW8015B</b>				Analyst: JEM
T/R Hydrocarbons: C10-C28	29	50.0	J	mg/Kg	1	6/15/2004
<b>GASOLINE RANGE ORGANICS</b>		<b>SW8015B</b>				Analyst: JEM
T/R Hydrocarbons: C6-C10	2.7	4.50	J	mg/Kg	25	6/17/2004
<b>AROMATIC VOLATILES BY GC/PID</b>		<b>SW8021B</b>				Analyst: JEM
Benzene	ND	25		µg/Kg	25	6/19/2004
Ethylbenzene	110	25		µg/Kg	25	6/19/2004
m,p-Xylene	490	50		µg/Kg	25	6/19/2004
Methyl tert-Butyl Ether	ND	250		µg/Kg	25	6/19/2004
o-Xylene	140	25		µg/Kg	25	6/19/2004
Toluene	170	50		µg/Kg	25	6/19/2004
<b>TRACE METALS IN SOIL</b>		<b>SW6010B</b>				Analyst: DWC
Arsenic	0.7	2.3	J	mg/Kg	1	6/22/2004
Barium	81	0.87		mg/Kg	1	6/21/2004
Cadmium	ND	0.68		mg/Kg	1	6/21/2004
Chromium	11	1.2		mg/Kg	1	6/21/2004
Lead	7.4	1.6		mg/Kg	1	6/21/2004
Selenium	ND	2.1		mg/Kg	1	6/21/2004
Silver	ND	0.19		mg/Kg	1	6/21/2004
<b>MERCURY, TOTAL</b>		<b>SW7471</b>				Analyst: JEM
Mercury	0.013	0.018	J	mg/Kg	1	7/12/2004
<b>ANIONS BY ION CHROMATOGRAPHY</b>		<b>E300</b>				Analyst: JEM
Chloride	5410	10.1		ppm	100	6/14/2004

**Qualifiers:**

ND - Not Detected at the Practical Quantitation Limit

J - Analyte detected below Practical Quantitation Limit

B - Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank

H - Parameter exceeded Maximum Allowable Holding Time

S - Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits

R - RPD outside accepted precision limits

E - Value above Upper Quantitation Limit - UQL

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MAINTAINING HARMONY BETWEEN MAN AND HIS ENVIRONMENT

Report Number  
04-191-2109

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REPORT OF ANALYSIS

For: ( 6833) ON SITE TECHNOLOGIES LTD  
(505)325-5667

PO/Proj. #: ???  
SOIL ANALYSIS

Date Reported: 07/09/04  
Date Received: 07/02/04  
Date Sampled: 06/08/04

Lab number: 988679 Sample ID: 0406014-002A

NORDHAUS FED #8 RESERVE PIT

**Analysis**  
Sodium Adsorption Ratio  
Sodium (water soluble)  
Magnesium (water soluble)  
Calcium (water soluble)  
Conductivity

Level Found	Units	Detection Limit	Method	Analyst-Date
73.0	mg/L	1.0	CALCULATED	jpt-07/02
8,981	mg/L	1.0	SATURATED PASTE EXTRACT	jpt-07/09
1.0	mg/L	1.0	SATURATED PASTE EXTRACT	jpt-07/09
1,143	mg/L	1.0	SATURATED PASTE EXTRACT	jpt-07/09
36.9	mS/cm	0.01	SATURATED PASTE EXTRACT	dmg-07/09

Respectfully Submitted

Heather Rammig/Sue Ann Seitz/Rob Ferris  
Client Service

$$\begin{aligned} ESP &= \frac{100(-0.0126 + 0.0145(SAR))}{1 + (-0.0126 + 0.01475(SAR))} \\ ESP &= \frac{100(-0.0126 + 0.01475(73))}{1 + (-0.0126 + 0.01475(73))} \\ ESP &= \frac{106.4150}{2.0642} \\ ESP &= 51.5524 \end{aligned}$$

The above analytical results apply only to the sample(s) submitted.

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## CASE NARRATIVE

Samples were analyzed using the methods outlined in the following references:

Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, Physical/Chemical Methods, SW846, 3rd Edition.

All method blanks, laboratory spikes, and/or matrix spikes met quality assurance objectives.

Any quality control and/or data qualifiers associated with this laboratory order will be flagged in the analytical result page(s), the quality control summary report(s) or the sample receipt checklist. Prep Comments for HG\_SP, Sample 0406014-002A: The prep HoldTime was exceeded by 5.73 days. Prep Comments for HG\_SP, Sample 0406014-003A: The prep HoldTime was exceeded by 5.75 days.

0406014-003A

Conductivity: 66.66 mS/cm  
SAR: 421 Calculated  
ESP: 86.10 Calculated

*Noted time Feb #9*

0406014-002A

Conductivity: 36.9 mS/cm  
SAR: 73.0 Calculated  
ESP: 51.6 Calculated

*Noted time Feb #8*