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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources
Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144
Revised June 6, 2013

For temporary pits, below-grade tanks, and multi-well fluid management pits, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For permanent pits submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

PERMIT #13017
45-06187

Pit, Below-Grade Tank, or
Proposed Alternative Method Permit or Closure Plan Application

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- Type of action: ☐ Below grade tank registration
☐ Permit of a pit or proposed alternative method
☒ Closure of a pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
☐ Modification to an existing permit/or registration
☐ Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, below-grade tank or alternative request

Please be advised that approval of this request does not relieve the operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does approval relieve the operator of its responsibility to comply with any other applicable governmental authority's rules, regulations or ordinances.

1.
Operator: Burlington Resources OGRID #: 14538
Address: PO BOX 4289, Farmington, NM 87499
Facility or well name: HUERFANO UNIT #15
API Number: 30-045-06187 OCD Permit Number: _____
U/L or Qtr/Qtr ULA (NENE) Section 32 Township 27N Range 10W County: SAN JUAN
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 36.53699 °N Longitude -107.91222 °W NAD: ☐ 1927 ☒ 1983
Surface Owner: ☐ Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☐ Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

2.
☐ **Pit:** Subsection F, G or J of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Temporary: ☐ Drilling ☐ Workover
☐ Permanent ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A ☐ Multi-Well Fluid Management Low Chloride Drilling Fluid ☐ yes ☐ no
☐ Lined ☐ Unlined Liner type: Thickness _____ mil ☒ LLDPE ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other _____
☐ String-Reinforced
Liner Seams: ☐ Welded ☐ Factory ☐ Other _____ Volume: _____ bbl Dimensions: L _____ x W _____ x D _____

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ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

3.
☒ **Below-grade tank:** Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Volume: 120 bbl Type of fluid: Produced Water
Tank Construction material: Metal
☐ Secondary containment with leak detection ☒ Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off
☐ Visible sidewalls and liner ☐ Visible sidewalls only ☐ Other _____
Liner type: Thickness 45 mil ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☒ Other LLDPE

4.
☐ **Alternative Method:**
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

5.
Fencing: Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pits, temporary pits, and below-grade tanks)
☐ Chain link, six feet in height, two strands of barbed wire at top (Required if located within 1000 feet of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church)
☐ Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet
☐ Alternate. Please specify _____

6.
Netting: Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (*Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks*)

- ☐ Screen ☐ Netting ☐ Other _____
☐ Monthly inspections (If netting or screening is not physically feasible)

7.
Signs: Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC

- ☐ 12"x 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers
☐ Signed in compliance with 19.15.16.8 NMAC

8.
Variances and Exceptions:

Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for guidance.

Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank:

- ☐ Variance(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district for consideration of approval.
☐ Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

9.
Siting Criteria (regarding permitting): 19.15.17.10 NMAC

Instructions: The applicant must demonstrate compliance for each siting criteria below in the application. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks.

General siting

Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of a low chloride temporary pit or below-grade tank.

- ☐ NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; ☐ USGS; ☐ Data obtained from nearby wells

☐ Yes ☐ No
☒ NA

Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of a Temporary pit, permanent pit, or Multi-Well Fluid Management pit.

NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells

☐ Yes ☐ No
☒ NA

Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within an unstable area. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within a 100-year floodplain. (**Does not apply to below grade tanks**)

- FEMA map

☐ Yes ☐ No

Below Grade Tanks

Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, significant watercourse, lake bed, sinkhole, wetland or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for public or livestock consumption;

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☒ No

Temporary Pit using Low Chloride Drilling Fluid (maximum chloride content 15,000 mg/liter)

Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). (Applies to low chloride temporary pits.)

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 300 feet from a occupied permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, or 300feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of the initial application.

NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☐ No

<p>Within 100 feet of a wetland.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p><u>Temporary Pit Non-low chloride drilling fluid</u></p>	
<p>Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or any other significant watercourse, or within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, or 1000 feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in the existence at the time of the initial application;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 300 feet of a wetland.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p><u>Permanent Pit or Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit</u></p>	
<p>Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>Within 500 feet of a wetland.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

10.

Temporary Pits, Emergency Pits, and Below-grade Tanks Permit Application Attachment Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

☐ Hydrogeologic Report (Below-grade Tanks) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
☐ Hydrogeologic Data (Temporary and Emergency Pits) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (2) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
☐ Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
☐ Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API Number: _____ or Permit Number: _____

11.

Multi-Well Fluid Management Pit Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

☐ Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
☐ A List of wells with approved application for permit to drill associated with the pit.
☐ Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☐ Hydrogeologic Data - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC

☐ Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API Number: _____ or Permit Number: _____

12.

Permanent Pits Permit Application Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☐ Hydrogeologic Report - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (1) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
☐ Climatological Factors Assessment
☐ Certified Engineering Design Plans - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Dike Protection and Structural Integrity Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Leak Detection Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Liner Specifications and Compatibility Assessment - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Quality Control/Quality Assurance Construction and Installation Plan
☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
☐ Freeboard and Overtopping Prevention Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
☐ Nuisance or Hazardous Odors, including H₂S, Prevention Plan
☐ Emergency Response Plan
☐ Oil Field Waste Stream Characterization
☐ Monitoring and Inspection Plan
☐ Erosion Control Plan
☐ Closure Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

13.

Proposed Closure: 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Instructions: Please complete the applicable boxes, Boxes 14 through 18, in regards to the proposed closure plan.

Type: ☐ Drilling ☐ Workover ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A ☐ Permanent Pit ☐ Below-grade Tank ☐ Multi-well Fluid Management Pit
☐ Alternative

Proposed Closure Method: ☒ Waste Excavation and Removal
☐ Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)
☐ On-site Closure Method (Only for temporary pits and closed-loop systems)
☐ In-place Burial ☐ On-site Trench Burial
☐ Alternative Closure Method

14.

Waste Excavation and Removal Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) **Instructions:** Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☒ Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☒ Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☒ Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings)
☒ Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☒ Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☒ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

15.

Siting Criteria (regarding on-site closure methods only): 19.15.17.10 NMAC

Instructions: Each siting criteria requires a demonstration of compliance in the closure plan. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria require justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.

Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Ground water is between 25-50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Ground water is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA
Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring used for domestic or stock watering purposes, in existence at the time of initial application. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 300 feet of a wetland. US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance	

adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended.

- Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within the area overlying a subsurface mine.

- Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within an unstable area.

- Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map

☐ Yes ☐ No

Within a 100-year floodplain.

- FEMA map

☐ Yes ☐ No

16.

On-Site Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- ☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- ☐ Proof of Surface Owner Notice - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection K of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Construction/Design Plan of Temporary Pit (for in-place burial of a drying pad) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings or in case on-site closure standards cannot be achieved)
- ☐ Soil Cover Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

17.

Operator Application Certification:

I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name (Print): _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

e-mail address: _____ Telephone: _____

18.

OCD Approval: ☐ Permit Application (including closure plan) ☐ Closure Plan (only) ☐ OCD Conditions (see attachment)

OCD Representative Signature: DUPLICATE **Approval Date:** _____

Title: _____ **OCD Permit Number:** _____

19.

Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion): 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Instructions: Operators are required to obtain an approved closure plan prior to implementing any closure activities and submitting the closure report. The closure report is required to be submitted to the division within 60 days of the completion of the closure activities. Please do not complete this section of the form until an approved closure plan has been obtained and the closure activities have been completed.

☒ **Closure Completion Date:** March 20, 2012

20.

Closure Method:

- ☒ Waste Excavation and Removal ☐ On-Site Closure Method ☐ Alternative Closure Method ☐ Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)
- ☐ If different from approved plan, please explain.

21.

Closure Report Attachment Checklist: *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure report. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- ☒ Proof of Closure Notice (surface owner and division)
- ☐ Proof of Deed Notice (required for on-site closure for private land only)
- ☐ Plot Plan (for on-site closures and temporary pits)
- ☒ Confirmation Sampling Analytical Results (if applicable)
- ☐ Waste Material Sampling Analytical Results (required for on-site closure)
- ☐ Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number
- ☒ Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
- ☒ Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique
- ☒ Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)

On-site Closure Location: Latitude _____ °N _____ Longitude _____ °W NAD: ☐ 1927 ☐ 1983

Operator Closure Certification:

I hereby certify that the information and attachments submitted with this closure report is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that the closure complies with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.

Name (Print): Denise Journey Title: Staff Regulatory Technician

Signature:  Date: _____

e-mail address: Denise.Journey@conocophillips.com Telephone: (505) 326-9556

Burlington Resources Oil Gas Company, LP
San Juan Basin
Below Grade Tank Closure Report

Lease Name: HUERFANO UNIT #15
API No.: 30-045-06187

In accordance with Rule 19.15.17.13 NMAC the following information describes the closure of the below-grade tank referenced above. All proper documentation regarding closure activities is being included with the C-144.

General Plan:

1. BR shall close a below-grade tank within 60 days of cessation of operations per Subsection G.4 of 19.15.17.13 NMAC. This will include a) below-grade tanks that do not meet the requirements of Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC or is not included in Paragraph (5) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC within five years, if not retrofitted to comply with Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC; b) an earlier date that the division requires because of imminent danger to fresh water, public health or the environment. For any closure, BR will file the C144 Closure Report as required.
2. **The below-grade tank referenced above was permitted and closed within 60 days of cessation of the below-grade tanks operation.**
3. BR shall remove liquids and sludge from a below-grade tank prior to implementing a closure method and shall dispose of the liquids and sludge in a division-approved facility. The facilities to be used will be Basin Disposal (Permit #NM-01-005), JFJ Landfarm % Industrial Ecosystem Inc. (Permit # NM-01-0010B) and Envirotech Land Farm (Permit #NM-01-011). The liner after being cleaned well (Subsection D, Paragraph 1, Subparagraph (m) of 19.15.9.712 NMAC) will be disposed of at the San Juan County Regional Landfill located on CR 3100.

All recovered liquids were disposed of at Basin Disposal (Permit #NM-01-005) and any sludge or soil required to be removed to facilitate closure was hauled to Envirotech Land Farm (Permit #NM-01-011) and JFJ Landfarm % IEI (Permit #NM-01-0010B). The liner was cleaned per Subsection D, Paragraph 1, Subparagraph (m) of 19.15.9.712 NMAC was disposed of at the San Juan County Regional Landfill located on CR 3100.

4. BR Will receive prior approval to remove the below-grade tank and dispose of it in a division-approved facility or recycle, reuse, or reclaim it in a manner that the appropriate division district office approves.

The below-grade tank was disposed of in a division-approved manner.

5. If there is any on-site equipment associated with a below-grade tank, then BR shall remove the equipment, unless the equipment is required for some other purpose.

All on-site equipment associated with the below-grade tank was removed.

6. BR will test the soils beneath the below-grade tank to determine whether a release has occurred. COPC shall collect, at a minimum, a five point, composite sample; collect individual grab samples from any area that is wet, discolored or showing other evidence of a release; and analyzed for the constituents listed in Table I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC. COPC shall notify the division of its results on form C-141.

7. A five point composite sample was taken of the below-grade tank using sampling tools and all samples tested per Subsection B of 19.15.17.13 (B)(1)(b). (Sample results attached).

Components	Tests Method	Limit (mg/kg)
Benzene	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	0.2
BTEX	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	50
TPH	EPA SW-846 418.1	100
Chlorides	EPA 300.1	250

8. If BR or the division determines that a release has occurred, then BR shall comply with 19.15.3.116 NMAC and 19.15.1.19 NMAC, as appropriate.

A release was not determined for the above referenced well.

9. If the sampling program demonstrates that a release has not occurred or that any release does not exceed the concentrations specified in Table I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, then BR shall backfill the excavation with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material; construct a division-prescribed soil cover; recontour and re-vegetate the site.

The below-grade tank area passed all requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC and was backfilled with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material.

10. Notice of Closure will be given prior to closure to the Aztec Division office between 72 hours and one week via email or verbally. The notification of closure will include the following:
- Operator's name
 - Location by Unit Letter, Section, Township, and Range. Well name and API number.

Notification is missing due to employee turnovers. ConocoPhillips has reviewed our internal processes and has updated them to include the required 72 hour notification.

11. The surface owner shall be notified of BR's closing of the below-grade tank 72 hours, but not more than one week, prior to closure as per the approved closure plan via certified mail, return receipt requested.

The closure process notification to the landowner not found. COPC was not aware that the original notification sent at the time of Permitting was not the only closure notification required.

ConocoPhillips has reviewed our internal processes and has updated them to include the required 72 hour notification.

12. Re-contouring of location will match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding. Re-shaping will include drainage control, prevent ponding, and prevent erosion. Natural drainages will be unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps will be place in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final re-contour shall have a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.

The below-grade tank area was re-contoured to match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding area. Re-shaping, including drainage control, to prevent ponding and erosion. Natural drainages were unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps were placed in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final recontour has a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.

13. BR Shall seed the disturbed areas the first favorable growing season following closure of a below-grade tank. Seeding will be accomplished via drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other division-approved

methods. BLM stipulated seed mixes will be used on federally regulated lands and division-approved seed mixtures (administratively approved if required) will be utilized on all State or private lands. A uniform vegetative cover has been established that reflects a life-form ratio of plus or minus fifty percent (50%) of pre-disturbance levels and a total percent plant cover of at least seventy percent (70%) of pre-disturbance levels, excluding noxious weeds. If an alternate seed mix is required by the state, private owner or tribe, it will be implemented with administrative approval if needed. COPC will repeat seeding or planting will be continued until successful vegetative growth occurs.

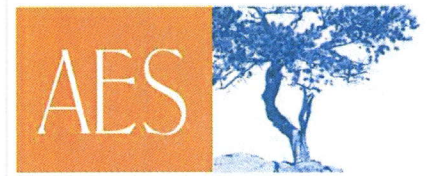
Provision 13 was accomplished through complying with BLM seeding requirements as allowed by the BLM/OCD MOU.

14. A minimum of four feet of cover shall be achieved and the cover shall include one foot of suitable material, with chloride concentrations less than 600 mg/kg as analyzed by EPA Method 300.0, to establish vegetation at the site, or the background thickness of topsoil, whichever is greater.

The below-grade tank area was backfilled and more than four feet of cover was achieved and the cover included one foot of suitable material to establish vegetation at the site.

15. All closure activities will include proper documentation and be available for review upon request and will be submitted to OCD within 60 days of closure of the below-grade tank. Closure report will be filed on C-144 and incorporate the following:
 - Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation **(See Report)**
 - Re-vegetation application rates and seeding techniques **(See Report)**
 - Photo documentation of the site reclamation **(Included as an attachment)**
 - Confirmation Sampling Results **(Included as an attachment)**
 - Proof of closure notice **(Included as an attachment)**

Closure Documentation was not submitted within the 60 day requirement due to employee turnovers. ConocoPhillips has reviewed our internal processes and has updated them to ensure closure documentation is submitted within the 60 day time frame.



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April 10, 2012

Ashley Maxwell
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**RE: Huerfano #15 Below Grade Tank Closure and Release Report
San Juan County, New Mexico**

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Animas Environmental Services, LLC (AES) is pleased to provide the final report associated with the below grade tank (BGT) closure and release confirmation at ConocoPhillips (CoP) Huerfano #15, located in San Juan County, New Mexico. Tank removal was completed by CoP contractors while AES was on site.

1.0 Site Information

1.1 Location

Site Name – Huerfano #15

Legal Description - NE¼ NE¼, Section 32, T27N, R10W, San Juan County, New Mexico

Well Latitude/Longitude – N36.53686 and W107.91233, respectively

BGT Latitude/Longitude - N36.53699 and W107.91222, respectively

Land Jurisdiction – New Mexico State Land

Figure 1 - Topographic Site Location Map

Figure 2 - General Site Map, March 2012

1.2 NMOCD Ranking

Prior to site work, the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) database was reviewed, and no prior ranking information was located. Additionally, the New Mexico Office of the State Engineer (NMOSE) database was reviewed, and no registered water wells are located within 1,000 feet of the location. Once on site, AES personnel further assessed the ranking using topographical interpretation, Global Positioning System (GPS) elevation readings, and visual reconnaissance. AES personnel concluded that depth to groundwater at the site was greater than 100 feet below ground surface (bgs), the location is not within a well-head protection area, and the distance to the

nearest surface water was greater than 1,000 feet. The site was assessed a NMOCD ranking of zero.

1.3 BGT Closure Assessment

AES was initially contacted by Bruce Yazzie, CoP representative, on March 20, 2012, and on the same day Corwin Lameman and Tami Ross of AES met Bruce Yazzie at the location.

AES personnel collected six soil samples from the below the BGT liner. Four samples were collected from the perimeter of the BGT footprint, one sample was collected from the center of the BGT footprint, and one sample was composited from the four perimeter samples and one center sample.

2.0 Soil Sampling

On March 20, 2012, AES personnel conducted field screening and collected five soil samples (S-1 through S-5) and one 5 point composite (SC-1) from below the BGT. Soil samples S-1 through S-5 were collected from approximately 6 inches below the former BGT for field screening of volatile organic compounds (VOCs), total petroleum hydrocarbon (TPH), and chlorides. Soil sample SC-1 was submitted for confirmation laboratory analysis. Soil sample locations are included on Figure 2.

2.1 Soil Field Screening

2.1.1 Volatile Organic Compounds

A portion of each sample was utilized for field screening of VOC vapors with a photo-ionization detector (PID) organic vapor meter (OVM). Before beginning field screening, the PID-OVM was first calibrated with 100 parts per million (ppm) isobutylene gas.

2.1.2 Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons

Soil samples were also analyzed in the field for TPH per USEPA Method 418.1 using a Buck Scientific Model HC-404 Total Hydrocarbon Analyzer Infrared Spectrometer (Buck). A 3-point calibration was completed prior to conducting soil analyses. Field analytical protocol followed AES's *Standard Operating Procedure: Field Analysis Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons per EPA Method 418.1*.

2.1.3 Chlorides

Soil samples were field screened for chlorides using Chloride Drop Count Titration with silver nitrate. Sampling and analysis methods followed procedures provided by Hach Company.

2.2 Soil Laboratory Analyses

The composite soil sample SC-1 collected for laboratory analysis was placed into new, clean, laboratory-supplied containers, which were then labeled, placed on ice, and logged onto a sample chain of custody record. Samples were maintained on ice until delivery to the analytical laboratory, Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory (Hall), in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Soil sample SC-1 was laboratory analyzed for:

- Benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylene (BTEX) per U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Method 8021B;
- Total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) for gasoline range organics (GRO) and diesel range organics (DRO) per USEPA Method 8015B;
- Chloride per USEPA Method 300.0

2.3 Soil Field and Laboratory Analytical Results

Field screening for VOCs via OVM showed readings ranging from 6.8 ppm in S-1 up to 256 ppm in S-2. Field TPH concentrations ranged from 109 mg/kg in S-1 up to 7,420 mg/kg in S-2. Field chlorides were between 40 and 100 mg/kg. Field screening results are summarized in Table 1 and presented on Figure 2. The AES Field Screening Report is attached.

Table 1. Soil Field Screening VOCs, TPH, and Chloride Results
Huerfano #15 BGT Closure, March 2012

<i>Sample ID</i>	<i>Date Sampled</i>	<i>Depth below BGT (ft)</i>	<i>VOCs OVM Reading (ppm)</i>	<i>Field TPH (mg/kg)</i>	<i>Field Chlorides (mg/kg)</i>
NMOCD Action Level (NMAC 19.15.17.13E)			--	100	250
S-1	03/20/12	0.5	6.8	109	80
S-2	03/20/12	0.5	256	7,420	80
S-3	03/20/12	0.5	125	365	40
S-4	03/20/12	0.5	8.6	133	40
S-5	03/20/12	0.5	172	7,090	100

Laboratory analytical results showed that the benzene and total BTEX concentrations in SC-1 were below laboratory detection limits of 0.10 mg/kg and 0.50 mg/kg, respectively. TPH concentrations were reported below laboratory detection limits of 10 mg/kg GRO, and concentrations of DRO were reported at 680 mg/kg. The laboratory chloride concentration was reported at 230 mg/kg. Laboratory analytical results are summarized in Table 2 and included on Figure 2. Laboratory analytical reports are attached.

Table 2. Soil Laboratory Analytical Results, Huerfano #15 BGT Closure, March 2012

<i>Sample ID</i>	<i>Date Sampled</i>	<i>Depth (ft)</i>	<i>Benzene (mg/kg)</i>	<i>BTEX (mg/kg)</i>	<i>TPH- GRO (mg/kg)</i>	<i>TPH- DRO (mg/kg)</i>	<i>Chlorides (mg/kg)</i>
NMOCD Action Level (NMAC 19.15.17.13E)			0.2	50	100/5,000*	250	
SC-1	03/20/12	0.5	<0.10	<0.50	<10	680	230

*Action level determined by the NMOCD ranking score per *NMOCD Guidelines for Leaks, Spills, and Releases* (August 1993)

3.0 Conclusions

3.1 BGT Closure

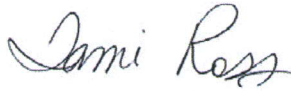
NMOCD action levels for BGT closures are specified in New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) 19.15.17.13E. Benzene concentrations in SC-1 were below the laboratory detection limit of 0.10 mg/kg, and total BTEX concentrations were below the NMOCD action level of 50 mg/kg in SC-1 (<0.50 mg/kg). Field TPH concentrations exceeded the NMOCD action level of 100 mg/kg in all of the samples, S-1 through S-5. TPH as GRO/DRO exceeded the NMOCD threshold of 100 mg/kg with 680 mg/kg. Chloride concentrations for all samples were below the NMOCD action level of 250 mg/kg. Based on field screening and laboratory analytical results for benzene, BTEX, TPH, and chlorides, a release was confirmed at the Huerfano #15 BGT location.

3.2 Release Confirmation

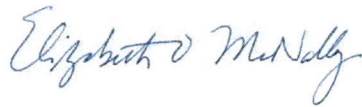
NMOCD action levels for releases are specified NMOCD's *Guidelines for Leaks, Spills, and Releases* (August 1993). Soil laboratory analyses showed that benzene, BTEX, and chloride concentrations were below the NMOCD action levels for SC-1. The TPH concentrations as GRO and DRO were below the NMOCD action level of 5,000 mg/kg in SC-1 with 680 mg/kg. No further work is recommended at the Huerfano #15 release location.

If you have any questions about this report or site conditions, please do not hesitate to contact me or Elizabeth McNally at (505) 564-2281.

Sincerely,



Tami C. Ross, CHMM
Project Manager

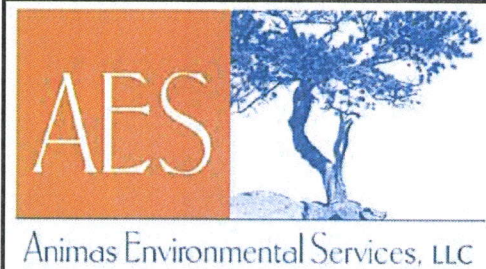
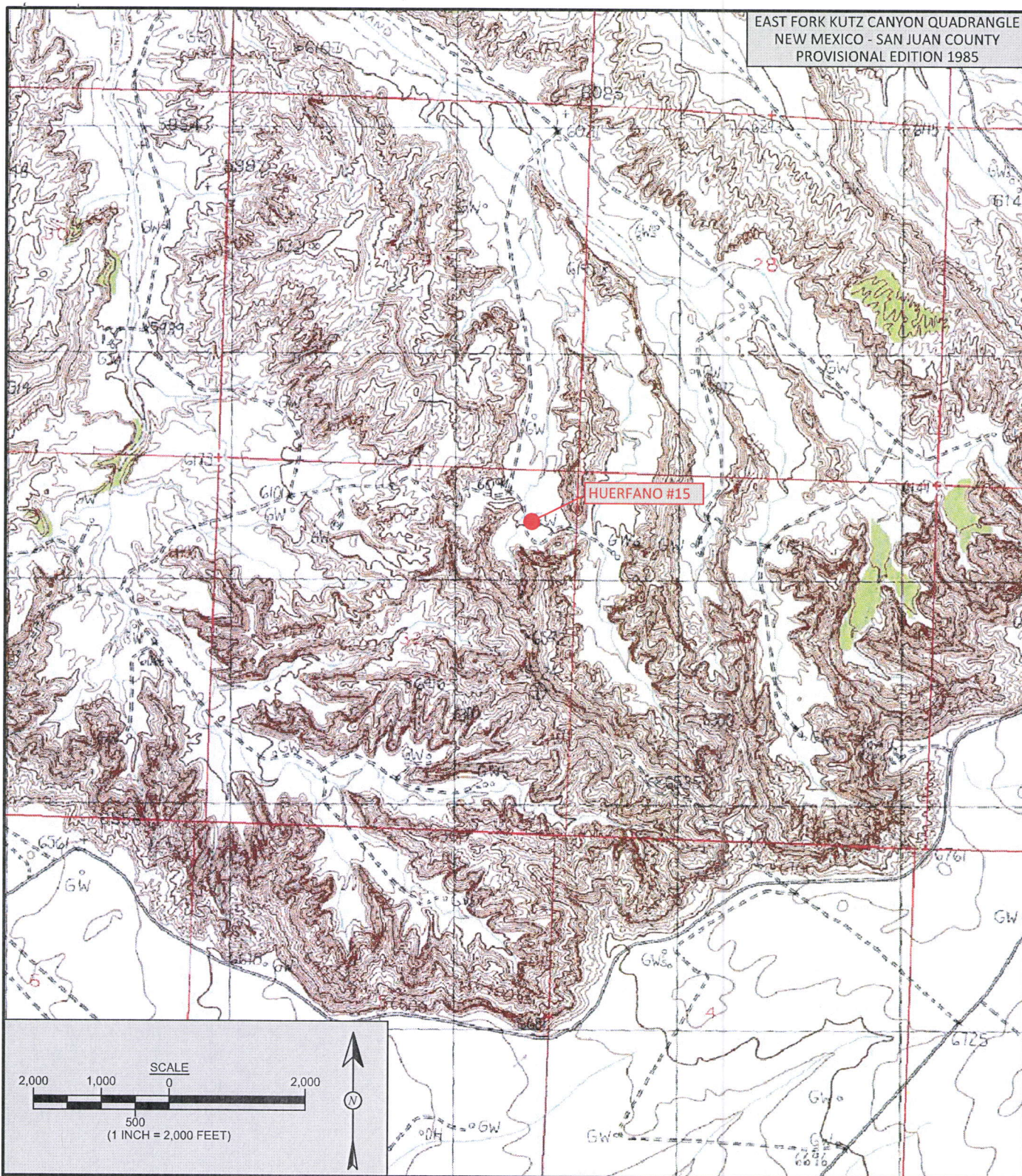


Elizabeth McNally, P.E.

Attachments:

- Figure 1. Topographic Site Location Map
- Figure 2. General Site Map, March 2012
- AES Field Screening Report 032012
- Hall Analytical Report 1203749

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FIGURE 1

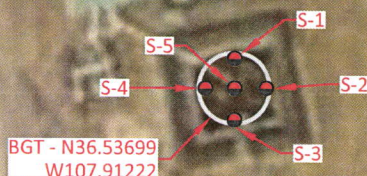
TOPOGRAPHIC SITE LOCATION MAP
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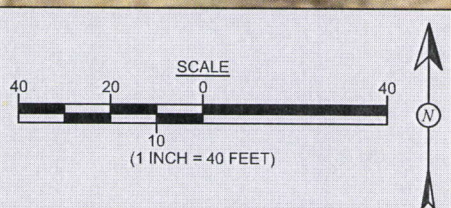
● SAMPLE LOCATIONS

FIELD SCREENING RESULTS				
SAMPLE ID	DATE	OVM-PID (ppm)	TPH (mg/kg)	CHLORIDES (mg/kg)
NMOCD ACTION LEVEL		NE	100	250
S-1	3/20/12	6.8	109	80
S-2	3/20/12	256	7,420	80
S-3	3/20/12	125	365	40
S-4	3/20/12	8.6	133	40
S-5	3/20/12	172	7,090	100

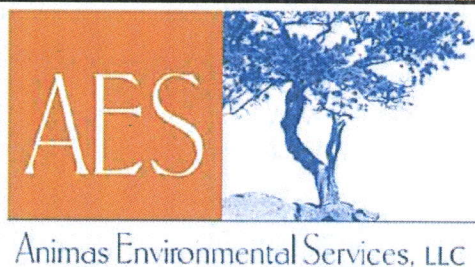
LABORATORY ANALYTICAL RESULTS						
SAMPLE ID	DATE	BENZENE (mg/kg)	TOTAL BTEX (mg/kg)	TPH - GRO (mg/kg)	TPH - DRO (mg/kg)	CHLORIDES (mg/kg)
NMOCD ACTION LEVEL		0.2	50	100		250
SC-1	3/20/12	<0.10	<0.50	<10	680	230
NOTE: ALL SAMPLES WERE ANALYZED PER EPA METHOD 8021B, 8015B AND 300.0. SC-1 IS A 5 POINT COMPOSITE SAMPLE OF S-1 THROUGH S-5.						



HUERFANO #15 WELLHEAD



MAP SOURCE: (c) 2012 PICTOMETRY INTERNATIONAL CORP., ONLINE, AERIAL TAKEN: FEBRUARY 22, 2009



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FIGURE 2
GENERAL SITE MAP
BELOW GRADE TANK CLOSURE
MARCH 2012
ConocoPhillips
HUERFANO #15
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AES Field Screening Report



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Client: ConocoPhillips

Project Location: Huerfano #15

Date: 3/20/2012

Matrix: Soil

Sample ID	Collection Date	Collection Time	OVM (ppm)	Chloride mg/kg	Time of Sample Analysis	Field TPH* (mg/kg)	TPH PQL (mg/kg)	DF	TPH Analysts Initials
S-1	3/20/2012	13:10	6.8	80	13:49	109	20.0	1	TCR
S-2	3/20/2012	13:11	256	80	14:00	7,420	200	10	TCR
S-3	3/20/2012	13:12	125	40	14:07	365	20.0	1	TCR
S-4	3/20/2012	13:13	8.6	40	14:11	133	20.0	1	TCR
S-5	3/20/2012	13:14	172	100	14:20	7,090	200	10	TCR
SC-1	3/20/2012	13:17	NA-Sample submitted for laboratory analysis						

Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons - USEPA 418.1

PQL Practical Quantitation Limit

ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

DF Dilution Factor

NA Not Analyzed

Analyst:

Jami Ross



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March 26, 2012

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RE: Huerfano #15

OrderNo.: 1203749

Dear Ross Kennemer:

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory received 1 sample(s) on 3/21/2012 for the analyses presented in the following report.

These were analyzed according to EPA procedures or equivalent. To access our accredited tests please go to www.hallenvironmental.com or the state specific web sites. See the sample checklist and/or the Chain of Custody for information regarding the sample receipt temperature and preservation. Data qualifiers or a narrative will be provided if the sample analysis or analytical quality control parameters require a flag. All samples are reported as received unless otherwise indicated.

Please don't hesitate to contact HEAL for any additional information or clarifications.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andy Freeman", is written over a horizontal line.

Andy Freeman

Laboratory Manager

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Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

Analytical Report

Lab Order 1203749

Date Reported: 3/26/2012

CLIENT: Animas Environmental Services

Client Sample ID: SC-1

Project: Huerfano #15

Collection Date: 3/20/2012 1:17:00 PM

Lab ID: 1203749-001

Matrix: MEOH (SOIL)

Received Date: 3/21/2012 9:59:00 AM

Analyses	Result	RL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
EPA METHOD 8015B: DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS						Analyst: JMP
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	680	10		mg/Kg	1	3/21/2012 10:56:05 AM
Surr: DNOP	110	77.4-131		%REC	1	3/21/2012 10:56:05 AM
EPA METHOD 8015B: GASOLINE RANGE						Analyst: NSB
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	ND	10		mg/Kg	2	3/21/2012 11:52:02 AM
Surr: BFB	93.5	69.7-121		%REC	2	3/21/2012 11:52:02 AM
EPA METHOD 8021B: VOLATILES						Analyst: NSB
Benzene	ND	0.10		mg/Kg	2	3/21/2012 11:52:02 AM
Toluene	ND	0.10		mg/Kg	2	3/21/2012 11:52:02 AM
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.10		mg/Kg	2	3/21/2012 11:52:02 AM
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.20		mg/Kg	2	3/21/2012 11:52:02 AM
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	97.3	80-120		%REC	2	3/21/2012 11:52:02 AM
EPA METHOD 300.0: ANIONS						Analyst: BRM
Chloride	230	30		mg/Kg	20	3/21/2012 1:42:18 PM

Qualifiers: */X Value exceeds Maximum Contaminant Level.
 E Value above quantitation range
 J Analyte detected below quantitation limits
 R RPD outside accepted recovery limits
 S Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits

B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
H Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
RL Reporting Detection Limit

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1203749

26-Mar-12

Client: Animas Environmental Services

Project: Huerfano #15

Sample ID	MB-1175		SampType:	MBLK		TestCode:	EPA Method 300.0: Anions			
Client ID:	PBS		Batch ID:	1175		RunNo:	1595			
Prep Date:	3/21/2012		Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	44769		Units: mg/Kg	
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	ND	1.5								

Sample ID	LCS-1175		SampType:	LCS		TestCode:	EPA Method 300.0: Anions			
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID:	1175		RunNo:	1595			
Prep Date:	3/21/2012		Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	44770		Units: mg/Kg	
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Chloride	14	1.5	15.00	0	90.9	90	110			

Qualifiers:

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R RPD outside accepted recovery limits

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RL Reporting Detection Limit

QC SUMMARY REPORT

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Client: Animas Environmental Services

Project: Huerfano #15

Sample ID	LCS-1169		SampType:	LCS		TestCode:	EPA Method 8015B: Diesel Range Organics				
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID:	1169		RunNo:	1561				
Prep Date:	3/21/2012		Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	44685		Units: mg/Kg		
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	44	10	50.00	0	87.1	62.7	139				
Surr: DNOP	4.8		5.000		96.6	77.4	131				

Sample ID	1203662-013AMS		SampType: MS		TestCode: EPA Method 8015B: Diesel Range Organics					
Client ID:	BatchQC		Batch ID: 1169		RunNo: 1608					
Prep Date:	3/21/2012		Analysis Date: 3/22/2012		SeqNo: 45648		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	34	10	50.10	0	68.3	57.2	146			
Surr: DNOP	5.1		5.010		101	77.4	131			

Sample ID	1203662-013AMSD		SampType:	MSD		TestCode:	EPA Method 8015B: Diesel Range Organics				
Client ID:	BatchQC		Batch ID:	1169		RunNo:	1608				
Prep Date:	3/21/2012		Analysis Date:	3/22/2012		SeqNo:	45649		Units: mg/Kg		
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	36	10	50.81	0	70.1	57.2	146	3.96	26.7		
Surr: DNOP	4.8		5.081		94.6	77.4	131	0	0		

Qualifiers:

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J Analyte detected below quantitation limits

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ND Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

RL Reporting Detection Limit

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WO#: 1203749

26-Mar-12

Client: Animas Environmental Services

Project: Huerfano #15

Sample ID	B 32		SampType:	MBLK		TestCode:	EPA Method 8015B: Gasoline Range				
Client ID:	PBS		Batch ID:	R1589		RunNo:	1589				
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	45224		Units: mg/Kg		
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	ND	5.0									
Surr: BFB	950		1,000		95.1	69.7	121				

Sample ID	2.5UG GRO LCS		SampType: LCS		TestCode: EPA Method 8015B: Gasoline Range					
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID: R1589		RunNo: 1589					
Prep Date:			Analysis Date: 3/21/2012		SeqNo: 45225		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	27	5.0	25.00	0	109	98.5	133			
Surr: BFB	1,000		1,000		101	69.7	121			

Sample ID	1203689-001A MS		SampType:	MS		TestCode:	EPA Method 8015B: Gasoline Range				
Client ID:	BatchQC		Batch ID:	R1589		RunNo:	1589				
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	45232		Units: mg/Kg		
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	28	5.0	25.00	0	112	85.4	147				
Surr: BFB	1,000		1,000		101	69.7	121				

Sample ID	1203689-001A MSD			SampType:	MSD		TestCode:	EPA Method 8015B: Gasoline Range			
Client ID:	BatchQC		Batch ID:	R1589		RunNo:	1589				
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	45234		Units: mg/Kg		
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	26	5.0	25.00	0	104	85.4	147	7.40	19.2		
Surr: BFB	1,000		1,000		101	69.7	121	0	0		

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QC SUMMARY REPORT

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WO#: 1203749

26-Mar-12

Client: Animas Environmental Services

Project: Huerfano #15

Sample ID	B 32	SampType: MBLK			TestCode: EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles					
Client ID:	PBS	Batch ID: R1589			RunNo: 1589					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date: 3/21/2012			SeqNo: 45253		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	ND	0.050								
Toluene	ND	0.050								
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050								
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.10								
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.99		1.000		98.7	80	120			

Sample ID	1203749-001A MS		SampType:	MS		TestCode:	EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles				
Client ID:	SC-1		Batch ID:	R1589		RunNo:	1589				
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	45256		Units:		mg/Kg
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Benzene	2.0	0.10	2.000	0	97.6	67.2	113				
Toluene	2.0	0.10	2.000	0	99.4	62.1	116				
Ethylbenzene	2.0	0.10	2.000	0	99.0	67.9	127				
Xylenes, Total	6.0	0.20	6.000	0	99.8	60.6	134				
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	2.0		2.000		101	80	120				

Sample ID	1203749-001A MSD		SampType:	MSD		TestCode:	EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles				
Client ID:	SC-1		Batch ID:	R1589		RunNo:	1589				
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	45258		Units:	mg/Kg	
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Benzene	1.8	0.10	2.000	0	89.8	67.2	113	8.34	14.3		
Toluene	1.8	0.10	2.000	0	91.5	62.1	116	8.30	15.9		
Ethylbenzene	1.8	0.10	2.000	0	91.9	67.9	127	7.35	14.4		
Xylenes, Total	5.6	0.20	6.000	0	92.7	60.6	134	7.40	12.6		
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	2.0		2.000		102	80	120	0	0		

Sample ID	100NG BTEX LCS	SampType:	LCS	TestCode:	EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles					
Client ID:	LCSS	Batch ID:	R1589	RunNo:	1589					
Prep Date:		Analysis Date:	3/21/2012	SeqNo:	45282	Units:	mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	0.97	0.050	1.000	0	97.2	83.3	107			
Toluene	0.99	0.050	1.000	0	99.2	74.3	115			
Ethylbenzene	0.99	0.050	1.000	0	99.2	80.9	122			
Xylenes, Total	3.0	0.10	3.000	0	100	85.2	123			
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	1.0		1.000		100	80	120			

Qualifiers:

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Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory
4901 Hawkins NE
Albuquerque, NM 87106
TEL: 505-345-3975 FAX: 505-345-4107
Website: www.hallenvironmental.com

Sample Log-In Check List

Client Name: Animas Environmental

Work Order Number: 1203749

Received by/date:

AC

03/21/12

Logged By: Lindsay Mangin

3/21/2012 9:59:00 AM

Completed By: Lindsay Mangin

3/21/2012 10:04:22 AM

Reviewed By:

[Signature]

03/21/12

Chain of Custody

- | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|----|---------------|
| 1. Were seals intact? | Yes | No | Not Present ✓ |
| 2. Is Chain of Custody complete? | Yes ✓ | No | Not Present |
| 3. How was the sample delivered? | Courier | | |

Log In

- | | | | |
|---|-------|------|--|
| 4. Coolers are present? (see 19. for cooler specific information) | Yes ✓ | No | NA |
| 5. Was an attempt made to cool the samples? | Yes ✓ | No | NA |
| 6. Were all samples received at a temperature of >0° C to 6.0°C | Yes ✓ | No | NA |
| 7. Sample(s) in proper container(s)? | Yes ✓ | No | |
| 8. Sufficient sample volume for indicated test(s)? | Yes ✓ | No | |
| 9. Are samples (except VOA and ONG) properly preserved? | Yes ✓ | No | |
| 10. Was preservative added to bottles? | Yes | No ✓ | NA |
| 11. VOA vials have zero headspace? | Yes | No | No VOA Vials ✓ |
| 12. Were any sample containers received broken? | Yes | No ✓ | |
| 13. Does paperwork match bottle labels?
(Note discrepancies on chain of custody) | Yes ✓ | No | # of preserved bottles checked for pH: |
| 14. Are matrices correctly identified on Chain of Custody? | Yes ✓ | No | (<2 or >12 unless noted) |
| 15. Is it clear what analyses were requested? | Yes ✓ | No | Adjusted? |
| 16. Were all holding times able to be met?
(If no, notify customer for authorization.) | Yes ✓ | No | Checked by: |

Special Handling (if applicable)

- | | | | |
|---|-----|----|------|
| 17. Was client notified of all discrepancies with this order? | Yes | No | NA ✓ |
|---|-----|----|------|

Person Notified:

Date:

By Whom:

Via:

eMail

Phone

Fax

In Person

Regarding:

Client Instructions:

18. Additional remarks:

19. Cooler Information

Cooler No	Temp °C	Condition	Seal Intact	Seal No	Seal Date	Signed By
1	1.3	Good	Yes			



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March 26, 2012

Ross Kennemer

Animas Environmental Services

624 East Comanche

Farmington, NM 87401

TEL: (505) 564-2281

FAX (505) 324-2022

RE: Huerfano #15

OrderNo.: 1203749

Dear Ross Kennemer:

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory received 1 sample(s) on 3/21/2012 for the analyses presented in the following report.

These were analyzed according to EPA procedures or equivalent. To access our accredited tests please go to www.hallenvironmental.com or the state specific web sites. See the sample checklist and/or the Chain of Custody for information regarding the sample receipt temperature and preservation. Data qualifiers or a narrative will be provided if the sample analysis or analytical quality control parameters require a flag. All samples are reported as received unless otherwise indicated.

Please don't hesitate to contact HEAL for any additional information or clarifications.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andy Freeman", is written over a horizontal line.

Andy Freeman

Laboratory Manager

4901 Hawkins NE

Albuquerque, NM 87109

QC SUMMARY REPORT

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

WO#: 1203749

26-Mar-12

Client: Animas Environmental Services

Project: Huerfano #15

Sample ID	B 32		SampType: MBLK		TestCode: EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles					
Client ID:	PBS		Batch ID: R1589		RunNo: 1589					
Prep Date:			Analysis Date: 3/21/2012		SeqNo: 45253		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	ND	0.050								
Toluene	ND	0.050								
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.050								
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.10								
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	0.99		1.000		98.7	80	120			

Sample ID	1203749-001A MS		SampType: MS		TestCode: EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles					
Client ID:	SC-1		Batch ID: R1589		RunNo: 1589					
Prep Date:			Analysis Date: 3/21/2012		SeqNo: 45256		Units: mg/Kg			
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Benzene	2.0	0.10	2.000	0	97.6	67.2	113			
Toluene	2.0	0.10	2.000	0	99.4	62.1	116			
Ethylbenzene	2.0	0.10	2.000	0	99.0	67.9	127			
Xylenes, Total	6.0	0.20	6.000	0	99.8	60.6	134			
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	2.0		2.000		101	80	120			

Sample ID	1203749-001A MSD		SampType:	MSD		TestCode:	EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles				
Client ID:	SC-1		Batch ID:	R1589		RunNo:	1589				
Prep Date:			Analysis Date:	3/21/2012		SeqNo:	45258		Units:	mg/Kg	
Analyte	Result	PQL	SPK value	SPK Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual	
Benzene	1.8	0.10	2.000	0	89.8	67.2	113	8.34	14.3		
Toluene	1.8	0.10	2.000	0	91.5	62.1	116	8.30	15.9		
Ethylbenzene	1.8	0.10	2.000	0	91.9	67.9	127	7.35	14.4		
Xylenes, Total	5.6	0.20	6.000	0	92.7	60.6	134	7.40	12.6		
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	2.0		2.000		102	80	120	0	0		

Sample ID	100NG BTEX LCS		SampType: LCS		TestCode: EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles					
Client ID:	LCSS		Batch ID: R1589		RunNo: 1589					
Prep Date:			Analysis Date: 3/21/2012		SeqNo: 45282		Units: mg/Kg			
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Chain-of-Custody Record

Client: Amigos Environmental Services

Mailing Address: Levy & Comanche

Birmingham, NM 87401

Phone #: 505 544 2281

email or Fax#: ross@amigosenvironmental.com

QA/QC Package: ☒ Standard ☐ Level 4 (Full Validation)

Accreditation: ☐ NELAP ☐ Other _____

☐ EDD (Type) _____

Date Time Matrix Sample Request ID

3/12/12 1317 SOL SC-1

Turn-Around Time:

☒ Standard ☒ Rush Same Day

Project Name: river fund #15

Project #: _____

Project Manager: Ross Kermener

Sampler: Jammi Ross

Container Type and #

Preservative Type

TPH Method 8015B (Gas/Diesel)

BTEX + MTBE + TPH (Gas only)

BTEX + MTBE + TPH (Gas/Diesel)

TPH Method 418.1

EDB (Method 504.1)

8310 (PNA or PAH)

RCRA 8 Metals

Anions (F, Cl, NO₃, NO₂, PO₄, SO₄)

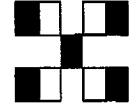
8081 Pesticides / 8082 PCB's

8260B (VOA)

8270 (Semi-VOA)

Chlorides 300.0

Air Bubbles (Y or N)



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Analysis Request

Remarks: BILL TO CONOCO PHILLIPS

WO: 1033209

AREA: 21

SUPERVISOR: HARRY DEE

USER/APPROVER: KAITLW

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

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

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company Burlington Resources, a Wholly Owned Subsidiary of ConocoPhillips Company	Contact Ashley Maxwell
Address 3401 E. 30th St., Farmington, NM 87402	Telephone No. 505-324-5169
Facility Name Huerfano Unit #15	Facility Type Gas Well

Surface Owner State	Mineral Owner State	API No. 3004506187
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
A	32	27N	10W	790'	NORTH	790'	EAST	San Juan

Latitude 36.53686 Longitude -107.91193

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release—Unknown	Volume of Release—Unknown	Volume Recovered
Source of Release—Below Grade Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence – Unknown	Date and Hour of Discovery
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.* **Below Grade Tank Closure Activities**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The below grade tank sample results were above regulatory standard by USEPA method 418.1 for TPH @ 680 ppm, confirming a release; however, the regulatory standard for closure at this site was determined to be 5,000 ppm. Additionally, the sample was then transported to the lab and analytical results for BTEX and Chlorides were below the regulatory standards set forth in the NMOCD Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Release; therefore no further action is required.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD 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 NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD 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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature:



Printed Name: **Ashley Maxwell**

Approved by Environmental Specialist:

Title: **Field Environmental Specialist**

Approval Date:

Expiration Date:

E-mail Address: **ashley.p.wethington@conocophillips.com**

Conditions of Approval:

Attached ☐

Date: **April 24, 2012**

Phone: **505-324-5169**

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Auerfano

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