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Oil Conservation Division
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Form C-144
July 21, 2008

For temporary pits, closed-loop systems, and below-grade tanks, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For permanent pits and exceptions submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOCD District Office.

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

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Type of action: ☒ Permit of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
Existing BGT ☒ Closure of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
☐ Modification to an existing permit
☐ Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, closed-loop system, 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: XTO Energy, Inc. OGRID #: 5380
Address: #382 County Road 3100, Aztec, NM 87410
Facility or well name: Bolack B #4
API Number: 30-045-11820 OCD Permit Number:
U/L or Qtr/Qtr O Section 30 Township 27N Range 08W County. San Juan
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 36.540410 Longitude 107.719290 NAD: ☐ 1927 ☒ 1983
Surface Owner: ☒ Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☐ Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

2.
☐ **Pit:** Subsection F or G of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Temporary: ☐ Drilling ☐ Workover
☐ Permanent ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A
☐ 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_____

3.
☐ **Closed-loop System:** Subsection H of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Type of Operation: ☐ P&A ☐ Drilling a new well ☐ Workover or Drilling (Applies to activities which require prior approval of a permit or notice of intent)
☐ Drying Pad ☐ Above Ground Steel Tanks ☐ Haul-off Bins ☐ Other _____
☐ Lined ☐ Unlined Liner type: Thickness _____mil ☐ LLDPE ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other _____
Liner Seams: ☐ Welded ☐ Factory ☐ Other _____

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4.
☒ **Below-grade tank:** Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Volume: 120 bbl Type of fluid: Produced Water
Tank Construction material: Steel
☐ Secondary containment with leak detection ☐ Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off
☐ Visible sidewalls and liner ☐ Visible sidewalls only ☒ Other Visible sidewalls, vaulted, automatic high-level shut off, no liner
Liner type: Thickness _____mil ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other _____

5.
☐ **Alternative Method:**
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.

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6.

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 Four foot height, steel mesh field fence (hogwire) with pipe top railing

7.

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

☐ Screen ☐ Netting ☒ Other Expanded metal or solid vaulted top

☐ Monthly inspections (If netting or screening is not physically feasible)

8.

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 19.15.3.103 NMAC

9.

Administrative Approvals 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:

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

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

10.

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. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval. Applicant must attach justification for request. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance. **Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks associated with a closed-loop system.**

Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the temporary pit, permanent pit, or below-grade tank. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	☐ Yes ☒ No
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). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☒ No
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. *(Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks)* - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site, Aerial photo; Satellite image	☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ NA
Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. *(Applies to permanent pits)* - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ NA
Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of initial application. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☒ 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 500 feet of a wetland. - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map, Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ 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

11.
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: _____

12.
Closed-loop Systems 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.

☐ Geologic and Hydrogeologic Data (only for on-site closure) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (3) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9
☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations (only for on-site closure) - 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: _____

☐ Previously Approved Operating and Maintenance Plan API Number: _____ *(Applies only to closed-loop system that use above ground steel tanks or haul-off bins and propose to implement waste removal for closure)*

13.
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 H_2S, 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

14.
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 ☐ Closed-loop System ☐ 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 (Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau for consideration)

15.
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 F 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 I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
☒ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

16.

Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: (19.15.17.13.D NMAC)

Instructions: Please indentify the facility or facilities for the disposal of liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings. Use attachment if more than two facilities are required.

Disposal Facility Name: _____ Disposal Facility Permit Number: _____

Disposal Facility Name: _____ Disposal Facility Permit Number: _____

Will any of the proposed closed-loop system operations and associated activities occur on or in areas that *will not* be used for future service and operations?

☐ Yes (If yes, please provide the information below) ☐ No

Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:

☐ 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 I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

17.

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 may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval. Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.

Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA
Ground water is between 50 and 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ 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	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ NA
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). - Topographic map, Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☐ 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	☐ Yes ☐ No
Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of initial application. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ☐ 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 500 feet of a wetland. - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ 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

18.

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 F of 19 15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements 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 Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F 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 I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19 15.17.13 NMAC

19.
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): Kim Champlin Title: Environmental Representative

Signature: Kim Champlin Date: 02/25/2009

e-mail address: kim_champlin@xtoenergy.com Telephone: (505) 333-3100

20.
OCD Approval: ☐ Permit Application (including closure plan) ☒ Closure Plan (only) ☐ OCD Conditions (see attachment)

OCD Representative Signature: Jonathan Kelly 12/08/2011 **Approval Date:** 8/11/11

Title: Environmental Engineer Compliance Officer **OCD Permit Number:**

21.
Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion): Subsection K of 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:** 8/12/11

22.
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.

23.
Closure Report Regarding Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only:

Instructions: Please indentify the facility or facilities for where the liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings were disposed. Use attachment if more than two facilities were utilized.

Disposal Facility Name: Disposal Facility Permit Number:

Disposal Facility Name: Disposal Facility Permit Number:

Were the closed-loop system operations and associated activities performed on or in areas that *will not* be used for future service and operations?

☐ Yes (If yes, please demonstrate compliance to the items below) ☐ No

Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:

☐ Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)
☐ Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
☐ Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique

24.
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)
☐ 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 Longitude NAD: ☐1927 ☐ 1983

CERTIFIED HAZARDOUS MATERIALS MANAGER · JAMES P. McDANIEL · 15676 · CHMM · EXPIRES MAY 16, 2016

25.
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): James McDaniel Title: EH&S Supervisor

Signature: James McDaniel Date: 8/16/11

e-mail address: James_McDaniel@xtoenergy.com Telephone: 505-333-3701

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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate District Office in accordance with Rule 116 on back side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company: XTO Energy, Inc.	Contact: James McDaniel
Address: 382 Road 3100, Aztec, New Mexico 87410	Telephone No.: (505) 333-3701
Facility Name: Bolack B #4(30-045-11820)	Facility Type: Gas Well (Dakota)

Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:	Lease No.: NMSF-079232

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
O	30	27N	8W	825	FSL	1770	FEL	San Juan

Latitude: 36.540410 **Longitude:** -107.719290

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: None	Volume of Release: NA	Volume Recovered: NA
Source of Release: NA	Date and Hour of Occurrence: NA	Date and Hour of Discovery: NA
Was Immediate Notice Given? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
Was a Watercourse Reached? ☐ Yes ☒ No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

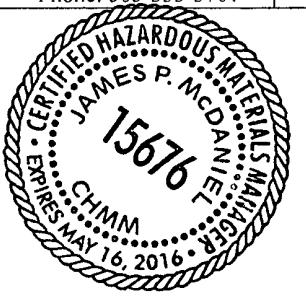
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*
The below grade tank was moved at the Bolack B #4 well site due to maintenance upgrades at the facility. The BGT was moved closer to the well head. The BGT cellar beneath the BGT was sampled for TPH via USEPA Method 8015 and 418.1, for BTEX via USEPA Method 8021, and for total chlorides. The sample returned results below the 'pit rule' standards of 100 ppm TPH, 0.2 ppm benzene, 10 ppm total BTEX and 250 ppm chlorides, confirming that a release has not occurred at this location.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*
No release has been confirmed for this location.

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.

Signature:	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: James McDaniel, CHMM #15676	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Title: EH&S Supervisor	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: James_McDaniel@xtoenergy.com	Conditions of Approval:	Attached ☐
Date: 8/16/2011 Phone: 505-333-3701		

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



XTO Energy Inc.
San Juan Basin
Below Grade Tank
Closure Report

Lease Name: Bolack B #4
API No.: 30-045-11820
Description: Unit O, Section 30, Township 27N, Range 8W, San Juan County

In accordance with Rule 19.15.17.13 NMAC the following information describes the closure requirements of below-grade tanks on XTO Energy Inc. (XTO) locations. This is XTO's standard procedure for all below-grade tanks. A separate plan will be submitted for any below-grade tank which does not conform to this plan.

General Plan

1. XTO will close below-grade tanks within the time periods provided in 19.15.17.13 NMAC, or by an earlier date that the division requires because of imminent danger to fresh water, public health or the environment.
   Closure Date is August 12, 2011

2. XTO will close a below-grade tank that does 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 after June 16, 2008, if not retrofitted to comply with Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC.
   Closure Date is August 12, 2011

3. XTO will close a permitted below-grade tank within 60 days of cessation of the below-grade tank's operation or as required by the transitional provisions of Subsection B of 19.15.17.17 NMAC in accordance with a closure plan that the appropriate division district office approves. The closure report will be filed on form C-144.
   Required C-144 Form is attached to this document.

4. XTO will remove liquids and sludge from below-grade tanks prior to implementing a closure method and will dispose of the liquids and sludge in a division-approved facility. Approved facilities and waste streams include:
   Envirotech Permit No. NM01-0011 and IEI Permit No. NM 01-0010B
   Soil contaminated by exempt petroleum hydrocarbons
   Produced sand, pit sludge and contaminated bottoms from storage of exempt wastes
   Basin Disposal Permit No. NM01-005
   Produced water
   All liquids and sludge were removed from the tank prior to closure activities.

5. XTO will 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.
   XTO has removed the below grade tank, and will reuse the tank at this location after is has passed integrity inspections.

6. XTO will remove any on-site equipment associated with a below-grade tank unless the equipment is required for some other purpose.
All equipment will remain on location for the continued production of oil and gas.

7. XTO will test the soils beneath the below-grade tank to determine whether a release has occurred. At a minimum 5 point composite sample will be collected along with individual grab samples from any area that is wet, discolored or showing other evidence of a release. Samples will be analyzed for BTEX, TPH and chlorides to demonstrate that the benzene concentration, as determined by EPA SW-846 methods 8021B or 8260B or EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 0.2 mg/kg; total BTEX concentration, as determined by EPA SW-846 methods 8021B or 8260B or other EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 50 mg/kg; the TPH concentration, as determined by EPA method 418.1 or other EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 100mg/kg; and the chloride concentration, as determined by EPA method 300.1 or other EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 250 mg/kg, or the background concentration, whichever is greater. XTO will notify the division of its results on form C-141.

A five point composite sample was taken of the pit using sampling tools and all samples tested per Subsection B of 19.15.17.1 3(B)(1)(b). (Sample results attached).

Components	Test Method	Limit (mg/Kg)	Results
Benzene	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	0.2	**ND mg/kg**
BTEX	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	50	**ND mg/kg**
TPH	EPA SW-846 418.1	100	**ND mg/kg**
Chlorides	EPA 300.1	250 or background	**ND mg/kg**

8. If XTO or the division determines that a release has occurred, XTO will comply with 19.15.3.116 NMAC and 19.15.1.19NMAC as appropriate.
No release has been confirmed at this location

9. If the sampling program demonstrates that a release has not occurred or that any release does not exceed the concentrations specified in Paragraph (4) of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, XTO will backfill the excavation with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material; construct a division prescribed soil cover; recontour and re-vegetate the site.
The pit cellar was backfilled using compacted, non-waste containing earthen material, with a division prescribed soil cover.

10. Notice of Closure operations will be given to the Aztec Division District III office between 72 hours and one week prior to the start of closure activities via email or verbally.
The notification will include the following:
    i. Operator's name
    ii. Well Name and API Number
    iii. Location by Unit Letter, Section, Township, and Range

Notification was provided to Mr. Brandon Powell with the Aztec office of the OCD via email on August 9, 2011; see attached email printout.

The surface owner shall be notified of XTO's proposal to close the BGT as per the approved closure plan using certified mail, return receipt requested.
The surface owner was notified on August 11, 2011; see attached letter and return receipt.

11. Re-contouring of location will match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding area. 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 placed 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 location has been recontoured to match the above specifications.

12. A minimum of 4 feet of cover shall be achieved and the cover shall include 1 foot of suitable material to establish vegetation at the site, or the background thickness of topsoil, whichever is greater.
The site has been backfilled to match these specifications.

13. XTO will seed the disturbed areas the first growing season after the operator closes the pit. Seeding will be accomplished via drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other division-approved methods. BLM or Forest Service stipulated seed mixes will be used on federal lands. Vegetative cover will equal 70% of the native perennial vegetative cover (un-impacted) consisting of at least three native plant species, including at least one grass, but not including noxious weeds, and maintain that cover through two successive growing seasons. Repeat seeding or planting will be continued until successful vegetative growth occurs.
The location will be reclaimed pursuant to the BLM MOU upon the plugging and abandoning of this well location.

14. All closure activities will include proper documentation and be available for review upon request and will be submitted in closure report form to OCD within 60 days of closure of the below-grade tank. Closure report will be filed on form C-144 and incorporate the following:
    i. Proof of closure notice to division and surface owner; **attached**
    ii. Details on capping and covering, where applicable; **per OCD Specifications**
    iii. Inspection reports; **attached**
    iv. Confirmation sampling analytical results; **attached**
    v. Disposal facility name(s) and permit number(s); **see above**
    vi. Soil backfilling and cover installation; **per OCD Specifications**
    vii. Re-vegetation application rates and seeding techniques, (or approved alternative to re-vegetation requirements if applicable); **NA**
    viii. Photo documentation of the site reclamation. **NA**

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COVER LETTER

Thursday, August 11, 2011

James McDaniel
XTO Energy
382 County Road 3100
Aztec, NM 87410

TEL: (505) 333-3100
FAX (505) 333-3280

RE: Bolack B 4

Order No.: 1108270

Dear James McDaniel:

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc. received 1 sample(s) on 8/6/2011 for the analyses presented in the following report.

These were analyzed according to EPA procedures or equivalent. Below is a list of our accreditations. 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 do not hesitate to contact HEAL for any additional information or clarifications.

Sincerely,

Andy Freeman, Laboratory Manager

NM Lab # NM9425 NM0901
AZ license # AZ0682

4901 Hawkins NE ■ Suite D ■ Albuquerque, NM 87109
505.345.3975 ■ Fax 505.345.4107
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Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

Date: *11-Aug-11*
Analytical Report

CLIENT:	XTO Energy	**Client Sample ID:**	BGT
Lab Order:	1108270	**Collection Date:**	8/4/2011 9:00:00 AM
Project:	Bolack B 4	**Date Received:**	8/6/2011
Lab ID:	1108270-01	**Matrix:**	SOIL

Analyses	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
EPA METHOD 8015B: DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS						Analyst: **JB**
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	ND	9.9		mg/Kg	1	8/9/2011 10:50:01 AM
Surr. DNOP	77.5	73.4-123		%REC	1	8/9/2011 10:50:01 AM
EPA METHOD 8015B: GASOLINE RANGE						Analyst: **RAA**
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	ND	4.7		mg/Kg	1	8/8/2011 1:35:27 PM
Surr: BFB	92.0	75.2-136		%REC	1	8/8/2011 1:35:27 PM
EPA METHOD 8021B: VOLATILES						Analyst: **RAA**
Benzene	ND	0.047		mg/Kg	1	8/8/2011 1:35:27 PM
Toluene	ND	0.047		mg/Kg	1	8/8/2011 1:35:27 PM
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.047		mg/Kg	1	8/8/2011 1:35:27 PM
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.094		mg/Kg	1	8/8/2011 1:35:27 PM
Surr: 4-Bromofluorobenzene	99.0	90.3-115		%REC	1	8/8/2011 1:35:27 PM
EPA METHOD 300.0: ANIONS						Analyst: **SRM**
Chloride	ND	7.5		mg/Kg	5	8/9/2011 9:57:26 AM
EPA METHOD 418.1: TPH						Analyst: **JB**
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	ND	20		mg/Kg	1	8/9/2011

Qualifiers:

*	Value exceeds Maximum Contaminant Level	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
E	Estimated value	H	Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
J	Analyte detected below quantitation limits	MCL	Maximum Contaminant Level
NC	Non-Chlorinated	ND	Not Detected at the Reporting Limit
PQL	Practical Quantitation Limit	S	Spike recovery outside accepted recovery limits

QA/QC SUMMARY REPORT

Client: XTO Energy
Project: Bolack B 4 **Work Order:** 1108270

Analyte	Result	Units	PQL	SPK Va	SPK ref	%Rec	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPDLimit	Qual
Method: EPA Method 300.0: Anions											
Sample ID: 1108270-01AMSD		*MSD*				Batch ID: **27943**		Analysis Date:		8/9/2011 10:32:15 AM	
Chloride	14.80	mg/Kg	7.5	15	0	98.7	79.6	112	2.08	20	
Sample ID: MB-27943		*MBLK*				Batch ID: **27943**		Analysis Date:		8/8/2011 4:57:21 PM	
Chloride	ND	mg/Kg	1.5								
Sample ID: LCS-27943		*LCS*				Batch ID: **27943**		Analysis Date:		8/8/2011 5:14:46 PM	
Chloride	14.69	mg/Kg	1.5	15	0	97.9	90	110			
Sample ID: 1108270-01AMS		*MS*				Batch ID: **27943**		Analysis Date:		8/9/2011 10:14:50 AM	
Chloride	15.11	mg/Kg	7.5	15	0	101	79.6	112			
Method: EPA Method 418.1: TPH											
Sample ID: MB-27933		*MBLK*				Batch ID. **27933**		Analysis Date:		8/9/2011	
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	ND	mg/Kg	20								
Sample ID: LCS-27933		*LCS*				Batch ID: **27933**		Analysis Date:		8/9/2011	
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	95 06	mg/Kg	20	100	0	95.1	87 8	115			
Sample ID: LCSD-27933		*LCSD*				Batch ID: **27933**		Analysis Date.		8/9/2011	
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	101.6	mg/Kg	20	100	0	102	87.8	115	6.61	8.04	
Method: EPA Method 8015B: Diesel Range Organics											
Sample ID: MB-27944		*MBLK*				Batch ID: **27944**		Analysis Date:		8/9/2011 9:07:23 AM	
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	ND	mg/Kg	10								
Sample ID: LCS-27944		*LCS*				Batch ID: **27944**		Analysis Date:		8/9/2011 9:41:31 AM	
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	39.94	mg/Kg	10	50	0	79.9	66.7	119			
Sample ID: LCSD-27944		*LCSD*				Batch ID: **27944**		Analysis Date.		8/9/2011 10:15:37 AM	
Diesel Range Organics (DRO)	44.48	mg/Kg	10	50	0	89.0	66.7	119	10.8	18.9	
Method: EPA Method 8015B: Gasoline Range											
Sample ID: MB-27932		*MBLK*				Batch ID: **27932**		Analysis Date:		8/8/2011 10:13:13 AM	
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	ND	mg/Kg	5.0								
Sample ID: LCS-27932		*LCS*				Batch ID: **27932**		Analysis Date:		8/8/2011 12:08:53 PM	
Gasoline Range Organics (GRO)	29.94	mg/Kg	5.0	25	0	120	86.4	132			
Method: EPA Method 8021B: Volatiles											
Sample ID: MB-27932		*MBLK*				Batch ID: **27932**		Analysis Date:		8/8/2011 10.13.13 AM	
Benzene	ND	mg/Kg	0.050								
Toluene	ND	mg/Kg	0.050								
Ethylbenzene	ND	mg/Kg	0 050								
Xylenes, Total	ND	mg/Kg	0.10								
Sample ID: LCS-27932		*LCS*				Batch ID: **27932**		Analysis Date:		8/8/2011 12:37:45 PM	
Benzene	0.9646	mg/Kg	0.050	1	0	96.5	83.3	107			
Toluene	0.9938	mg/Kg	0.050	1	0	99.4	74.3	115			
Ethylbenzene	1.005	mg/Kg	0.050	1	0	100	80.9	122			
Xylenes, Total	3.047	mg/Kg	0.10	3	0	102	85.2	123			

Qualifiers:

E	Estimated value	H	Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded
J	Analyte detected below quantitation limits	NC	Non-Chlorinated
ND	Not Detected at the Reporting Limit	R	RPD outside accepted recovery limits

Hall Environmental Analysis Laboratory, Inc.

Sample Receipt Checklist

Client Name XTO ENERGY | Date Received: 8/6/2011

Work Order Number 1108270 | Received by: AMF

Checklist completed by: Signature 8/9/11 Date | Sample ID labels checked by: Initials

Matrix: | Carrier name Greyhound

Shipping container/cooler in good condition?	Yes ☑	No ☐	Not Present ☐	
Custody seals intact on shipping container/cooler?	Yes ☑	No ☐	Not Present ☐	Not Shipped ☐
Custody seals intact on sample bottles?	Yes ☐	No ☐	N/A ☑	
Chain of custody present?	Yes ☑	No ☐		
Chain of custody signed when relinquished and received?	Yes ☑	No ☐		
Chain of custody agrees with sample labels?	Yes ☑	No ☐		
Samples in proper container/bottle?	Yes ☑	No ☐		
Sample containers intact?	Yes ☑	No ☐		
Sufficient sample volume for indicated test?	Yes ☑	No ☐		
All samples received within holding time?	Yes ☑	No ☐		Number of preserved bottles checked for pH:
Water - VOA vials have zero headspace? No VOA vials submitted	☑	Yes ☐	No ☐	
Water - Preservation labels on bottle and cap match?	Yes ☐	No ☐	N/A ☑	
Water - pH acceptable upon receipt?	Yes ☐	No ☐	N/A ☑	<2 >12 unless noted below.
Container/Temp Blank temperature?	3.2°	<6° C Acceptable If given sufficient time to cool.		

COMMENTS:

Client contacted _____ Date contacted: _____ Person contacted _____

Contacted by: _____ Regarding _____

Comments: _____

Corrective Action _____

Chain-of-Custody Record

Client: XTO

Mailing Address: 382 CR 3100
AZTEC, NM 87410

Phone #: 505 787 0519

email or Fax#: JAMES_MCDANIEL@XTOENERGY.COM

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

Accreditation
☐ NELAP ☐ Other _____

☐ EDD (Type) _____

Turn-Around Time:
☐ Standard ☑ Rush NEXT DAY

Project Name: BOLACK B #4

Project #:

Project Manager: JAMES MCDANIEL

Sampler: JOSHUA KIRCHNER

On Ice: ☑ Yes ☐ No

Sample Temperature: 3.2

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Analysis Request

Date	Time	Matrix	Sample Request ID	Container Type and #	Preservative Type	HEAL No.	BTEX + MTBE + TMB's (8021)	BTEX + MTBE + TPH (Gas only)	TPH Method 8015B (Gas/Diesel)	TPH (Method 418.1)	EDB (Method 504.1)	8310 (PNA or PAH)	RCRA 8 Metals	Anions (F,Cl,NO_3,NO_2,PO_4,SO_4)	8081 Pesticides / 8082 PCB's	8260B (VOA)	8270 (Semi-VOA)	CHLORIDE				Air Bubbles (Y or N)
8-4-11	0900	SOIL	BGT	4oz (2)	COOL	1108270-1	✓		✓	✓								✓				

Date:	Time:	Relinquished by:	Received by:	Date	Time
8-5-11	1242		Christine Walters	8/5/11	1242
8/5/11	1310	Christine Walters		8/6/11	12:00

Remarks: PLEASE CC RESULTS TO JOSHUA@NELSONREUEG.COM

If necessary, samples submitted to Hall Environmental may be subcontracted to other accredited laboratories. This serves as notice of this possibility. Any sub-contracted data will be clearly notated on the analytical report.

James McDaniel /FAR/CTOC
08/09/2011 01:28 PM

To brandon.powell@state.nm.us
cc
bcc
Subject Bolack B #4 BGT Closure

Brandon,

Please accept this email as the required notice for BGT closure activities at the Bolack B #4 well site (api # 30-045-11820) located in Unit O, Section 30, Township 27N, Range 8W, San Juan County, New Mexico. This BGT is being closed due to maintenance upgrades at the location, moving the BGT closer to the well head. A new BGT permit will be submitted to your office for this location. Thanks much!

James McDaniel, CHMM #15676
EH&S Supervisor
XTO Energy, Inc.
Office # 505-333-3701
Cell # 505-787-0519
James_Mcdaniel@xtoenergy.com

XTO ENERGY

August 9, 2011

Mark Kelly,
Bureau of Land Management – Farmington Field Office
1235 La Plata Highway
Farmington, New Mexico, 87401

Re: Bolack B #4 – API # 30-045-11820
Unit O, Section 30, Township 27N, Range 8W, San Juan County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Kelly,

This submittal is pursuant to Rule 19.15.17.13 requiring operators to notify surface owners of the closure of a below grade tank pit. XTO Energy, Inc. (XTO) is hereby providing written documentation of our proposal to close the below grade tank pit associated with the above mentioned well site by excavation and removal.

Should you have questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me at your convenience at (505) 333-3100. Thank you for your time in regards to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

James McDaniel, CHMM #15676
EH&S Coordinator
XTO Energy, Inc.
San Juan Division

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1. Article Addressed to:

BLM-FFO
MARK KELLY
1235 LA PLATA HWY
FARMINGTON NM 87401

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x [signature] ☐ Agent ☐ Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name) Carletta D. Lee
C. Date of Delivery 8/11/11

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If YES, enter delivery address below: ☐ No

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☐ Registered ☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise
☐ Insured Mail ☐ C.O.D.

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1235 LA PLATA HWY
FARMINGTON NM 87401

PS Form 3800, August 2006 See Reverse for Instructions

Well Below Tank Inspection Report

RouteName	StopName	Pumper	Foreman	WellName	APIWellNumber	Section	Range	Township
FAR NM Run 50A	BOLACK B 004	Roberts, Lori	Mulnix, John	BOLACK B 04	3004511820	30	8W	27N

InspectorName	Inspection Date	Inspection Time	Visible LinerTears	VisibleTankLeak Overflow	Collection OfSurfaceRun	Visible LayerOil	Visible Leak	Freeboard EstFT	PitLocation	PitType	Notes
L PARKE	07/23/2008	12:20	No	No	No	Yes	No	5			
L PARKE	08/25/2008	10.47	No	No	No	Yes	No	5			
L PARKE	09/22/2008	11 35	No	No	No	Yes	No	5			
L PARKE	10/30/2008	11:45	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
L PARKE	12/31/2008	11:00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
L PARKE	01/18/2009	11.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
L PARKE	02/22/2009	11 00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
M, GARCIA	04/29/2009	03 00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
LP	06/05/2009	03.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	2	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
LP	09/30/2009	03.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
LP	01/07/2010	03.00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	2	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
LP	01/22/2010	03 00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
LP	02/27/2010	03 00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	2	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
MG	03/30/2010	01:30	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	2	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
MG	04/21/2010	01:00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	2	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
MG	05/21/2010	12:00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	5	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
LR	08/31/2010	12:00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	3	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	
LR	02/28/2011	12:00	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	2	Well Water Pit	Below Ground	

XTO Energy, Inc.
Bolack B #4
Section 30, Township 27N, Range 8W
Closure Date: 8/12/2011

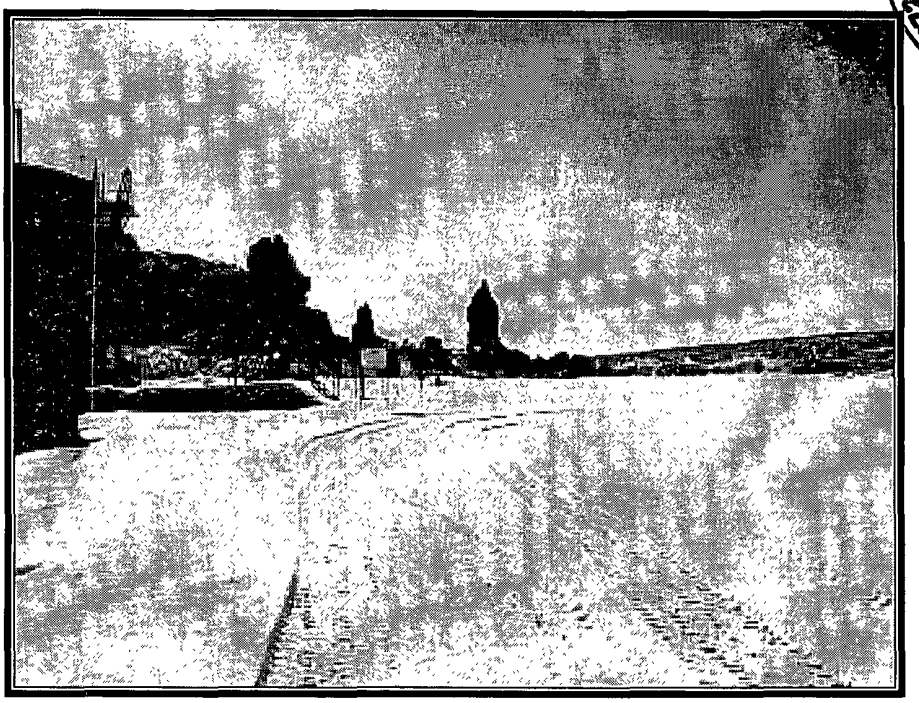

Photo 1: Bolack B #4 After Backfill (View 1)

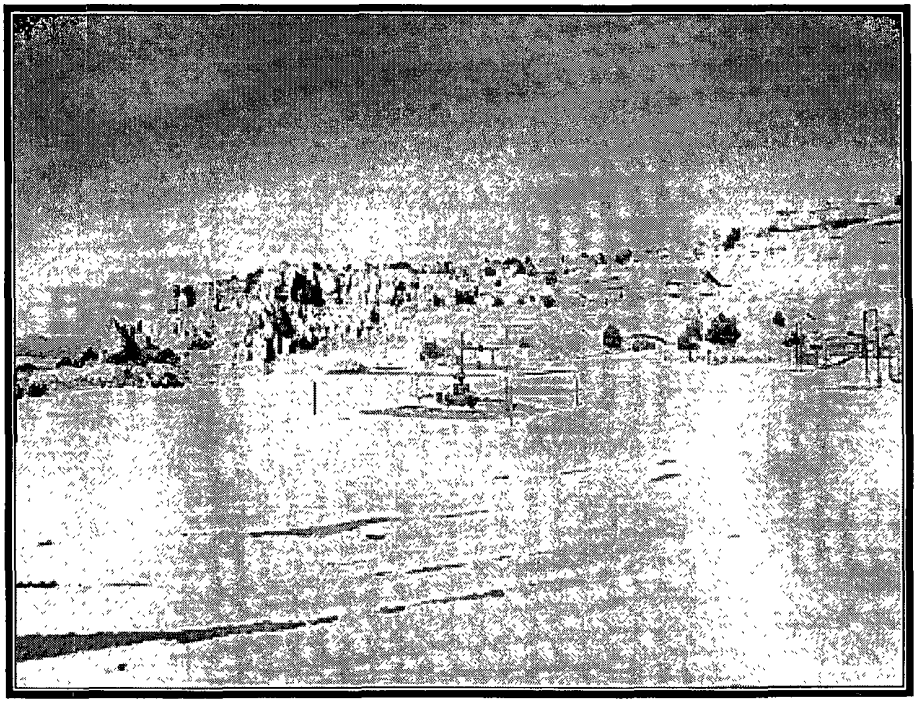

Photo 2: Bolack B #4 After Backfill (View 2)