

Letter to Hart Oil and Gas
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The Navajo EPA is recommending that Hart Oil and Gas clean up the oil and salt water spill in the following manner:

1. Remove all contaminated soil in the drainage and unnamed drainage.
2. Transport and dispose of all removed contaminated soil to a certified off-site landfill or landfarm facility.
3. Submit the following information to Navajo EPA:
 - a. Describe all actions taken to clean up the site.
 - b. Describe all actions taken to prevent future spills of this nature.
 - c. Date and time the contaminated soil was removed.
 - d. Date and time the contaminated soil was placed at a certified landfill or landfarm facility.
 - e. The name, address, phone number of the certified landfill or landfarm facilities.
 - f. Amount of soil contaminated by the spill.
 - g. Location Description: description of location of the removed contaminated soil.
 - h. Describe the contaminated soil's potential impacts on aquatic and/or human health, if any.

Please be advised that you have 15 days, upon receipt of this letter, to complete all cleanup activities and provide Navajo EPA with the information requested above. A follow-up inspection will be conducted to ensure you are complying the cleanup conditions of this letter. All information requested by this letter must be sent to the following address:

Navajo EPA - WQ/NNPDES Program
P.O. Box 339
Window Rock, AZ 86515
ATTN: Patrick Antonio

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Patrick Antonio at (928) 871-7185.

Sincerely,

S. Deb Misra

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