

C-144

Jones, Brad A., EMNRD

From: John Fergerson [john@laenvironmental.com]
Sent: Friday, July 17, 2009 10:22 AM
To: Jones, Brad A., EMNRD
Cc: Mark Larson
Subject: Request for Approval: XTO-EMSU Below Grade Tank Closure Plans

Dear Mr. Jones,

LAI, on behalf of XTO Energy, requests approval of the following Below Grade Tank Closure Plans for the following Eunice Monument South Unit (EMSU) Facilities:

EMSU-Satellite 8/EMSU Well No. 293 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-04539 (EMSU Well No. 293)
Unit I, Sec 7, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Satellite 9/EMSU Well No. 376 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-04680 (EMSU Well No. 376)
Unit I, Sec 18, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Central Battery Tank 1/EMSU Well No. 626 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-31465 (EMSU Well No. 626)
Unit E, Sec 4, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Central Battery Tank 2/EMSU Well No. 626 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-31465 (EMSU Well No. 626)
Unit E, Sec 4, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Satellite 3/EMSU-Well No. 182 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-29868 (EMSU-Well No. 182)
Unit D, Sec 4, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Satellite 5/EMSU-Well No. 258 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-21251 (EMSU-Well No. 258)
Unit M, Sec 4, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Satellite 10/EMSU-Well No. 382 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-04663 (EMSU-Well No. 382)
Unit F, Sec 16, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Satellite 12/EMSU-Well No. 442 (Nearest Well)
API No.: 30-025-29584 (EMSU-Well No. 442)
Unit G, Sec 21, T-21-S, R-36-E
Lea County, New Mexico

EMSU-Satellite 6/EMSU-Well No. 263 (Nearest Well)

API# 30-025-31465

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**BELOW GRADE TANK CLOSURE PLAN
EMSU-CENTRAL BATTERY TANK 1
UNIT E, SEC 4, T-21-S, R-36-E
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**PREPARED FOR:
XTO ENERGY, INC.
PERMIAN DIVISION-SE NEW MEXICO
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MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701**

**PREPARED BY:
LARSON & ASSOCIATES, INC.
507 N. MARIENFELD STREET,
SUITE 200
MIDLAND, TEXAS 79701**

**SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL:
MR. WAYNE PRICE
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 SOUTH ST FRANCIS DRIVE
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87505**

DECEMBER 11, 2008

December 11, 2008

Mr. Wayne Price, Chief
Environmental Bureau
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

**Re: Below Grade Closure Plan
XTO Energy, Inc., EMSU-Central Battery
Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 36 East
Lea County, New Mexico**


Dear Mr. Price:

Form C-144 and corresponding closure plan is submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) Santa Fe office on behalf of XTO Energy, Inc. (XTO) by Larson & Associates, Inc. (LAI), it's consultant, for closure of a below-grade tank (Tank 1) at its Eunice Monument South Unit (EMSU) Central Battery (Facility) located in Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4, Township 21 South and Range 36 East in Lea County, New Mexico. This closure plan has been prepared in conformance with 19.15.17 NMAC and template approved by the OCD on November 5, 2008.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call me at 432.687.0901 to discuss.

Sincerely,

LARSON & ASSOCIATES, INC.



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Cc: File
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District III
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District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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
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**

- Type of action: ☐ Permit of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
☒ 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: PERMIAN DIVISION-SE NEW MEXICO, P.O. BOX 700, EUNICE, NEW MEXICO 88231
Facility or well name: EMSU-CENTRAL BATTERY/EMSU-WELL NO. 626 (Nearest Well)
API Number: 30-025-31465 (EMSU Well No. 626) OCD Permit Number: _____
U/L or Qtr/Qtr Unit E Section 4 Township 21S Range 36E County LEA
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 32° 30' 27.93" N Longitude 103° 16' 33.28" W 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 _____

4.
☒ **Below-grade tank:** Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Volume: 90 bbl Type of fluid: OIL & PRODUCED WATER
Tank Construction material: FIBERGLASS
☐ Secondary containment with leak detection ☐ Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off
☐ Visible sidewalls and liner ☐ Visible sidewalls only ☒ Other LEAK DETECTION & METAL BARRICADE
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.

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 _____

7.

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)

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	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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	<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. (Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks) - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> 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	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> 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	<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	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within 500 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 the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within an unstable area. - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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 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

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 identify 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): W.G. Haykus Title: Production Superintendent

Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/12/08

e-mail address: William-haykus@XTOENERGY.com Telephone: 432-620-6705

20.

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

OCD Representative Signature: [Signature] Approval Date: 7/17/09

Title: Environmental Engineer 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: _____

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 identify 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

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): _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

e-mail address: _____ Telephone: _____

**EMSU-CENTRAL BATTERY TANK 1
BELOW GRADE TANK CLOSURE PLAN
DOCUMENT**

INTRODUCTION

Larson & Associates, Inc (LAI), on behalf of XTO Energy, Inc. (XTO), submits this plan to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) Santa Fe office for closure of a below-grade tank (BGT) at its Eunice Monument South Unit (EMSU) Central Battery (Facility) located in Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4, Township 21 South and Range 36 East in Lea County, New Mexico. Figure 1 is a topographic map depicting the Facility's location. This closure plan has been prepared in conformance with 19.15.17 NMAC, and template approved by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) on November 5, 2008 (Appendix A).

Operator

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Permian Division-SE New Mexico
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XTO Energy Inc.
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Contact Person: Guy Haykus
Phone Number: (432) 682-8873

Proposed Application

The proposed application is for closure of Tank 1, a BGT, which 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) Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC. Tank 1 is located along the Facility's eastern fence line. Figure 2 is a recent aerial image depicting Facility and location of the buried tank. Figure 3 is a scaled site map depicting Facility and location of the buried tank.

Facility Description, Location, and Siting Criteria

The Facility encompasses a tract of land approximately 6 acres in size that is covered with crushed caliche rock and is flat to very gently sloping (Figure 2). The GPS coordinates (NAD 1983) near the center of the facility are 32° 30' 27.93" North and 103° 16' 33.28" West. EMSU-Well #626, API #30-025-31465 is an oil well closest to the facility.

The Facility is located in south-central Lea County, New Mexico, an area referred to as the Pecos Valley, a part of the Great Plains physiographic province. The land surface is an

irregular erosional surface that generally slopes to the west and south towards the Pecos River. This area includes large areas of stabilized and drifting sand dunes and drainage areas created by solution deep-seated collapse. Monument Draw is located approximately three (3) miles north and east, is a prominent stream valley which almost trends due south and parallels the New Mexico and Texas border. Surface water accumulating in Monument Draw generally flows for only a short distance before being lost to seepage or evapotranspiration, and only during rare periods of heavy rainfall does water flow out of Lea County.

The Facility's siting criteria includes the following:

- 1) Groundwater is more than 100 feet below the bottom of below-grade Tank 1. Figure 1 is a topographic map presenting the average depth-to-groundwater data used to determine the vertical distance from bottom of the BGT to nearest groundwater.
- 2) No continuously flowing watercourse is within 300 horizontal feet of the Facility (Figure 1).
- 3) No other significant watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake is within 200 horizontal feet of Facility (Figure 1).
- 4) No permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church is within 300 horizontal feet of Facility (Figure 1).
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- 6) No other fresh water wells or springs are within 1000 horizontal feet of Facility (Figure 1).
- 7) The Facility is not located within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance.
- 8) The Facility is not within 500 feet an area designated as wetlands as defined by EPA Regulation listed at 40 CFR 230.3(t) of the Clean Water Act of 1977 (Figure 4).
- 9) The Facility is not within an area overlying a subsurface mine (Figure 5).
- 10) The Facility is not within an unstable area.
- 11) The Facility is not within a 100-year flood plain (Figure 6).

Identification of Soil and Subsoils

The Maljamar fine-loamy series mixed with the Pyote loamy series comprise the majority of soil in the Facility area. The Maljamar series is well drained, moderately permeable, with very slow runoff. Maljamar soils are formed on nearly level to undulating sandy plains and in moderately sandy to sandy mixed sediments that have been somewhat reworked by wind. The Pyote series is well drained, moderately rapidly permeable, with negligible to low surface run-off on very gentle slopes. Pyote soils are formed on nearly level to undulating uplands and in sandy and loamy sediments that have been modified by wind.

The Cenozoic Pecos Alluvium is the uppermost geologic unit and is composed of Tertiary and Quaternary age alluvium. The alluvium is mostly composed of unconsolidated or poorly cemented clay, sand, gravel, and caliche which unconformably overlies older Permian, Triassic, and Cretaceous age rocks. In places, the alluvium is overlain by windblown sand deposited in dunes. The Cenozoic Pecos Alluvium Aquifer is composed of alluvial sediments deposited in two main north-south oriented basins or troughs. During the Cenozoic Era the Pecos Trough and Monument Draw Trough formed due to subsidence that resulted from dissolution of underlying evaporates.

Land Ownership

The Facility is located on New Mexico State Trust Lands (Figure 7). 2008 Deed and tax records from the Lea County Appraisers Office verify the land surface does not have private ownership (Appendix B-Lea County Deed & Tax Records).

Below Grade Tank Description and Burial Construction

Tank 1 is a 90-barrel (bbl) fiberglass BGT that is used for oil and produced water (Appendix C-Facility Photo Log). Leak detection consists of a four (4) inch PVC pipe that is incorporated into the burial construction. Secondary containment, liners, visible sidewalls, and automatic shut-off are not associated with the construction. A steel pipe barricade is installed around the tank location for protection.

Below Grade Tank Closure Protocols and Procedures

1. In accordance with Agreed Scheduling Order dated October 15, 2008, a Closure Plan application shall be submitted to NMOCD Santa Fe office environmental staff prior to December 31, 2008. Upon Closure Plan approval, the existing BGT shall be closed as soon as technically feasible, but no later than five (5) years after June 16, 2008. However, an earlier date may be required because of imminent danger to fresh water, public health, or the environment.
2. Written notification shall be provided to the NMOCD Santa Fe and District 1-Hobbs office environmental staffs no less than 72 hours and no greater than one (1) week prior to BGT removal, as required by 19.15.17.13 Subsection J Paragraph (2) NMAC. Written notification will include the following:

Operator Name:
Facility Name:
Legal Description:
Nearest Well & API Number:
County Name:
Date & Time:

3. The surface owner shall be notified, via Return Receipt Requested Certified Mail, of closure plan submission to the NMOCD Santa Fe office and no later than 24 hours prior to BGT removal. Copies of the notification letters and evidence of the notification mailings shall be submitted as closure report attachments.
4. Liquids and sludge shall be removed from BGT prior to implementing closure. Liquids shall be disposed at Coopers SWD Facility, API number 30-025-29962, a NMOCD approved Class II commercial salt-water disposal (SWD) well. Sludge and contaminated soil shall be disposed at Sundance Services, Inc. an NMOCD permitted (NM-01-0003) facility, as required in 19.15.17.13 Subsection E Paragraph (1) NMAC.
5. Upon removal the BGT shall be integrity tested for re-use as an above-grade storage tank (AST). Approval by the NMOCD Santa Fe office environmental staff shall be requested prior to re-use as an AST. A new AST shall be installed should the BGT fail the integrity test.
6. Leak detection piping and associated sub-surface material shall be removed, recycle or disposed at Sundance Services, Inc.
7. Soils beneath the below-grade tank will be tested to determine whether a release has occurred upon removal of the BGT. Five (5) point composite samples will be collected directly below the BGT or below the leak detection system if present. Discrete samples will be collected from any wet or discolored areas or areas beneath the BGT showing other evidence of a release. All samples will be analyzed for benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, xylene (BTEX) using EPA Method 8021B, total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) using EPA Method 418.1, and chloride using EPA Method 300.1, as required by 19.15.17.13 Subsection E Paragraph (4) NMAC.
8. A form C-141 and an attached copy of laboratory results for collected samples shall be submitted to the NMOCD Santa Fe office environmental staff for review. Additional delineation shall be conducted if requested by the NMOCD. Compliance with 19.15.3.116 NMAC and 19.15.1.19 NMAC, as appropriate, if determined that a release has occurred.
9. Backfill excavation with non-waste containing, earthen material, in accordance with 19.15.17.13 Subsection E Paragraph (6) NMAC, should laboratory results verify that constituents do not exceed the concentrations specified in Paragraph 4 of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC.

10. Site re-vegetation is not proposed. River gravel is proposed as an alternative and will cover the excavation and provide an elevated pad for either re-positioning the removed BGT above ground or installation of a new AST. A written document stating the proposed alternative shall be submitted to surface owner requesting signature approval. A copy of the signed document shall be submitted to the NMOCD Santa Fe office environmental staff as a closure report attachment.

REPORTING

LAI, on behalf of XTO, shall prepare and submit a final closure report to the NMOCD Santa Fe office environmental staff within 60 days following the BGT closure, which will include the following: Form C-144 with all supporting data; form C-141; proof of surface owner and division closure notices; confirmation sampling analytical data; disposal facility names(s) and permit number(s); soil backfilling and cover installation; proposed alternative re-vegetation installation & surface owner signed written agreement; photo documentation of the site reclamation; and other pertinent information related to onsite activities.

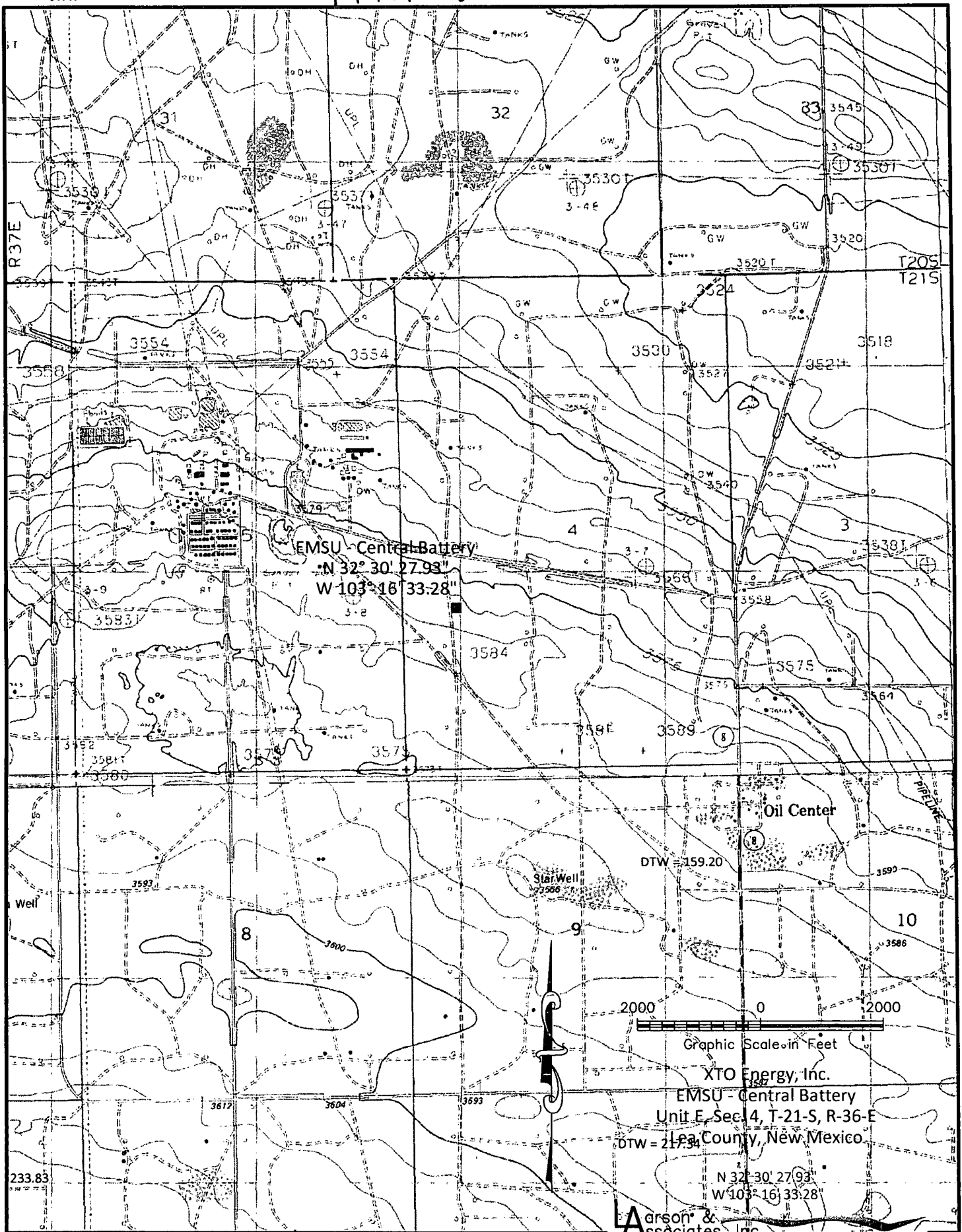
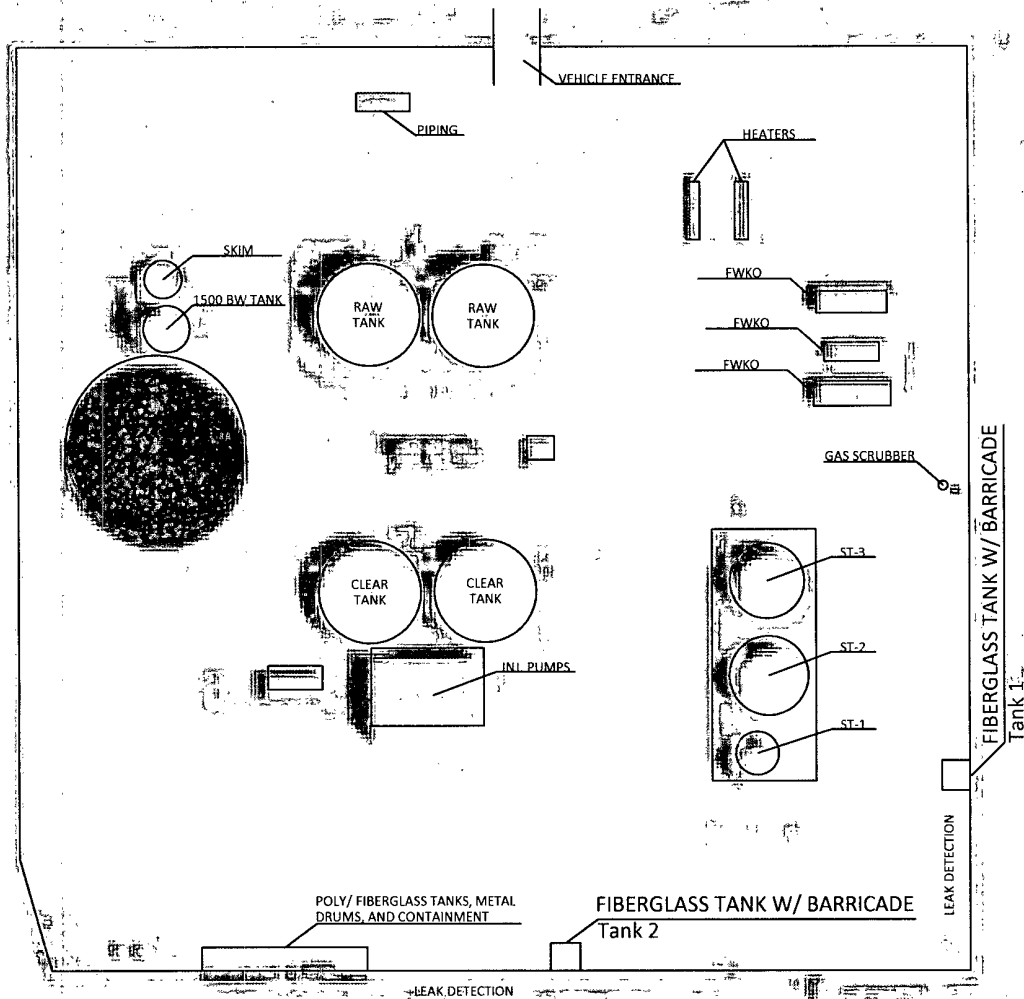


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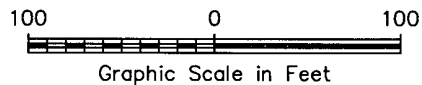
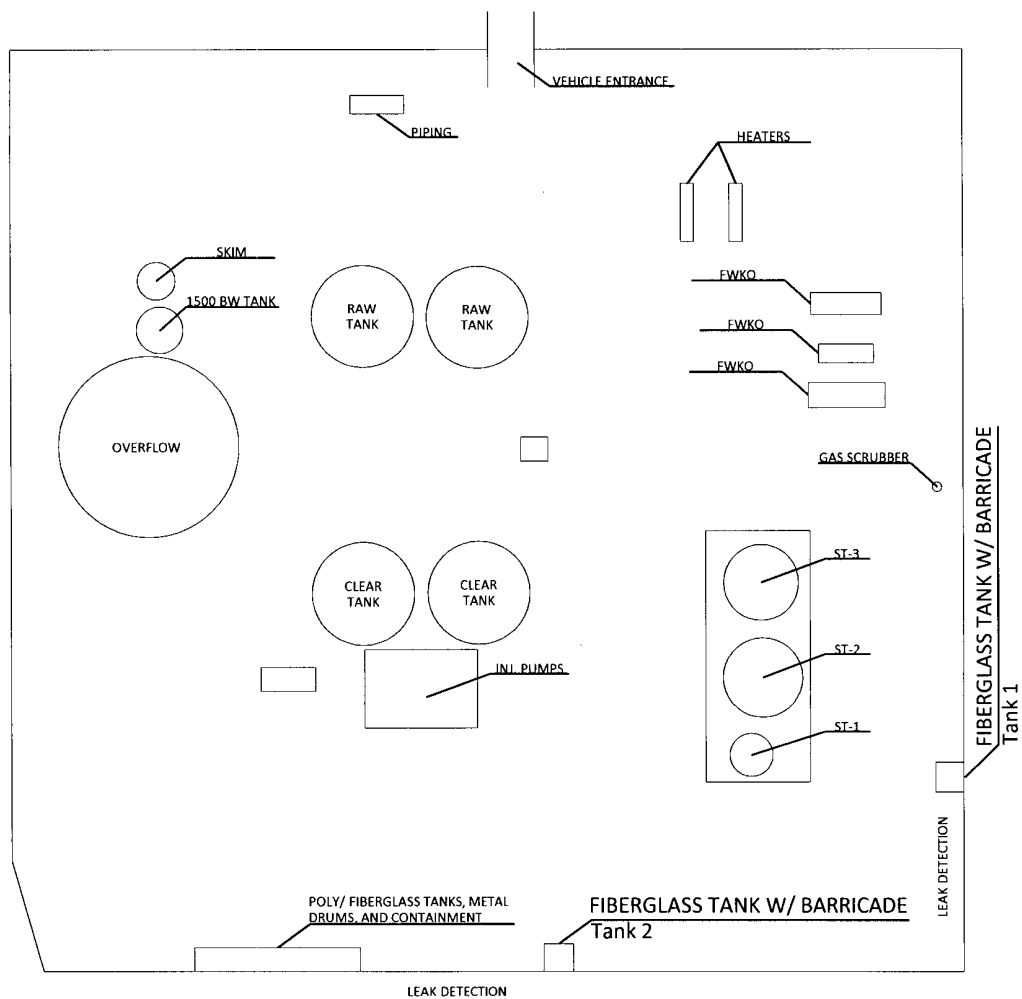
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 Lea County, New Mexico

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Figure 2 Aerial



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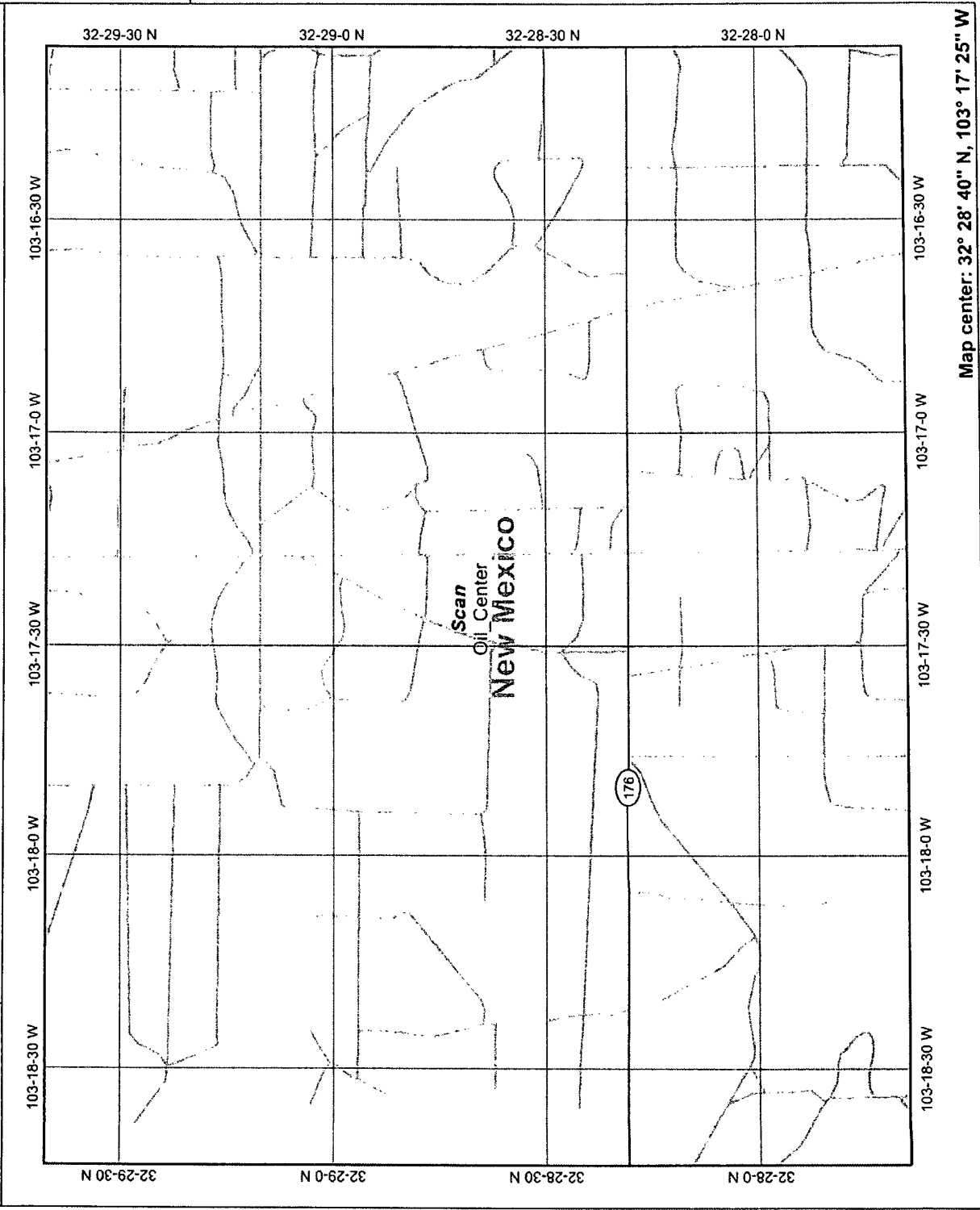
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Figure 3 - Site Drawing

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Wetlands Online Mapper



Legend

- Interstate
- Major Roads
- Other Road
- Interstate
- State highway
- US highway
- Roads
- Cities
- USGS Quad Index 24K
- Lower 48 Wetland Polygons
- Estuarine and Marine Deepwater
- Estuarine and Marine Wetland
- Freshwater Emergent Wetland
- Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland
- Freshwater Pond
- Lake
- Other
- Riverine
- Lower 48 Available Wetland Data
- Non-Digital
- Digital
- No Data
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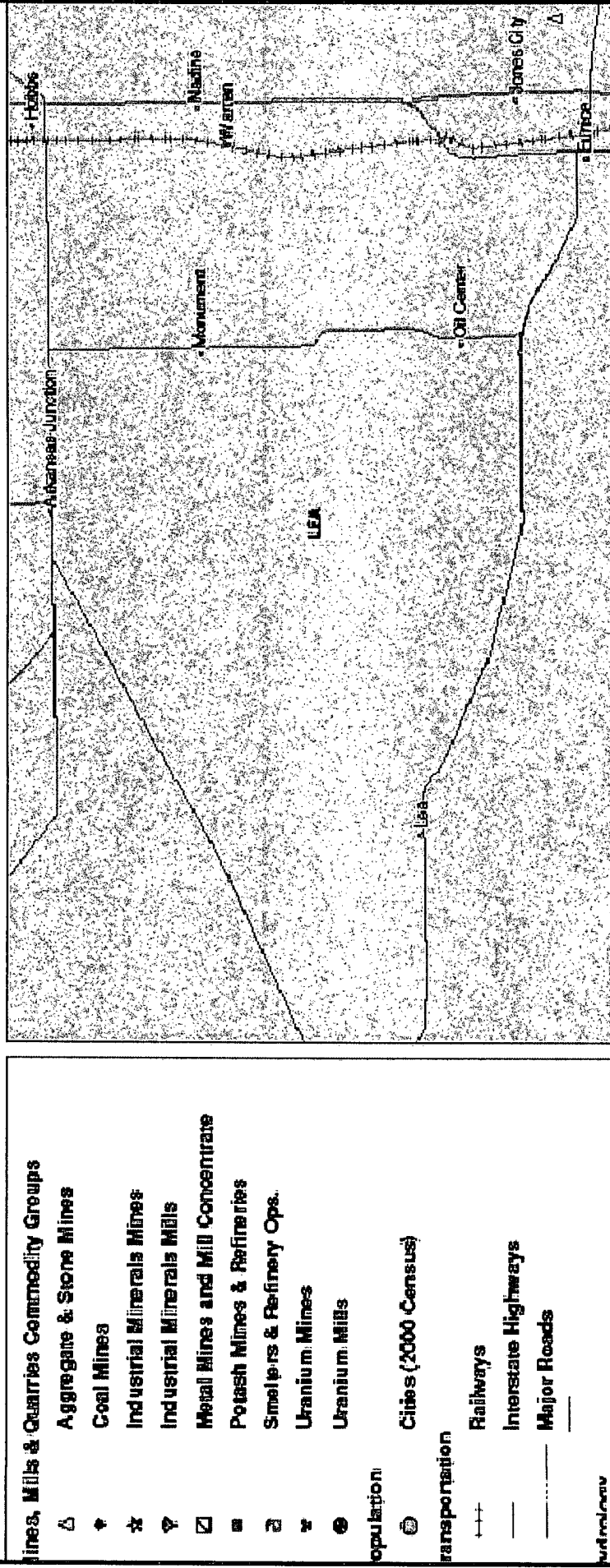
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Figure 4 USF & WS Wetlands Map

MINES, MILLS, AND QUARRIES WEB MAP



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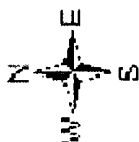
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Figure 5 NM MM & Q Map

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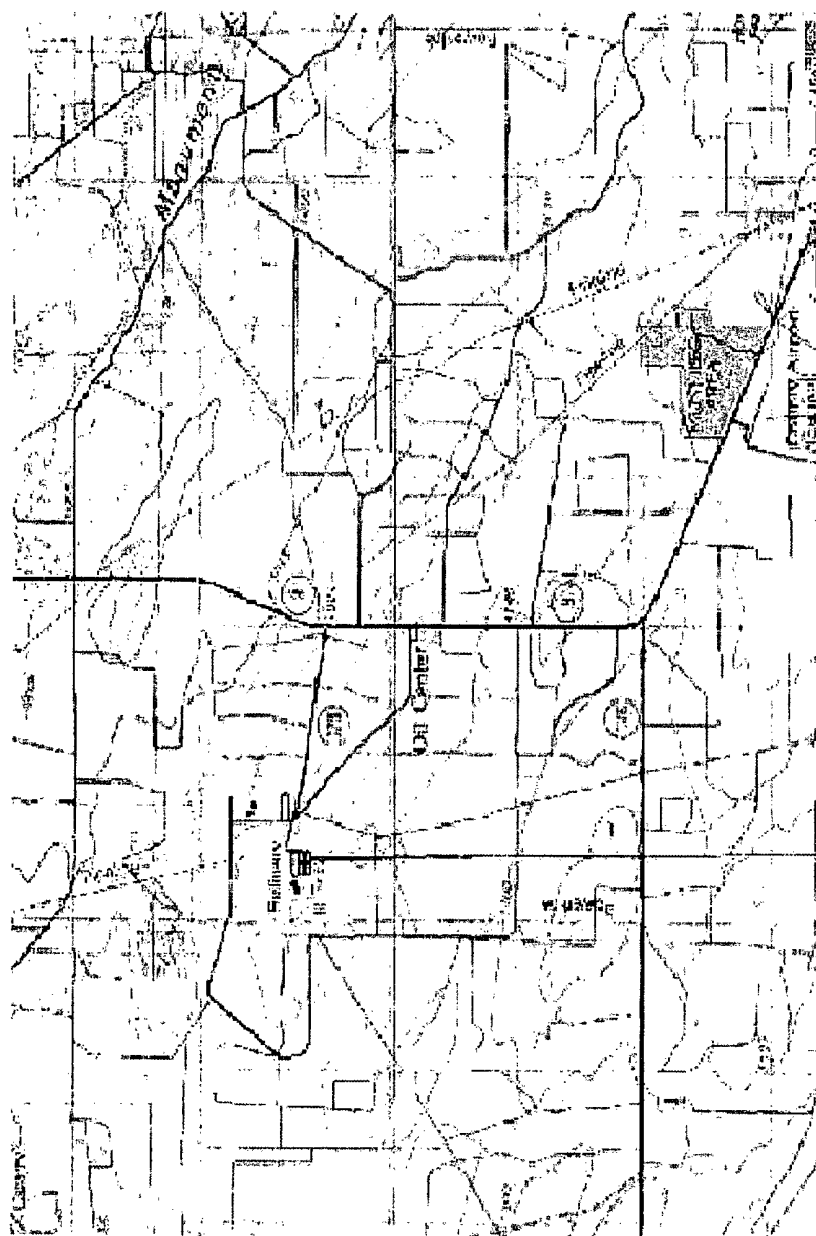
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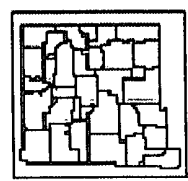


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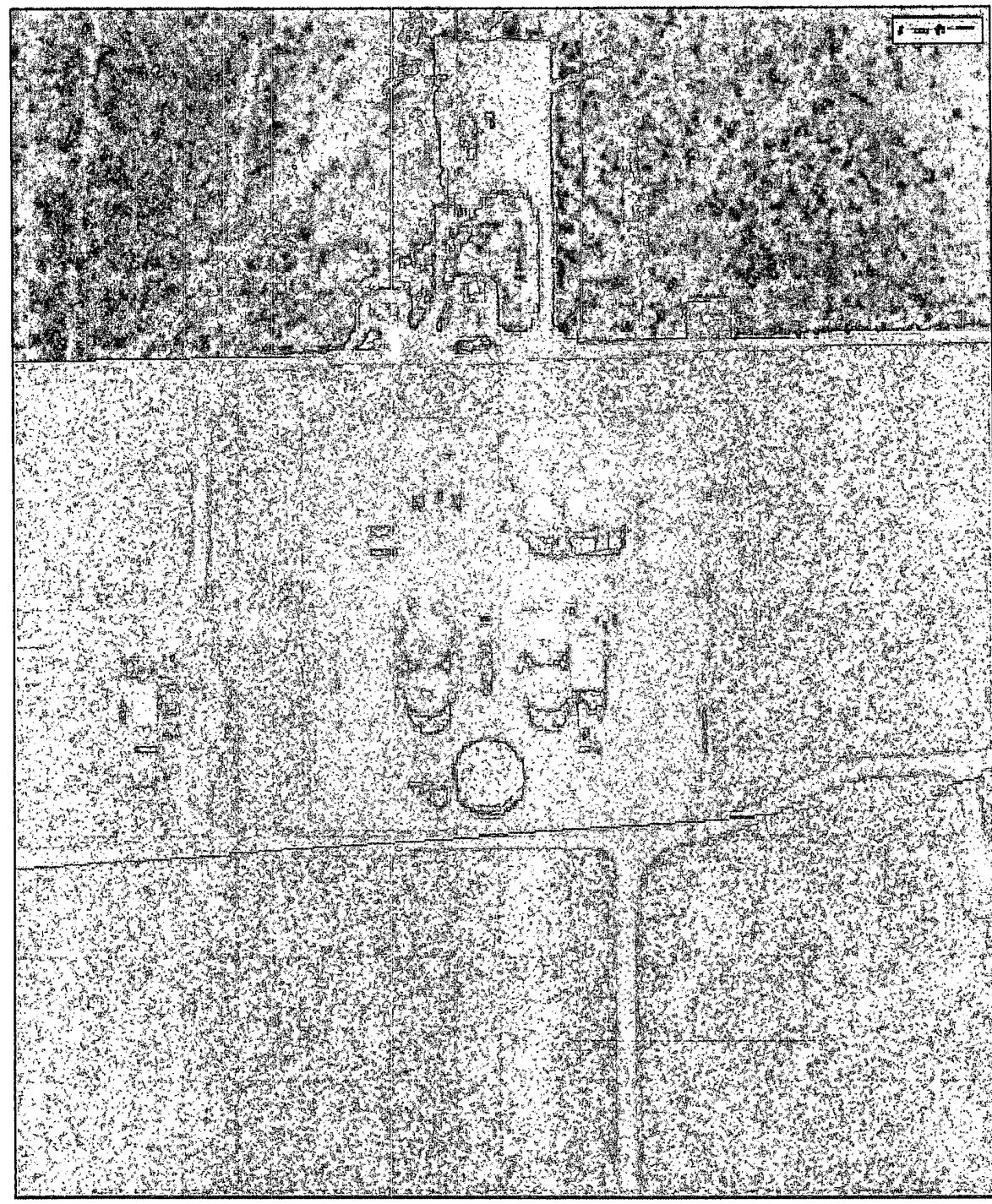
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Figure 6 FEMA Flood Map

- Cartographic Features**
- City, Town or Village
 - County Seat
 - County Boundary
 - SLD District Office
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 - Land Grant
 - Interstate Highway
 - US Highway
 - NM Highway
 - Local Road or Street
- Federal Surface Management**
- Bureau of Land Management
 - Bureau of Reclamation
 - Department of Agriculture
 - Department of Defense
 - Department of Energy
 - USDA Forest Service
 - Fish and Wildlife Service
 - Bureau of Indian Affairs
 - National Park Service
 - Indian Cultural National Preserve
- State Trust Lands**
- Surface Estate
 - Subsurface Estate
 - Surface and Subsurface Estate
- Lease Types**
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Trust Land Status
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NAD 83 North American Datum

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W 103° 16' 33.28"

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Figure 7 NMSLO Trust Land Image

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Sent: Wednesday, November 05, 2008 5:00 PM
To: John Fergerson
Subject: RE: BGT Closure Plan Template (Revised 11-5-08)

John,

Thanks for making the revision to the below-grade tank closure plan template. The information provided in the template complies with the requirements of 19.15.17 NMAC. Please submit the below-grade tank closure plan packets to Wayne Price at the OCD Santa Fe office. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Brad

Brad A. Jones

Environmental Engineer

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NM Oil Conservation Division

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Sent: Wednesday, November 05, 2008 3:24 PM
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Subject: BGT Closure Plan Template (Revised 11-5-08)

Brad,

I have made the requested revision and submitting for approval.

Thanks,

John M. Fergerson, PG
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DENVER CITY

TX 79323

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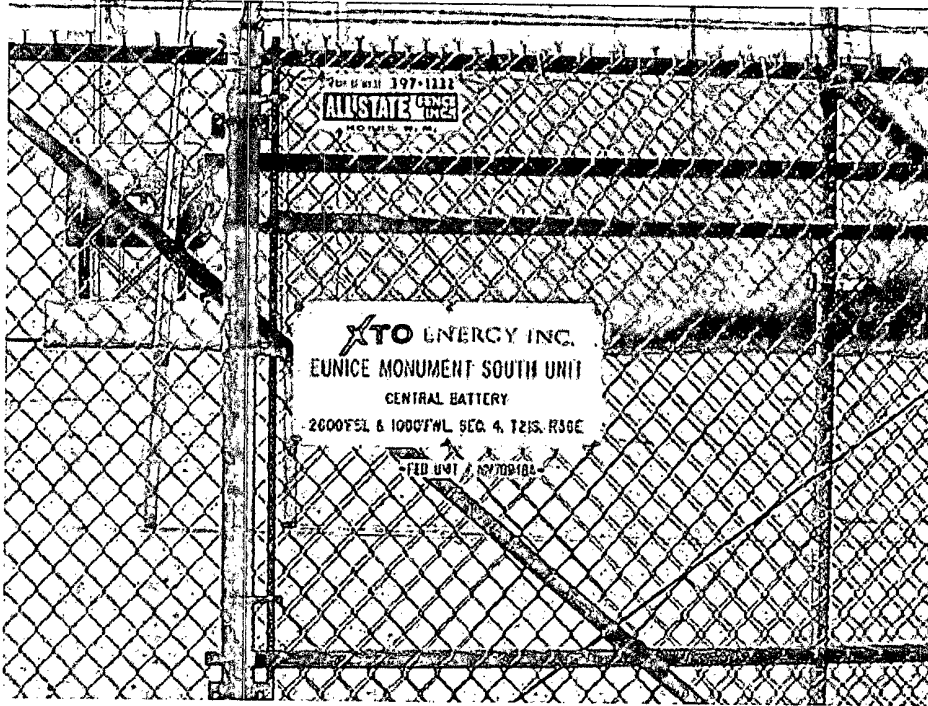
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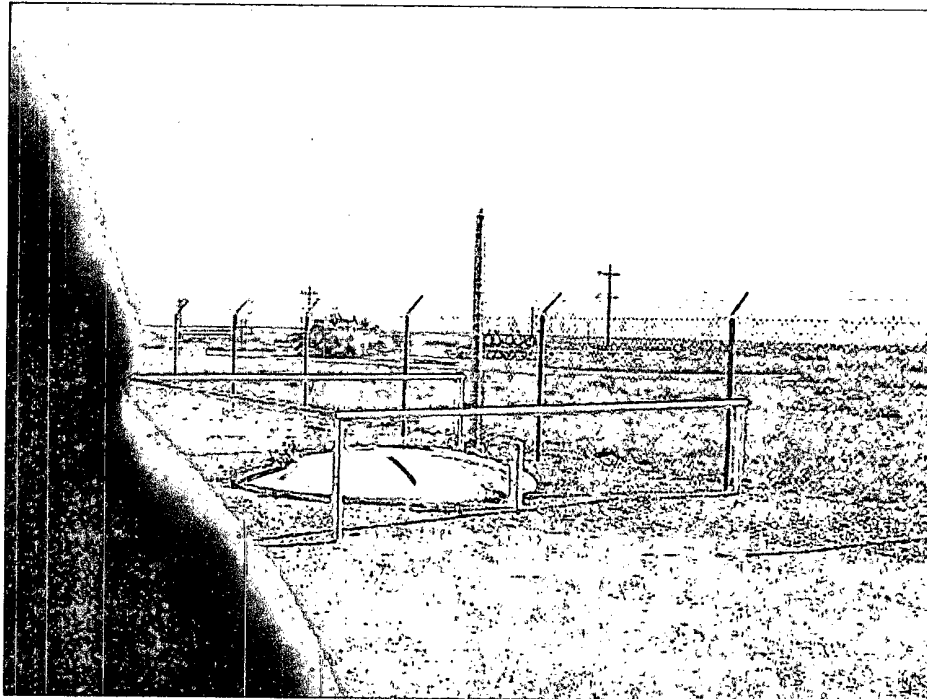
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EMSU-Central Battery: Close-up View of Facility Sign



EMSU-Central Battery: View Facing NE of Tank 1 along Facility's Eastern Fence Line

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November 9, 2009

Mr. Brad A. Jones, Environmental Engineer
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: Tank Closure Final Reports, XTO Energy, Inc., Eunice Monument South Unit, Central Battery
Tank-1, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Jones:

Please find enclosed a below-grade tank closure report for the above referenced site.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call me at 432.687.0901 to discuss.

Sincerely,

LARSON & ASSOCIATES, INC.

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William D. Green, PG No. 136
Texas Licensed Professional Geologist
wgreen@laenvironmental.com

Enclosure Tank Closure Final Report

CC Mr. Larry Johnson, NM Oil Conservation Division, Hobbs
Mr. Patrick Lyons, NM State Land Office, Santa Fe
Mr. Guy Haykus, XTO Energy, Midland
Mr. Jerry Parker, XTO Energy, SE New Mexico

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Tank Closure Final Report

XTO Energy, Inc.

Eunice Monument South Unit – Central Battery Tank 1

Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4, T21S, R36E

Lea County, NM

Project No. 8-0137

Prepared by:

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November 6, 2009

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1.0 Executive Summary

The following report documents the closure of a below-grade tank (Tank 1) associated with the XTO Energy (XTO) Eunice Monument South Unit – Central Battery (Site) located in Lea County, New Mexico. The legal description of the Site is Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 36 East (Figure 1). The geodetic location is N32° 30' 27.98", W103° 16' 33.28".

Closure activities consisted of notifications to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) and the landowner of record (New Mexico State Land Office), removal of Tank 1 and soil, the collection of soil samples, OCD issuance of a remediation case number and the subsequent investigation, backfilling and closure of the former below-grade tank. Activities were performed in conformance with New Mexico Administrative Code Rule 19.15.17 as amended June 16, 2008 and June 18, 2009.

2.0 Operator Information

Primary Contact: Mr. Rick Wilson
Address: XTO Energy Inc., Permian Division – SE New Mexico
PO Box 700
Eunice, New Mexico 88231
Office: 575.394.2089 X2201

Secondary Contact: Guy Haykus
Address: XTO Energy Inc.
Midland Office
200 N. Loraine Street, Suite 800
Midland, Texas 79701
Office: 432.682.8873

3.0 Closure Actions

3.1 Location and Siting Description

The Site has a geodetic location of N32° 30' 27.98", W103° 16' 33.28", and is located in rural Lea County, about 1 mile west-northwest of Oil Center, New Mexico. The approximately 6 acre Site consisted of several above-ground storage tanks, two below-grade fiberglass tanks, and ancillary production equipment. The tank of interest, Tank 1, is the eastern below-grade fiberglass tank with a nominal capacity of 90 barrels. The Facility is covered with crushed caliche rock and is relatively flat (Figures 2 and 3).

The Facility's siting criteria presented the following findings:

- Groundwater is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the below-grade tank, based on records from the New Mexico State Engineer (NMSE).
- No continuously flowing watercourse is within 300 horizontal feet of the Facility.
- No surface water features, including lakes, rivers, ponds, arroyos, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake, are located within 200 horizontal feet of Facility.
- No permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church is within 300 horizontal feet of Facility.

- No private, domestic fresh-water well or spring are within 500 horizontal feet of Facility.
- No fresh water wells or springs are located within 1000 horizontal feet of Facility.
- The Facility is not located within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance.
- The Facility is not within 500 feet an area designated as wetlands.
- The Facility is not within an area overlying a subsurface mine.
- The Facility is not within an unstable area.
- The Facility is not within a 100-year flood plain.

3.2 Closure Plan and Approval

On December 12, 2008, Larson & Associates, Inc. (LAI), on behalf of XTO, submitted a below-grade tank closure plan to the OCD in Santa Fe and Hobbs, New Mexico, in accordance with an Agreed Scheduling Order (ASO-008) between XTO and OCD. The Closure Plan was approved and signed by the OCD representative Mr. Brad Jones on July 17, 2009. A copy of the signed C-144 closure plan is provided in Appendix A.

3.3 Landowner and OCD Notifications

In accordance with the approved closure plan and prior to commencing work, on August 19, 2009, notification of closure was sent by XTO to the New Mexico State Land Office (the surface owner) and the OCD. Copies of the notification letters are provided in Appendix B.

3.4 Tank Closure Activities

On August 26, 2009, XTO used a HydroVac truck to excavate around the tank, and a backhoe to remove the tank. Approximately 85 barrels of tank bottoms and 10 cubic yards of excavated soil were disposed at Sundance Services, Inc. (OCD Permit R5516/NM-01-0003). Waste manifests are presented as Appendix C.

On the same day, August 26, 2009, LAI personnel collected a 5-part composite soil sample from the bottom (Tank-1 Bottom) of the excavation. No wet or discolored soil was observed in the excavation. A 5-part composite sample was also collected from the excavated soil pile for waste characterization (Tank-1 Soil Pile).

DHL Analytical, Inc. analyzed the samples for benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, xylenes (BTEX) by method 8021B, total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) by method 418.1 and chloride by method 300.1.

No benzene or BTEX was detected. TPH was detected at 19.3 milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg, parts per million) below the OCD reporting limit of 100 mg/kg. Appendix D contains laboratory analytical reports for this project.

3.5 Excavation Backfilling

An Initial and Final form C-141 was submitted to the OCD Hobbs office for excavation backfilling approval (Appendix E). Backfilling consisted of compacting six- to eight-inch lifts of clean soil purchased from the Mr. Jimmy Cooper, a nearby rancher and soil supplier, and compacting each lift with heavy equipment. The uppermost 18-inches consisted of topsoil also purchased from Mr. Jimmy Cooper. The topsoil was graded to level with the surrounding surface.

Since the former tank was located within an active oilfield tank battery, the site was not drilled and reseeded. See Appendix F for photographs of the entire closure process.

4.0 Conclusion and Recommendation

Based on the documented activities performed in conformance with the OCD-approved below-grade tank closure plan, LAI requests approval of closure for this Site.

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District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, 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
Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144
July 21, 2008

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**Pit, Closed-Loop System, Below-Grade Tank, or
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1.
Operator: XTO ENERGY, INC. OGRID #: 5380
Address: PERMIAN DIVISION-SE NEW MEXICO, P.O. BOX 700, EUNICE, NEW MEXICO 88231
Facility or well name: EMSU-CENTRAL BATTERY/EMSU-WELL NO. 626 (Nearest Well)
API Number: 30-025-31465 (EMSU Well No. 626) OCD Permit Number: _____
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3.
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Within a 100-year floodplain. - FEMA map	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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 NMAC
☐ 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
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☐ 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 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

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 identify 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: _____

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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

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☐ 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.

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☐ Yes ☐ No

Within an unstable area.

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☐ 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): _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

e-mail address: _____ Telephone: _____

20.

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

OCD Representative Signature: _____ Approval Date: _____

Title: _____ 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: _____

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:

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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 Disposal Facility Name: Sundance Services, Inc. Permit Number: R5516/NM-01-0003
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☒ Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)

On-site Closure Location: Latitude 32° 30' 27.93" N Longitude 103° 16' 33.28" W NAD: ☐ 1927 ☒ 1983

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): W. G. Haykus Title: Production Superintendent

Signature: W. G. Haykus Date: 11/09/09

e-mail address: William.haykus@XTO ENERGY.COM Telephone: 432-620-6705

TABLES

Table 1
Soil Analytical Data Summary
EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1
XTO Energy, Inc.
Lea County, New Mexico
Project No.: 8-0137

Sample ID	Date	Benzene	Ethyl benzene	Toluene	Total Xylenes	TRPH	Chlorides
RRAL:							250
Tank-1 Bottom	8/26/2009	<0.00301	<0.00502	<0.00502	<0.00502	<5.59	19.3
Tank-1 Soil Pile	8/26/2009	<0.00320	<0.00533	<0.00533	<0.00533	352	18.4

Notes

RRAL - Recommended Remediation Action Level

Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons analyzed via Method 418.1.

Chlorides analyzed via EPA Method 300.

All values reported in Milligrams per Kilogram - dry (mg/kg, parts per million).

Bold and blue indicates the value exceeds NMOCD requirements.

FIGURES

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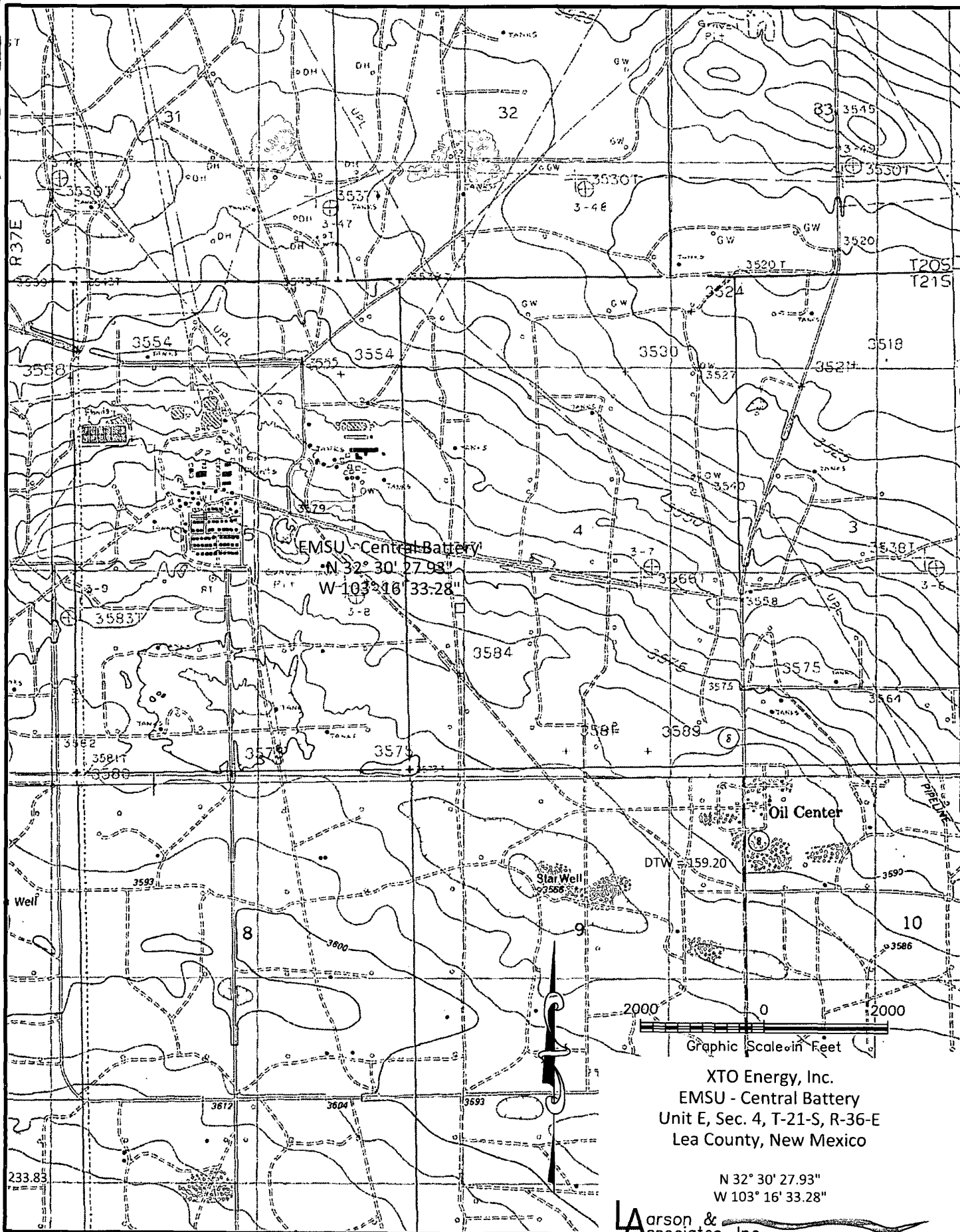


Figure 1 Topographic Map

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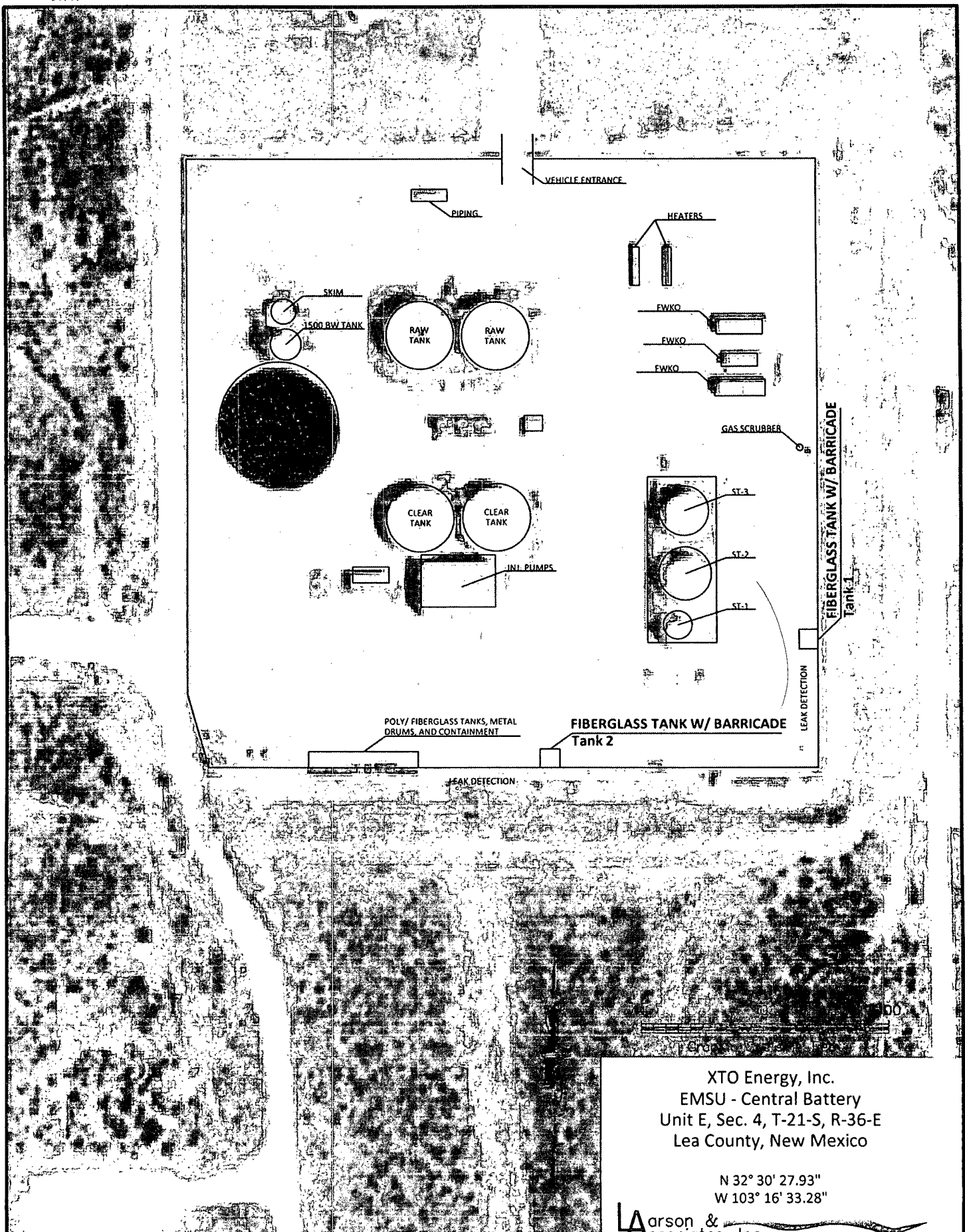


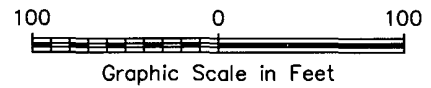
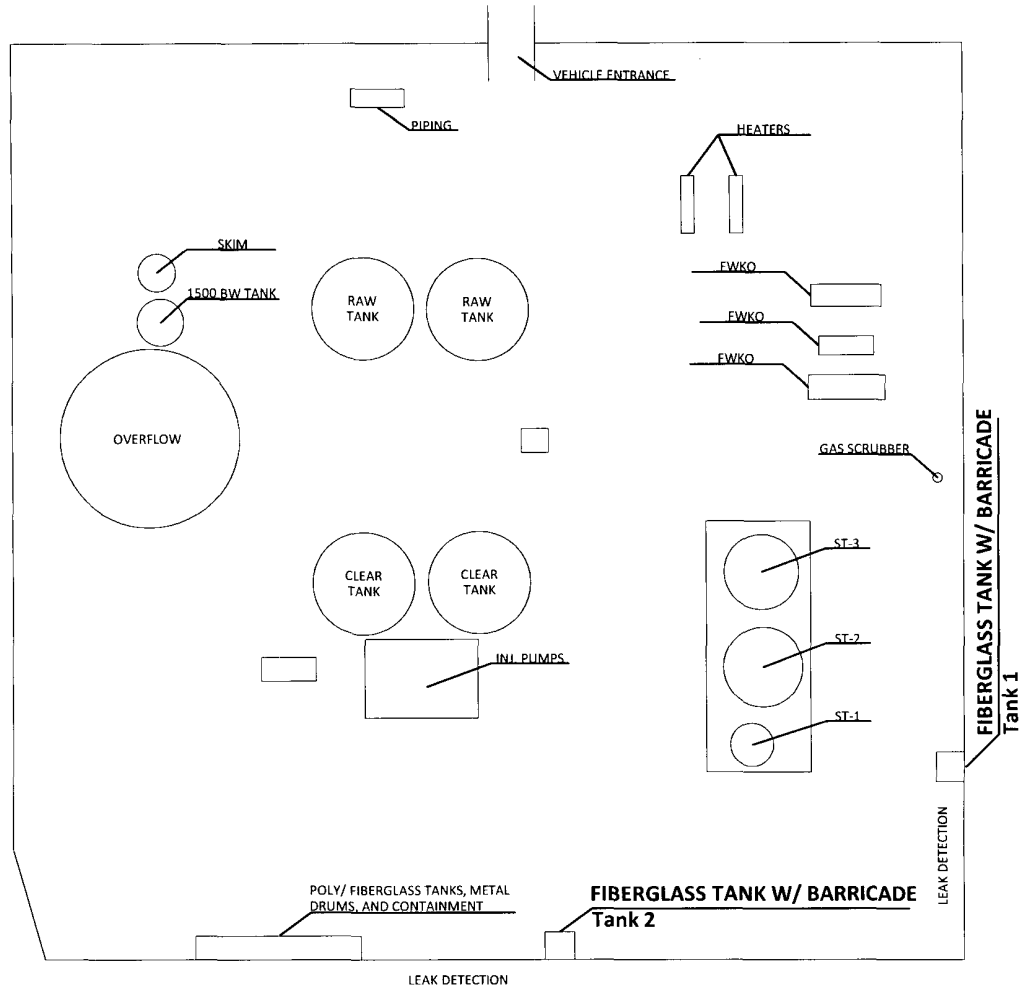
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Volume: 90 bbl Type of fluid: OIL & PRODUCED WATER
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9.

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.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	
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).	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
(Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks)	<input type="checkbox"/> NA
- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	
Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
(Applies to permanent pits)	<input type="checkbox"/> NA
- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	
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.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	
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.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	
Within 500 feet of a wetland.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	
Within an unstable area.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	
Within a 100-year floodplain.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
- FEMA map	

1. **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 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

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 identify 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): W.G. Haykus Title: Production Superintendent
 Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/12/08
 e-mail address: William-haykus@XTOENERGY.com Telephone: 432-670-6705

20.

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

OCD Representative Signature: [Signature] Approval Date: 7/12/09

Title: Environmental Engineer 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: _____

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 identify 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

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): _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

e-mail address: _____ Telephone: _____



August 19, 2009

VIA: Certified Mail (Return Receipt Requested)

Mr. Patrick Lyons, Commissioner
New Mexico State Land Office
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Notice of Below-Grade Tank 2 Closure
XTO Energy, Inc.
Eunice Monument South Unit Central Tank Battery – Tank 2
Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4
Township 21 South, Range 36 East
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Commissioner Lyons,

Pursuant to paragraph (1) of Subsection J of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, notice is hereby given to the New Mexico State Land Office (SLO), as surface owner of record, by XTO Energy, Inc. (XTO) of its intent to close a below-grade tank (Tank #2) at the central tank battery (Facility) located in the Eunice Monument South Unit beginning August 26, 2009. The Facility is located in Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 36 East in Lea County, New Mexico. The latitude and longitude is 32° 30' 27.93" north and 103° 16' 33.28" west, respectively. The closure will be performed according to a plan meeting the requirements of Paragraphs (1) through (6) of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC that was approved by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) on July 17, 2009. The closure plan may be viewed at the OCD District 1 office located in Hobbs, New Mexico or with the OCD Environmental Bureau in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Please contact myself at (432) 682-8873 or Mark Larson with Larson & Associates, Inc. at (432) 687-0901, if you have questions.

Sincerely,

XTO Energy, Inc.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Cliff Green".

Cliff Green
Production Superintendent

Cc: Leon Anderson - SLO Hobbs District (w/Return Receipt)
Dudley McMinn - XTO
Mark Larson - Larson & Associates, Inc.



August 19, 2009

VIA: Certified Mail (Return Receipt Requested)

Mr. Larry Hill
District Supervisor
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1625 N. French Drive
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Notice of Below-Grade Tank 2 Closure
XTO Energy, Inc.
Eunice Monument South Unit Central Tank Battery – Tank 2
Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4
Township 21 South, Range 36 East
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Hill,

Pursuant to paragraph (2) of Subsection J of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, notice is hereby given to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) by XTO Energy, Inc. (XTO) of its intent to close a below-grade tank (Tank #2) at the central tank battery (Facility) located in the Eunice Monument South Unit (EMSU) beginning August 26, 2009. The Facility is located in Unit E (SW/4, NW/4), Section 4, Township 21 South, Range 36 East in Lea County, New Mexico. The latitude and longitude is 32° 30' 27.93" north and 103° 16' 33.28" west, respectively. The nearest well is the EMSU Well no. 626 with API #30-025-31465. The closure will be in accordance with a plan meeting the requirements of Paragraphs (1) through (6) of Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC that was approved by the OCD Environmental Bureau in Santa Fe, New Mexico, on July 17, 2009. Please contact myself at (432) 682-8873 or Mark Larson with Larson & Associates, Inc. at (432) 687-0901, if you have questions.

Sincerely,

XTO Energy, Inc.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Clif Green".

Clif Green
Production Superintendent

Cc: Dudley McMinn – XTO Energy
Mark Larson - Larson & Associates, Inc.

SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.

Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.

Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits.

1. Article Addressed to:

Mr. Patrick Lyons, Commissioner
New Mexico State Land Office
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

2. Article Number
(Transfer from service label) **7009 0820 0001 1970 5083**

PS Form 3811, February 2004 Domestic Return Receipt

3. Service Type
☐ Certified Mail ☐ Express Mail
☐ Registered ☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise
☐ Insured Mail ☐ C.O.D.

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) ☐ Yes

5. Signature ☒ Agent ☐ Addressee
Received by (Printed Name) **Susan Lyons**
Date of Delivery **8/24/07**

6. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If YES, enter delivery address below:

COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

1. Article Addressed to:

Mr. Larry Hill
District Supervisor
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1625 N. French Drive
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

2. Article Number
(Transfer from service label) **7009 0820 0001 1970 5069**

PS Form 3811, February 2004 Domestic Return Receipt

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

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) ☐ Yes

5. Signature ☒ Agent ☐ Addressee
Received by (Printed Name) **Larry Hill**
Date of Delivery **8/24/07**

6. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If YES, enter delivery address below:

SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION

Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.

Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.

Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits.

1. Article Addressed to:

Mr. Leon Anderson
NMOCD - Hobbs Field Office
2702-D North Grimes Street
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

2. Article Number
(Transfer from service label) **7009 0820 0001 1970 5098**

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

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) ☐ Yes

5. Signature ☒ Agent ☐ Addressee
Received by (Printed Name) **James Noyes**
Date of Delivery **8/24/07**

6. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If YES, enter delivery address below:

COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY

1. Article Addressed to:

Mr. Leon Anderson
NMOCD - Hobbs Field Office
2702-D North Grimes Street
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

2. Article Number
(Transfer from service label) **7009 0820 0001 1970 5098**

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3. Service Type
☐ Certified Mail ☐ Express Mail
☐ Registered ☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise
☐ Insured Mail ☐ C.O.D.

4. Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee) ☐ Yes

5. Signature ☒ Agent ☐ Addressee
Received by (Printed Name) **James Noyes**
Date of Delivery **8/24/07**

6. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If YES, enter delivery address below:

APPD-C-

Sundance Services, Inc.

P.O. Box 1737 ★ Eunice, New Mexico 88231

(575) 394-2511

Ticket # 120727

Lease Operator/Shipper/Company: <u>XTO</u>	
Lease Name: <u>Emsu Central Battery</u>	
Transporter Company: <u>Bryans</u>	Time <u>7:45</u> (AM/PM)
Date: <u>8-19-09</u>	Vehicle No. <u>21</u> Driver No. <u>Gene Hudson</u>
Charge To: <u>XTO</u>	

TYPE OF MATERIAL

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Produced Water | <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling Fluids | <input type="checkbox"/> Completion Fluids |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tank Bottoms | <input type="checkbox"/> Contaminated Soil | <input type="checkbox"/> C-117 No.: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Materials | <input type="checkbox"/> BS&W Content: | |

Description: T/B

- ☐ JETOUT
☐ CALLOUT

VOLUME OF MATERIAL

50 BBLs. ARDS

AS A CONDITION TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE MATERIALS SHIPPED WITH THIS JOB TICKET, OPERATOR/SHIPPER REPRESENTS AND WARRANTS THAT THE WASTE MATERIAL SHIPPED HERewith IS MATERIAL EXEMPT FROM THE RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT OF 1976, AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, 40 U.S.C. 6901, ET SEQ., THE NM HEALTH AND SAF. CODE 361.001 ET SEQ., AND REGULATIONS RELATED THERETO. BY VIRTUE OF THE EXEMPTION AFFORDED DRILLING FLUIDS, PRODUCED WATERS, AND OTHER WASTE ASSOCIATED WITH THE EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT OR PRODUCTION OF CRUDE OIL OR NATURAL GAS OR GEOTHERMAL ENERGY.

ALSO AS A CONDITION TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE MATERIALS SHIPPED WITH THIS JOB TICKET, TRANSPORTER REPRESENTS AND WARRANTS THAT ONLY THE MATERIAL DELIVERED BY OPERATOR/SHIPPER TO TRANSPORTER IS NOW DELIVERED BY TRANSPORTER TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S FACILITY FOR DISPOSAL.

THIS WILL CERTIFY that the above Transporter loaded the material represented by this Transporter Statement at the above described location, and that it was tendered by the above described shipper. This will certify that no additional materials were added to this load, and that the material was delivered without incident.

DRIVER: [Signature]

FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE: [Signature]

Sundance Services, Inc.

P.O. Box 1737 ★ Eunice, New Mexico 88231

(575) 394-2511

Ticket # 120743

Lease Operator/Shipper/Company: <u>XTO</u>	
Lease Name: <u>EMSU Central Battery</u>	
Transporter Company: <u>Bryan's</u>	Time <u>10:18</u> <u>AM</u> /PM
Date: <u>8-19-09</u>	Vehicle No. <u>21</u> Gene H.
Charge To: <u>XTO</u>	

TYPE OF MATERIAL

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Produced Water | <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling Fluids | <input type="checkbox"/> Completion Fluids |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tank Bottoms | <input type="checkbox"/> Contaminated Soil | <input type="checkbox"/> C-117 No.: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Materials | <input type="checkbox"/> BS&W Content: | |

Description: T/B

☒ JETOUT
☐ CALLOUT

VOLUME OF MATERIAL 35 BBLs. YARDS

AS A CONDITION TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE MATERIALS SHIPPED WITH THIS JOB TICKET, OPERATOR/SHIPPER REPRESENTS AND WARRANTS THAT THE WASTE MATERIAL SHIPPED HERewith IS MATERIAL EXEMPT FROM THE RESOURCE, CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT OF 1976, AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, 40 U.S.C. 6901, ET SEQ., THE NM HEALTH AND SAF. CODE 361.001 ET SEQ., AND REGULATIONS RELATED THERETO, BY VIRTUE OF THE EXEMPTION AFFORDED DRILLING FLUIDS, PRODUCED WATERS, AND OTHER WASTE ASSOCIATED WITH THE EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT OR PRODUCTION OF CRUDE OIL OR NATURAL GAS OR GEOTHERMAL ENERGY.

ALSO AS A CONDITION TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE MATERIALS SHIPPED WITH THIS JOB TICKET, TRANSPORTER REPRESENTS AND WARRANTS THAT ONLY THE MATERIAL DELIVERED BY OPERATOR/SHIPPER TO TRANSPORTER IS NOW DELIVERED BY TRANSPORTER TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S FACILITY FOR DISPOSAL.

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DRIVER: [Signature]

FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE: Ida Sta Cruz

Sundance Services, Inc.

P.O. Box 1737 ★ Eunice, New Mexico 88231

(575) 394-2511

Ticket # 120746

Lease Operator/Shipper/Company: <u>XTO</u>	
Lease Name: <u>EMSU Central Tank Battery</u>	
Transporter Company: <u>Hydro-tech</u>	Time <u>11:08</u> (AM/PM)
Date: <u>8-19-09</u>	Vehicle No. <u>104</u> Driver No. <u>Gene Hudson</u>
Charge To: <u>XTO</u>	

TYPE OF MATERIAL

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Produced Water | <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling Fluids | <input type="checkbox"/> Completion Fluids |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tank Bottoms | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contaminated Soil | <input type="checkbox"/> C-117 No.: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Materials | <input type="checkbox"/> BS&W Content: | |

Description: O/D

- ☐ JETOUT
☐ CALLOUT

VOLUME OF MATERIAL

BBLs. 10 YARDS

AS A CONDITION TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE MATERIALS SHIPPED WITH THIS JOB TICKET, OPERATOR/SHIPPER REPRESENTS AND WARRANTS THAT THE WASTE MATERIAL SHIPPED HERewith IS MATERIAL EXEMPT FROM THE RESOURCE, CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY ACT OF 1976, AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, 40 U.S.C. 6901, ET SEQ., THE NM HEALTH AND SAF. CODE 361.001 ET SEQ., AND REGULATIONS RELATED THERETO, BY VIRTUE OF THE EXEMPTION AFFORDED DRILLING FLUIDS, PRODUCED WATERS, AND OTHER WASTE ASSOCIATED WITH THE EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT OR PRODUCTION OF CRUDE OIL OR NATURAL GAS OR GEOTHERMAL ENERGY.

ALSO AS A CONDITION TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE MATERIALS SHIPPED WITH THIS JOB TICKET, TRANSPORTER REPRESENTS AND WARRANTS THAT ONLY THE MATERIAL DELIVERED BY OPERATOR/SHIPPER TO TRANSPORTER IS NOW DELIVERED BY TRANSPORTER TO SUNDANCE SERVICES, INC.'S FACILITY FOR DISPOSAL.

THIS WILL CERTIFY that the above Transporter loaded the material represented by this Transporter Statement at the above described location, and that it was tendered by the above described shipper. This will certify that no additional materials were added to this load, and that the material was delivered without incident.

DRIVER: [Signature]

FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE: [Signature]

APP-D-



September 03, 2009

Michelle Green
Larson & Associates
507 N. Marienfeld #200
Midland, TX 79701

Order No: 0908282

TEL: (432) 687-0901
FAX: (432) 687-0456

RE: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1

Dear Michelle Green:

DHL Analytical received 2 sample(s) on 8/27/2009 for the analyses presented in the following report.

There were no problems with the analyses and all data met requirements of NELAC except where noted in the Case Narrative. All non-NELAC methods will be identified accordingly in the case narrative and all estimated uncertainties of test results are within method or EPA specifications.

If you have any questions regarding these tests results, please feel free to call. Thank you for using DHL Analytical.

Sincerely,

John DuPont
Lab Manager

This report was performed under the accreditation of the State of Texas Laboratory Certification Number: T104704211-09-TX



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DATE: 8-26-09

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LAB WORK ORDER #: 0508282

PROJECT LOCATION OR NAME: XTO EMS in Central Battery Tank 1

LAI PROJECT #: 8-0137

COLLECTOR: D. McBride

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1. To: Print Name (Person) 512-3882-9122 Phone (Important)		2. From: Print Name (Person) MICHELLE GREEN Phone (Important) 432-081-4501	
Company Name DHL Analytics		Company Name LARKIN & ASSOCIATES	
Street Address 2300 Double Creek Drive		Street Address 507 NORTH MARLBOROUGH	
City Oxonia, IL		City MIDLAND	
State IL		State TX	
Zip 60454		Zip 79701	
3. Service: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By 10:30am Delivery (Noon to select zip codes.) <input type="checkbox"/> By 8:30am Delivery (Most Cities) (Extra Charge, No Signature Obtained) <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Delivery - By 12 Noon (Extra Charge) <input type="checkbox"/> Other		4. Package: Weight: 20 lbs Your Company's Billing Reference Information	
LIMIT OF LIABILITY: We are not responsible for claims in excess of \$100 for any reason unless you: 1) declare a greater value (no more than \$25,000) 2) pay an additional fee; 3) and document your actual loss in a timely manner. We will not accept any liability for any damage to contents or loss of contents if you do not declare a greater value and pay an additional fee. NO DELIVERY OF CONTENTS TO RESIDENTIAL DELIVERIES.		FOR COURIER USE ONLY Courier Number Pick-up Location City Code	
5. Payment: Signature Release Signature			

CUSTOMER SEAL
DATE: 8-26-07
SIGNATURE: [Signature]

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Quality Environmental Containers
800-255-3950 • 304-255-3900

Sample Receipt Checklist

Client Name **Larson & Associates**

Date Received: **8/27/2009**

Work Order Number **0908282**

Received by **AK**

Checklist completed by: *[Signature]* **8/27/09**
Signature Date

Reviewed by *SS* **8/27/09**
Initials Date

Carrier name: LoneStar

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|---|---|-----------------------------|--|
| Shipping container/cooler in good condition? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | Not Present <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Custody seals intact on shipping container/cooler? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | Not Present <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Custody seals intact on sample bottles? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | Not Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Chain of custody present? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Chain of custody signed when relinquished and received? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Chain of custody agrees with sample labels? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Samples in proper container/bottle? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Sample containers intact? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Sufficient sample volume for indicated test? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| All samples received within holding time? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Container/Temp Blank temperature in compliance? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | 2.4 °C |
| Water - VOA vials have zero headspace? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | No VOA vials submitted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Water - pH acceptable upon receipt? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> | Not Applicable <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Adjusted? _____ Checked by _____

Any No response must be detailed in the comments section below.

Client contacted _____ Date contacted: _____ Person contacted _____

Contacted by: _____ Regarding: _____

Comments: _____

Corrective Action _____

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1
Lab Order: 0908282

CASE NARRATIVE

Sample was analyzed using the methods outlined in the following references:

Method SW8021B - Volatile Organics by GC
Method E418.1 - TRPH Analysis
Method E300 - Anions Analysis
Method D2216 - Percent Moisture

LOG IN

Samples were received and log-in performed on 8/27/09. A total of 2 samples were received. The time of collection was Mountain Standard Time. The samples arrived in good condition and were properly packaged.

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1
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Work Order Sample Summary

Lab Smp ID	Client Sample ID	Tag Number	Date Collected	Date Recv'd
0908282-01	Tank-1 Bottom		08/26/09 08:55 AM	08/27/09
0908282-02	Tank-1 Soil Pile		08/26/09 08:15 AM	08/27/09

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1
Lab Order: 0908282

PREP DATES REPORT

Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Collection Date	Matrix	Test Number	Test Name	Prep Date	Batch ID
0908282-01A	Tank-1 Bottom	08/26/09 08:55 AM	Soil	SW5030B	Purge and Trap Soils GC	09/01/09 08:37 AM	36929
0908282-01B	Tank-1 Bottom	08/26/09 08:55 AM	Soil	SW3550B	Soil Prep Sonication: TRPH	09/02/09 09:30 AM	36964
	Tank-1 Bottom	08/26/09 08:55 AM	Soil	E300	Anion Prep	08/28/09 09:39 AM	36884
	Tank-1 Bottom	08/26/09 08:55 AM	Soil	D2216	Moisture Preparation	09/02/09 10:30 AM	36961
0908282-02A	Tank-1 Soil Pile	08/26/09 08:15 AM	Soil	SW5030B	Purge and Trap Soils GC	09/01/09 08:37 AM	36929
0908282-02B	Tank-1 Soil Pile	08/26/09 08:15 AM	Soil	SW3550B	Soil Prep Sonication: TRPH	09/02/09 09:30 AM	36964
	Tank-1 Soil Pile	08/26/09 08:15 AM	Soil	E300	Anion Prep	08/28/09 09:39 AM	36884
	Tank-1 Soil Pile	08/26/09 08:15 AM	Soil	D2216	Moisture Preparation	09/02/09 10:30 AM	36961

DHL Analytical

Date: 09/03/09

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
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Lab Order: 0908282

ANALYTICAL DATES REPORT

Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Matrix	Test Number	Test Name	Batch ID	Dilution	Analysis Date	Run ID
0908282-01A	Tank-1 Bottom	Soil	SW8021B	Volatile Organics by GC	36929	1	09/01/09 02:09 PM	GC4_090901A
0908282-01B	Tank-1 Bottom	Soil	E300	Anions by IC method - Soil	36884	1	08/31/09 11:14 AM	IC2_090831A
	Tank-1 Bottom	Soil	D2216	Percent Moisture	36961	1	09/02/09 04:30 PM	PMOIST_090902A
	Tank-1 Bottom	Soil	E418.1	TRPH	36964	1	09/02/09 01:30 PM	IR207_090902A
0908282-02A	Tank-1 Soil Pile	Soil	SW8021B	Volatile Organics by GC	36929	1	09/01/09 10:54 PM	GC4_090901A
0908282-02B	Tank-1 Soil Pile	Soil	E300	Anions by IC method - Soil	36884	1	08/31/09 11:28 AM	IC2_090831A
	Tank-1 Soil Pile	Soil	D2216	Percent Moisture	36961	1	09/02/09 04:30 PM	PMOIST_090902A
	Tank-1 Soil Pile	Soil	E418.1	TRPH	36964	1	09/02/09 01:30 PM	IR207_090902A

DHL Analytical

Date: 09/03/09

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
 Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1
 Project No: 8-0137
 Lab Order: 0908282

Client Sample ID: Tank-1 Bottom
 Lab ID: 0908282-01
 Collection Date: 08/26/09 08:55 AM
 Matrix: Soil

Analyses	Result	MDL	RL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
Volatile Organics by GC		SW8021B					Analyst: JAW
Benzene	ND	0.00301	0.00502		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 02:09 PM
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00502	0.0151		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 02:09 PM
Toluene	ND	0.00502	0.0151		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 02:09 PM
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.00502	0.0151		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 02:09 PM
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	89.7	0	79 - 135		%REC	1	09/01/09 02:09 PM
TRPH		E418.1					Analyst: JBC
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	ND	5.59	11.2	N	mg/Kg-dry	1	09/02/09 01:30 PM
Anions by IC method - Soil		E300					Analyst: JBC
Chloride	19.3	5.60	5.60		mg/Kg-dry	1	08/31/09 11:14 AM
Percent Moisture		D2216					Analyst: RP
Percent Moisture	11.1	0	0		WT%	1	09/02/09 04:30 PM

Qualifiers:	*	Value exceeds TCLP Maximum Concentration Level	J	Analyte detected between MDL and RL
	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank	MDL	Method Detection Limit
	C	Sample Result or QC discussed in the Case Narrative	N	Parameter not NELAC certified
	DF	Dilution Factor	ND	Not Detected at the Method Detection Limit
	E	TPH pattern not Gas or Diesel Range Pattern	RL	Reporting Limit
			S	Spike Recovery outside control limits

DHL Analytical

Date: 09/03/09

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1
Project No: 8-0137
Lab Order: 0908282

Client Sample ID: Tank-1 Soil Pile
Lab ID: 0908282-02
Collection Date: 08/26/09 08:15 AM
Matrix: Soil

Analyses	Result	MDL	RL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
Volatile Organics by GC		SW8021B					Analyst: JAW
Benzene	ND	0.00320	0.00533		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 10:54 PM
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.00533	0.0160		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 10:54 PM
Toluene	ND	0.00533	0.0160		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 10:54 PM
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.00533	0.0160		mg/Kg-dry	1	09/01/09 10:54 PM
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	78.9	0	79 - 135		%REC	1	09/01/09 10:54 PM
TRPH		E418.1					Analyst: JBC
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	352	5.85	11.7	N	mg/Kg-dry	1	09/02/09 01:30 PM
Anions by IC method - Soil		E300					Analyst: JBC
Chloride	18.4	5.80	5.80		mg/Kg-dry	1	08/31/09 11:28 AM
Percent Moisture		D2216					Analyst: RP
Percent Moisture	14.8	0	0		WT%	1	09/02/09 04:30 PM

Qualifiers:	*	Value exceeds TCLP Maximum Concentration Level	J	Analyte detected between MDL and RL
	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank	MDL	Method Detection Limit
	C	Sample Result or QC discussed in the Case Narrative	N	Parameter not NELAC certified
	DF	Dilution Factor	ND	Not Detected at the Method Detection Limit
	E	TPH pattern not Gas or Diesel Range Pattern	RL	Reporting Limit
			S	Spike Recovery outside control limits

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
 Work Order: 0908282
 Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1

ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

RunID: GC4_090901A

Sample ID:	LCS-36929	Batch ID:	36929	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	LCS	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/01/09 10:21 AM	Prep Date:	09/01/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	0.0968	0.00500	0.1000	0	96.8	65	113			
Toluene	0.102	0.0150	0.1000	0	102	73	115			
Ethylbenzene	0.104	0.0150	0.1000	0	104	74	118			
Xylenes, Total	0.309	0.0150	0.3000	0	103	73	119			
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.214		0.2000		107	79	135			

Sample ID:	MB-36929	Batch ID:	36929	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	MBLK	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/01/09 11:39 AM	Prep Date:	09/01/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	ND	0.00500								
Toluene	ND	0.0150								
Ethylbenzene	ND	0.0150								
Xylenes, Total	ND	0.0150								
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.208		0.2000		104	79	135			

Sample ID:	0908302-15AMS	Batch ID:	36929	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg-dry			
SampType:	MS	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/01/09 10:10 PM	Prep Date:	09/01/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	0.104	0.00579	0.1158	0	90.2	65	113			
Toluene	0.105	0.0174	0.1158	0	90.4	73	115			
Ethylbenzene	0.105	0.0174	0.1158	0	90.9	74	118			
Xylenes, Total	0.319	0.0174	0.3473	0	91.7	73	119			
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.215		0.2316		92.8	79	135			

Sample ID:	0908302-15AMSD	Batch ID:	36929	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg-dry			
SampType:	MSD	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/01/09 10:31 PM	Prep Date:	09/01/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	0.110	0.00579	0.1158	0	94.7	65	113	4.87	30	
Toluene	0.110	0.0174	0.1158	0	94.7	73	115	4.65	30	
Ethylbenzene	0.110	0.0174	0.1158	0	94.9	74	118	4.31	30	
Xylenes, Total	0.333	0.0174	0.3473	0	95.8	73	119	4.37	30	
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.218		0.2316		94.0	79	135	0	0	

Qualifiers:	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank	R	RPD outside accepted control limits
	DF	Dilution Factor	RL	Reporting Limit
	J	Analyte detected between MDL and RL	S	Spike Recovery outside control limits
	MDL	Method Detection Limit	J	Analyte detected between SDL and RL
	ND	Not Detected at the Method Detection Limit	N	Parameter not NELAC certified

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
 Work Order: 0908282
 Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1

ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

RunID: GC4_090901A

Sample ID:	ICV-090901	Batch ID:	R45275	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	ICV	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/01/09 09:58 AM	Prep Date:				
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	0.196	0.00500	0.2000	0	97.8	85	115			
Toluene	0.205	0.0150	0.2000	0	103	85	115			
Ethylbenzene	0.208	0.0150	0.2000	0	104	85	115			
Xylenes, Total	0.619	0.0150	0.6000	0	103	85	115			
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.227		0.2000		114	79	135			

Sample ID:	CCV1-090901	Batch ID:	R45275	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	CCV	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/01/09 04:22 PM	Prep Date:				
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	0.0996	0.00500	0.1000	0	99.7	85	115			
Toluene	0.0986	0.0150	0.1000	0	98.6	85	115			
Ethylbenzene	0.101	0.0150	0.1000	0	101	85	115			
Xylenes, Total	0.304	0.0150	0.3000	0	101	85	115			
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.173		0.2000		86.3	79	135			

Sample ID:	CCV2-090901	Batch ID:	R45275	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	CCV	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/01/09 09:04 PM	Prep Date:				
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	0.0974	0.00500	0.1000	0	97.4	85	115			
Toluene	0.0998	0.0150	0.1000	0	99.8	85	115			
Ethylbenzene	0.101	0.0150	0.1000	0	101	85	115			
Xylenes, Total	0.303	0.0150	0.3000	0	101	85	115			
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.168		0.2000		84.0	79	135			

Sample ID:	CCV3-090901	Batch ID:	R45275	TestNo:	SW8021B	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	CCV	Run ID:	GC4_090901A	Analysis Date:	09/02/09 12:44 AM	Prep Date:				
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Benzene	0.101	0.00500	0.1000	0	101	85	115			
Toluene	0.0989	0.0150	0.1000	0	98.9	85	115			
Ethylbenzene	0.0998	0.0150	0.1000	0	99.8	85	115			
Xylenes, Total	0.298	0.0150	0.3000	0	99.4	85	115			
Surr: Tetrachloroethene	0.169		0.2000		84.7	79	135			

Qualifiers:	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank	R	RPD outside accepted control limits
	DF	Dilution Factor	RL	Reporting Limit
	J	Analyte detected between MDL and RL	S	Spike Recovery outside control limits
	MDL	Method Detection Limit	J	Analyte detected between SDL and RL
	ND	Not Detected at the Method Detection Limit	N	Parameter not NELAC certified

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
Work Order: 0908282
Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1

ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

RunID: IC2_090831A

Sample ID:	LCS-36884	Batch ID:	36884		TestNo:	E300		Units:	mg/Kg		
SampType:	LCS	Run ID:	IC2_090831A		Analysis Date:	08/31/09 09:46 AM		Prep Date:	08/28/09		
Analyte		Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Chloride		52.3	5.00	50.00	0	105	80	120			
Sample ID:	LCSD-36884	Batch ID:	36884		TestNo:	E300		Units:	mg/Kg		
SampType:	LCSD	Run ID:	IC2_090831A		Analysis Date:	08/31/09 10:01 AM		Prep Date:	08/28/09		
Analyte		Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Chloride		52.0	5.00	50.00	0	104	80	120	0.481	20	
Sample ID:	MB-36884	Batch ID:	36884		TestNo:	E300		Units:	mg/Kg		
SampType:	MBLK	Run ID:	IC2_090831A		Analysis Date:	08/31/09 10:15 AM		Prep Date:	08/28/09		
Analyte		Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Chloride		ND	5.00								
Sample ID:	0908282-01B MS	Batch ID:	36884		TestNo:	E300		Units:	mg/Kg-dry		
SampType:	MS	Run ID:	IC2_090831A		Analysis Date:	08/31/09 12:27 PM		Prep Date:	08/28/09		
Analyte		Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Chloride		68.8	5.60	56.04	11.59	102	80	120			
Sample ID:	0908282-01B MSD	Batch ID:	36884		TestNo:	E300		Units:	mg/Kg-dry		
SampType:	MSD	Run ID:	IC2_090831A		Analysis Date:	08/31/09 12:42 PM		Prep Date:	08/28/09		
Analyte		Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Chloride		69.5	5.60	56.04	11.59	103	80	120	1.03	20	

Qualifiers:	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank	R	RPD outside accepted control limits
	DF	Dilution Factor	RL	Reporting Limit
	J	Analyte detected between MDL and RL	S	Spike Recovery outside control limits
	MDL	Method Detection Limit	J	Analyte detected between SDL and RL
	ND	Not Detected at the Method Detection Limit	N	Parameter not NELAC certified

CLIENT: Larson & Associates
Work Order: 0908282
Project: XTO EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1

ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT

RunID: IC2_090831A

Sample ID:	ICV-090831	Batch ID:	R45225	TestNo:	E300	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	ICV	Run ID:	IC2_090831A	Analysis Date:	08/31/09 09:23 AM	Prep Date:	08/31/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Chloride	26.9	5.00	25.00	0	108	90	110			

Sample ID:	CCV1-090831	Batch ID:	R45225	TestNo:	E300	Units:	mg/Kg			
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Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Chloride	10.4	5.00	10.00	0	104	90	110			

Qualifiers: B Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank
DF Dilution Factor
J Analyte detected between MDL and RL
MDL Method Detection Limit
ND Not Detected at the Method Detection Limit

R RPD outside accepted control limits
RL Reporting Limit
S Spike Recovery outside control limits
J Analyte detected between SDL and RL
N Parameter not NELAC certified

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RunID: IR207_090902A

Sample ID:	LCS-36964	Batch ID:	36964	TestNo:	E418.1	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	LCS	Run ID:	IR207_090902A	Analysis Date:	09/02/09 01:30 PM	Prep Date:	09/02/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	92.5	10.0	100.0	0	92.5	80	120			N

Sample ID:	MB-36964	Batch ID:	36964	TestNo:	E418.1	Units:	mg/Kg			
SampType:	MBLK	Run ID:	IR207_090902A	Analysis Date:	09/02/09 01:30 PM	Prep Date:	09/02/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	ND	10.0								N

Sample ID:	0908282-01B MS	Batch ID:	36964	TestNo:	E418.1	Units:	mg/Kg-dry			
SampType:	MS	Run ID:	IR207_090902A	Analysis Date:	09/02/09 01:30 PM	Prep Date:	09/02/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	92.2	11.2	111.7	0	82.5	80	120			N

Sample ID:	0908282-01B MSD	Batch ID:	36964	TestNo:	E418.1	Units:	mg/Kg-dry			
SampType:	MSD	Run ID:	IR207_090902A	Analysis Date:	09/02/09 01:30 PM	Prep Date:	09/02/09			
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR	98.4	11.2	112.4	0	87.5	80	120	6.48	20	N

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RunID: IR207_090902A

Sample ID:	ICV-090902	Batch ID:	418_S-09/02/09	TestNo:	E418.1	Units:	mg/Kg				
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Analyte		Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR		275	10.0	250.0	0	110	90	110			N

Sample ID:	CCV1-090902	Batch ID:	418_S-09/02/09	TestNo:	E418.1	Units:	mg/Kg				
SampType:	CCV	Run ID:	IR207_090902A	Analysis Date:	09/02/09 01:30 PM	Prep Date:					
Analyte		Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual
Petroleum Hydrocarbons, TR		272	10.0	250.0	0	109	85	115			N

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ANALYTICAL QC SUMMARY REPORT
RunID: PMOIST_090902A

Sample ID:	0908302-16B-DUP		Batch ID:	36961		TestNo:	D2216		Units:	WT%	
SampType:	DUP		Run ID:	PMOIST_090902A		Analysis Date:	09/02/09 04:30 PM		Prep Date:	09/02/09	
Analyte	Result	RL	SPK value	Ref Val	%REC	LowLimit	HighLimit	%RPD	RPD Limit	Qual	
Percent Moisture	34.2	0	0	33.58				1.89	30		

Qualifiers:	B	Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank	R	RPD outside accepted control limits
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Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

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Address: P.O. Box 700, Eunice, New Mexico 88231	Telephone No.: (575) 394-2089
Facility Name: EMSU - Central Battery Tank 1	Facility Type: Tank Battery - Nearest Well is EMSU #626 (API #30-025-31465)

Surface Owner: State of New Mexico	Mineral Owner	Lease No.
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter E	Section 4	Township 21S	Range 36E	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County Lea
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Latitude: N 32° 30' 27.93" Longitude: W 103° 16' 33.28"

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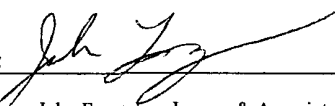
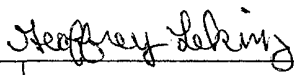
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Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

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Printed Name: John Fergersen, Larson & Associates, Inc. (Consultant)		Approved by District Supervisor ENV ENGINEER: 	
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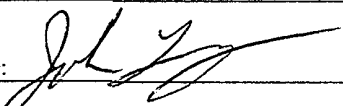
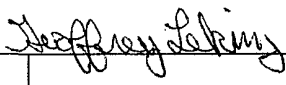
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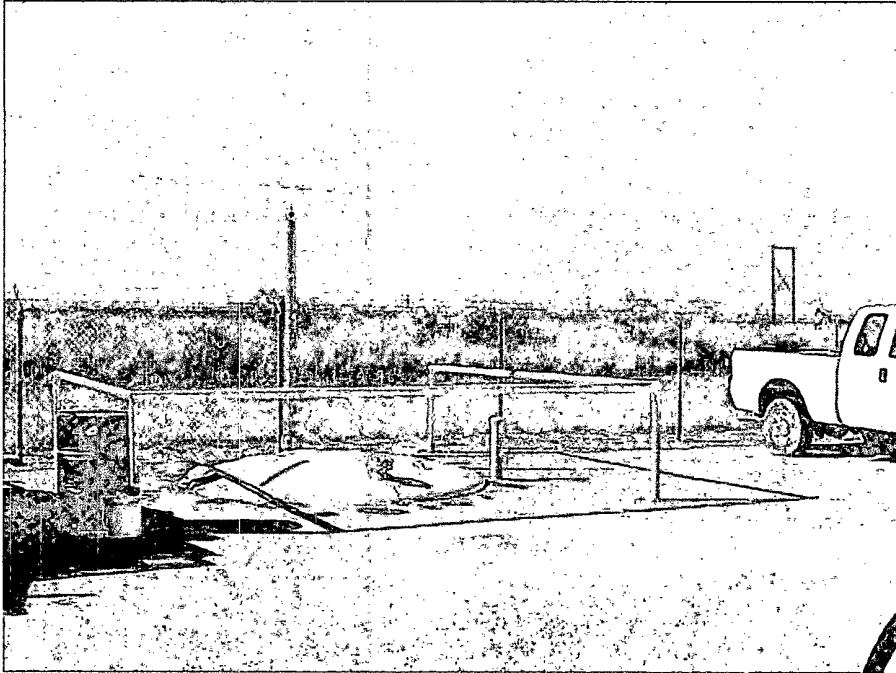
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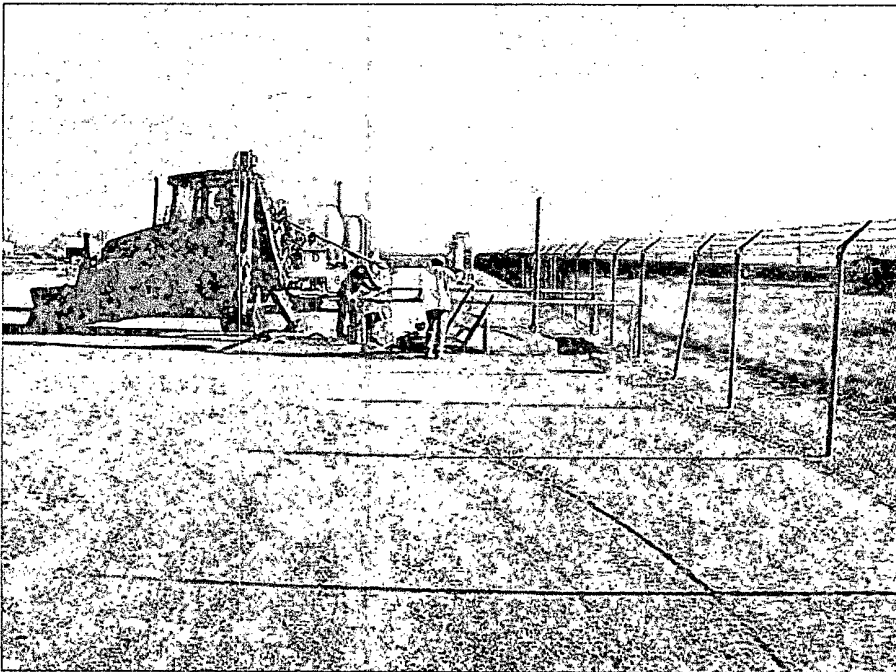
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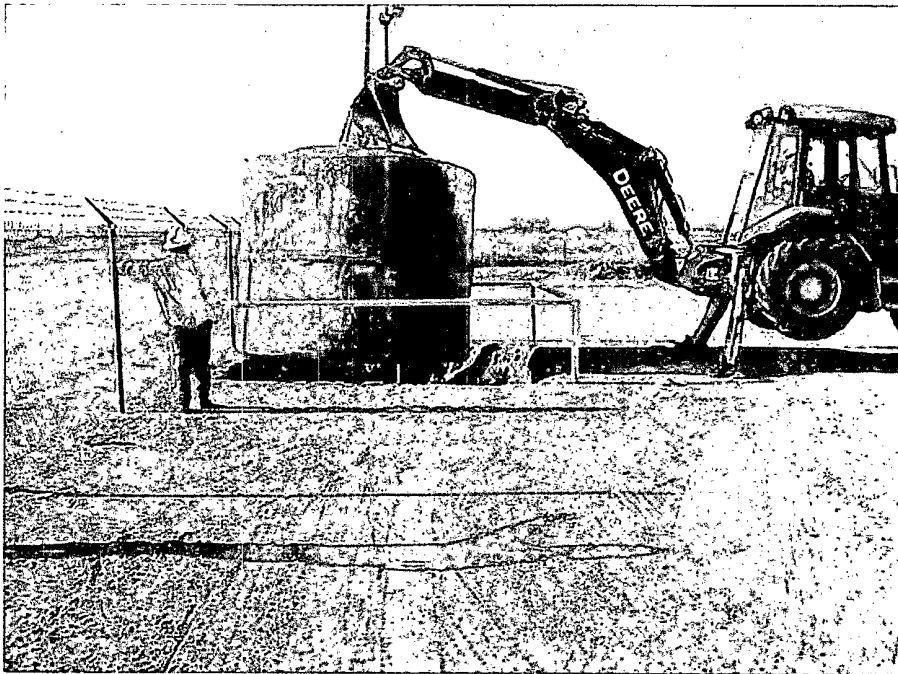
Eunice Monument South Unit (EMSU) Central Battery Tank #1 (CBT-1) prior to site activities. The tank is a nominal 90 barrel below grade fiberglass tank.



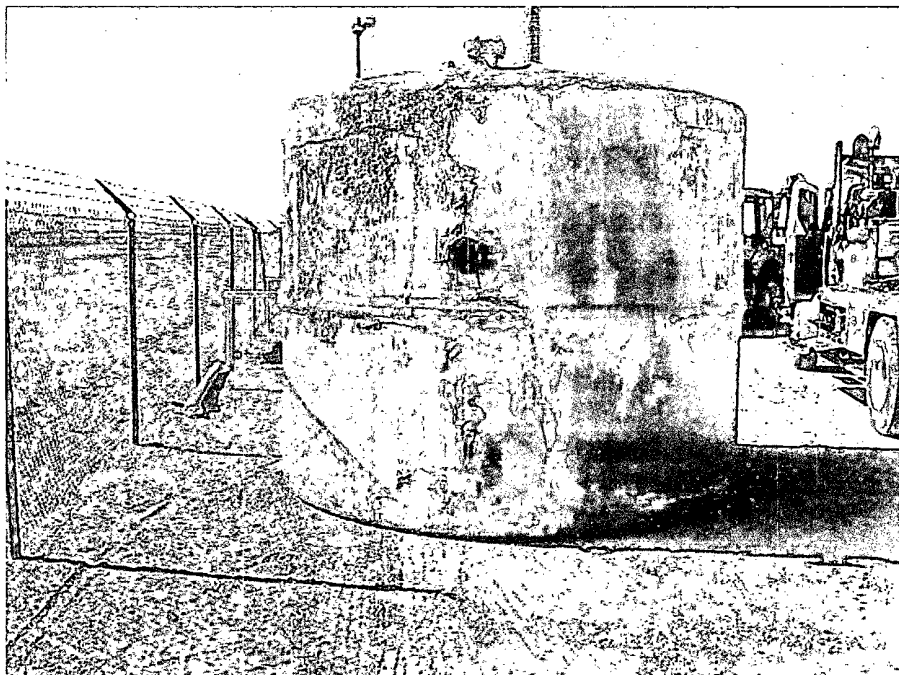
A HydroVac truck was used to excavate soil around the tank, and a backhoe was used to remove and refill the tank.



No liquid dripped from the single tank connection in the hold.



The below-grade tank being removed from the site



Another view of the removed tank.



No wetness nor discolored soil was observed in the excavation.



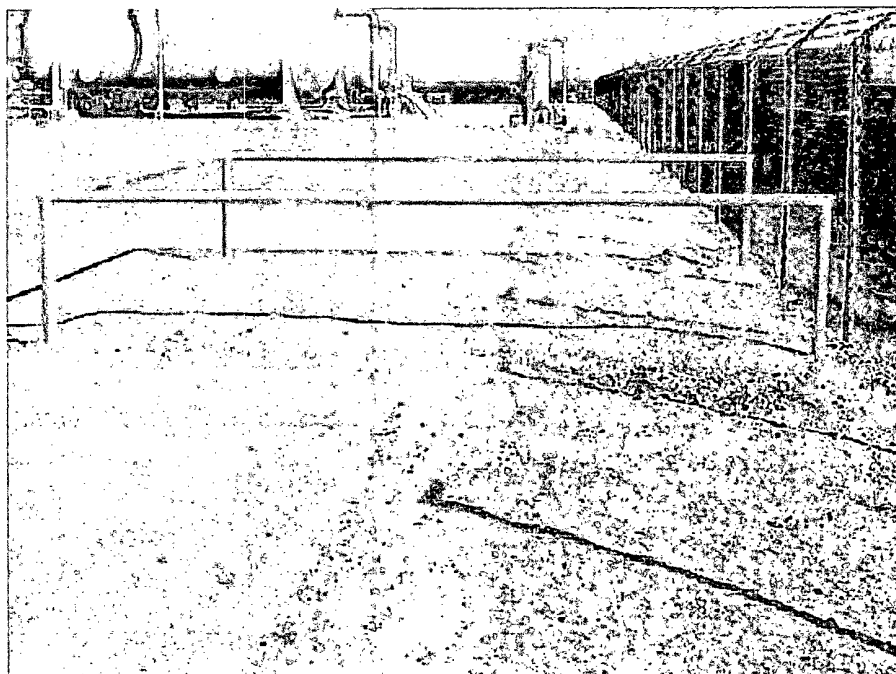
Ancillary piping being removed from the excavation.



Capping the former pipe connection.



The site was backfilled with clean fill purchased from Jimmy Cooper, a local surface lease and landowner.



Another view of the closed EMSU CBT-1.