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Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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PIT REMEDIATION AND CLOSURE REPORT

Operator: <u>PNM Gas Services (Burlington)</u>		Telephone: <u>324-3764</u>
Address: <u>603 W. Elm Street Farmington, NM 87401</u>		
Facility or Well Name: <u>Whitley #7E</u>		
Location:	Unit <u>F</u>	Sec <u>9</u> T <u>27 N</u> R <u>9 W</u> County <u>San Juan</u>
Pit Type:	Separator <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dehydrator <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Land Type:	BLM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	State <input type="checkbox"/> Fee <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Pit Location: Pit dimensions: length <u>15</u> ' width <u>15</u> ' depth <u>3</u> '		
(Attach diagram)	Reference: wellhead <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	other _____
Footage from reference: <u>90</u> '		
Direction from reference: <u>Due</u> Degrees <input type="checkbox"/> East <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> North <input type="checkbox"/> West of <input type="checkbox"/> South <input type="checkbox"/>		
Depth to Ground Water: <small>(Vertical distance from contaminants to seasonal high water elevation of ground water)</small>		
Less than 50 feet (20 points) 50 feet to 99 feet (10 points) Greater than 100 feet (0 points) <u>0</u>		
Wellhead Protection Area: <small>(Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or, less than 1,000 feet from all other water sources)</small>		
Yes (20 points) No (0 points) <u>0</u>		
Distance to Surface Water: <small>(Horizontal distance to perennial lakes, ponds, rivers, streams, creeks, irrigation canals and ditches)</small>		
Less than 200 feet (20 points) 200 feet to 1,000 feet (10 points) Greater than 1,000 feet (0 points) <u>0</u>		
RANKING SCORE (TOTAL POINTS): <u>0</u>		

Whitley #7E

Date Remediation Started: 07/19/1999

Date Completed: 07/19/1999

Remediation Method:

Excavation

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Approx. Cubic Yard

108

(Check all appropriate sections)

Landfarmed

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Amount Landfarmed (cubic yds)

70

Other

38 cu yds clean overburden.

Remediation Location:

Onsite

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Offsite

(i.e., landfarmed onsite, name and location of offsite facility)

Backfill Material Location:

General Description of Remedial Action:

Excavated contaminated soil to a pit size of 22' X 19' X 7' and landfarmed soil onsite within a bermed area at a depth of 6" to 12". Soil was aerated by disking/plowing until soil met regulatory levels.

*** Sandstone encountered at 7'. See attached risk analysis form.

Ground Water Encountered:

No

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Yes

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Depth

Final Pit Closure Sampling:

Sample Location

5 pt composite-bottom

(if multiple samples, attach sample result and diagram of sample locations and depths.)

Sample depth

7'

Sample date

07/19/1999

Sample time

10:35:00 AM

Sample Results

Benzene (ppm)

9.9

Total BTEX (ppm)

213.9 ***

Field headspace (ppm)

TPH (ppm)

3180.00

Method

8015B

Vertical Extent (ft)

Risk Analysis form attached

Yes

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No

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Ground Water Sample:

Yes

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No

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(If yes, see attached Groundwater Site Summary Report)

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION ABOVE IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND MY BELIEF

DATE January 24, 2000

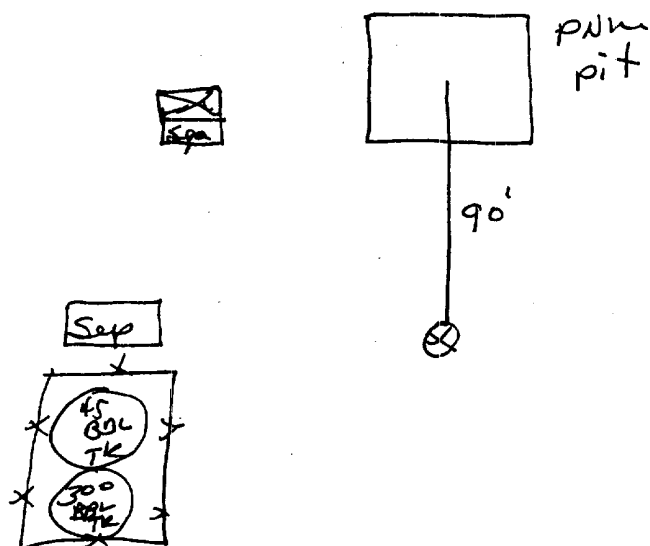
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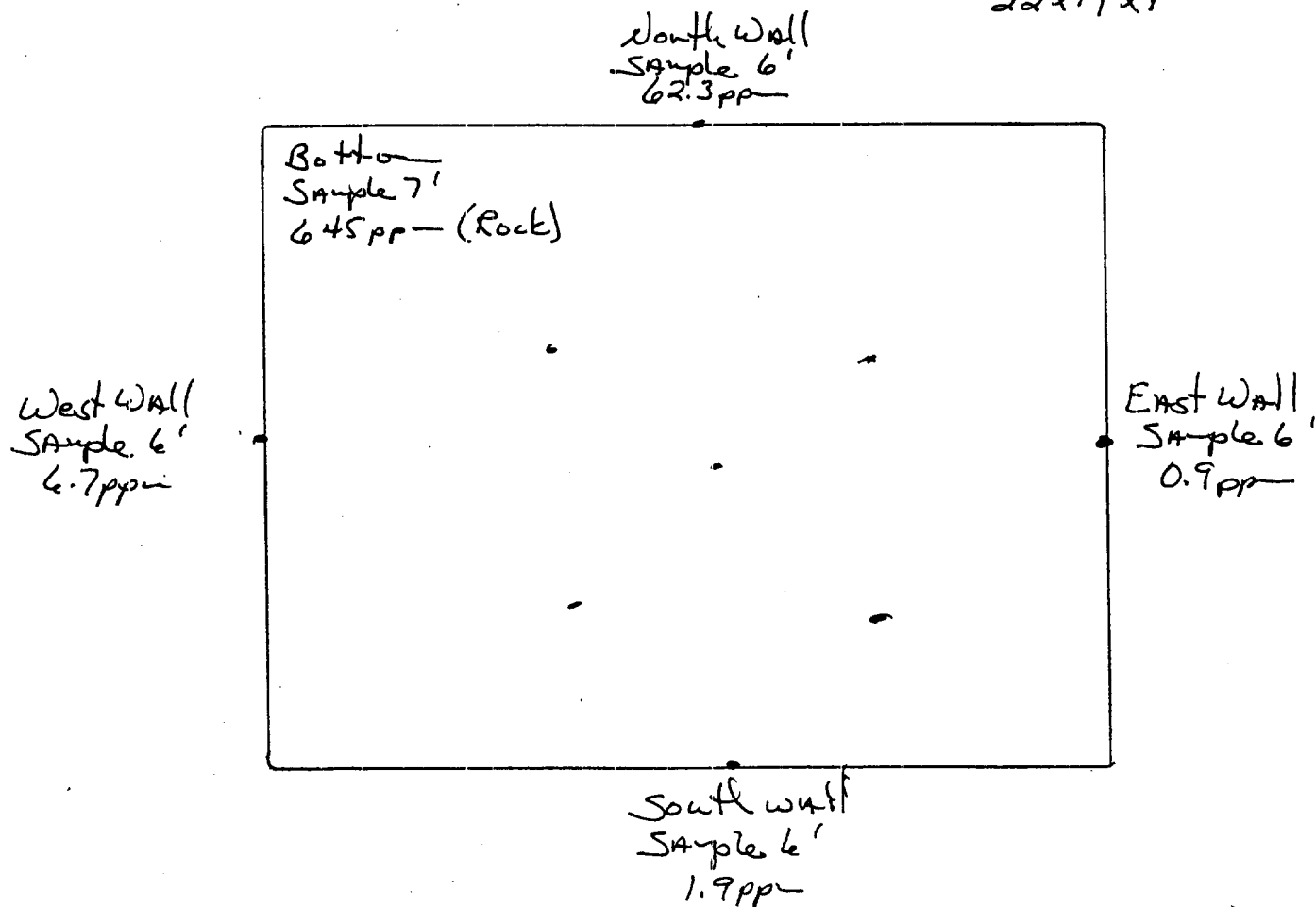
Whitley IL
Sec. 9 T27N R9W Unit B
Burlington

Site Drawing



Excavation Drawing:

22'x19'x7'



Field Headspace: 13.8 ppm (walls)

Not to scale

OFF: (505) 325-5667



LAB: (505) 325-1556

On Site Technologies, LTD.

Date: 04-Aug-99

CLIENT: PNM - Public Service Company of NM

Project: Whitley 8 & 7E

Lab Order: 9907045

CASE NARRATIVE

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

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

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

OFF: (505) 325-5667



LAB: (505) 325-1556

ANALYTICAL REPORT

Date: 04-Aug-99

Client:	PNM - Public Service Company of NM	Client Sample Info:	Whitley 7E
Work Order:	9907045	Client Sample ID:	9907191035; 5pt Bottom Comp
Lab ID:	9907045-04A	Matrix:	SOIL
Project:	Whitley 8 & 7E	Collection Date:	7/19/99 10:35:00 AM
		COC Record:	7492

Parameter	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS						
		SW8015B				Analyst: DC
T/R Hydrocarbons: C10-C28	3180	25		mg/Kg	1	7/30/99
AROMATIC VOLATILES BY GC/PID						
		SW8021B				Analyst: DC
Benzene	9900	1000		µg/Kg	1000	7/29/99
Toluene	71000	2000		µg/Kg	1000	7/29/99
Ethylbenzene	10000	1000		µg/Kg	1000	7/29/99
m,p-Xylene	100000	2000		µg/Kg	1000	7/29/99
o-Xylene	23000	1000		µg/Kg	1000	7/29/99

213900
213.90 ppm

Qualifiers:

PQL - Practical Quantitation Limit

ND - Not Detected at Practical Quantitation Limit

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S - Spike Recovery outside accepted recovery limits

R - RPD outside accepted recovery limits

E - Value above quantitation range

Surr: - Surrogate

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OFF: (505) 325-5667



LAB: (505) 325-1556

ANALYTICAL REPORT

Date: 04-Aug-99

Client:	PNM - Public Service Company of NM	Client Sample Info:	Whitley 7E
Work Order:	9907045	Client Sample ID:	9907191034; 4pt Wall Comp
Lab ID:	9907045-03A	Matrix:	SOIL
Project:	Whitley 8 & 7E	Collection Date:	7/19/99 10:34:00 AM
		COC Record:	7492

Parameter	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS		SW8015B				Analyst: DC
T/R Hydrocarbons: C10-C28	ND	25		mg/Kg	1	7/30/99

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Whitley 1L
Sec. 9 T27N R9W Unit B.
Burlington

Land from Drawing

App

cu. yds

33'

30'

31.7 ppm

19.7 ppm

11.3 ppm

13.6 ppm

96.3 ppm

45'

2" to 12" Depth
Headspace. 328 ppm
Sample # 9909011000

Not to scale

OFF: (505) 325-5667

ON SITE

LAB: (505) 325-1556

TECHNOLOGIES, LTD.

On Site Technologies, LTD.

Date: 15-Sep-99

CLIENT: PNM - Public Service Company of NM
Project: Hanks & Whitley Landfarms
Lab Order: 9909004

CASE NARRATIVE

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

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

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

OFF: (505) 325-5667



LAB: (505) 325-1556

ANALYTICAL REPORT

Date: 15-Sep-99

Client:	PNM - Public Service Company of NM	Client Sample Info:	Whitley #7E LF
Work Order:	9909004	Client Sample ID:	9909011000; 5pt Composite
Lab ID:	9909004-07A	Matrix:	SOIL
Project:	Hanks & Whitley Landfarms	Collection Date:	9/1/99 10:00:00 AM
		COC Record:	7655

Parameter	Result	PQL	Qual	Units	DF	Date Analyzed
DIESEL RANGE ORGANICS		SW8015B				Analyst: DM
T/R Hydrocarbons: C10-C28	2000	25		mg/Kg	1	9/9/99
AROMATIC VOLATILES BY GC/PID		SW8021B				Analyst: HR
Benzene	ND	100		µg/Kg	100	9/7/99
Toluene	ND	200		µg/Kg	100	9/7/99
Ethylbenzene	350	100		µg/Kg	100	9/7/99
m,p-Xylene	3700	200		µg/Kg	100	9/7/99
o-Xylene	180	100		µg/Kg	100	9/7/99

4230
4.230 ppm

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Environmental Services

Well Name:	Whitley #7E
Well Legals:	Sec 9, T27N, R9W, Unit F
Pit Type:	Separator
Horizontal Distance to Surface Water:	Greater than 1,000 feet
Groundwater Depth:	Greater than 100 feet

RISK ANALYSIS

PNM requests closure of their former pit on the Whitley #7E well site using a limited risk analysis based on the following conditions:

1. Groundwater is estimated to be at a depth of 380 feet based upon the elevation of the site and the elevation of the nearest "listed" or "named" wash. (Reference: Huerfanito Peak, NM series 7.5 minute topographic map.)
2. PNM excavated 108 cubic yards of soil from the former pit. Subsurface lateral contamination has been remediated (see attached map and analytical results for the side wall profiles). Source removal minimizes the possibility of surface water contamination.
3. Sandstone was encountered at 7 feet below ground surface. Bedrock/sandstone provides a barrier between remaining contamination and groundwater. Vertical migration through bedrock or sandstone to groundwater is unlikely.
4. PNM excavated and performed remediation to the maximum depth and horizontal extent practicable.

PNM believes that their former pit on the Whitley #7E well site poses minimal threat to groundwater, human health and the environment based upon our past experience in excavating over 1,000 pits.