

RICE *Operating Company*

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April 1, 2025

Michael Buchanan

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division

1220 So. St. Francis Drive

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: 2024 Annual Groundwater Report

Rice Operating Company – BD SWD System

BD H-35 Emergency Overflow Pit (AP-71): UL/H, Section 35, T22S, R37E

NMOCD Incident ID: nAPP2109553878

Mr. Buchanan:

ROC is the service provider (agent) for the BD Saltwater Disposal System and has no ownership of any portion of pipeline, well or facility. The BD SWD System is owned by a consortium of oil producers, System Parties, who provide all operating capital on a percentage ownership/usage basis.

The site is located approximately 6.5 miles southeast of Eunice, New Mexico at UL/H, Section 35, T22S, R37E as shown on the Geographic Location Map. Groundwater sampling at the site indicated the depth to groundwater is approximately 45 ft below ground surface (bgs).

One monitoring well was installed on December 21st, 2005, following the approval of the Investigation and Characterization Work Plan on November 9th, 2004. The well has been sampled regularly since installation. The most recent sampling event resulted in a chloride concentration of 1,000 mg/L in MW-1. On February 4th, 2022, NMOCD granted approval to cease sulfate analysis from MW-1. ROC will continue quarterly sampling in 2025.

Attached is the Appendix, which contains:

1. NMOCD response to the 2023 Annual Report.
2. A Geographic Location Map.
3. An Area Map.
4. A map showing the monitoring well location and estimated groundwater gradient (generated by Peter Galusky of Terrae LLC).
5. A graph showing laboratory results, and a table presenting all laboratory results and depth to groundwater for the well at the site.
6. The laboratory analytical results for 2024.

Rice Operating Company appreciates the opportunity to work with you on this project. Please contact me at (575) 393-9174 if you have any questions or wish to further discuss this site. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Katie Davis".

Katie Davis
Environmental Manager
RICE Operating Company (ROC)

appendix

From: OCDOnline@state.nm.us
To: [Katie Jones](#)
Subject: The Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has approved the application, Application ID: 327816
Date: Tuesday, August 6, 2024 11:14:15 AM

To whom it may concern (c/o Katie Davis for RICE OPERATING COMPANY),

The OCD has approved the submitted *Ground Water Abatement* (GROUND WATER ABATEMENT), for incident ID (n#) nAPP2109553878, with the following conditions:

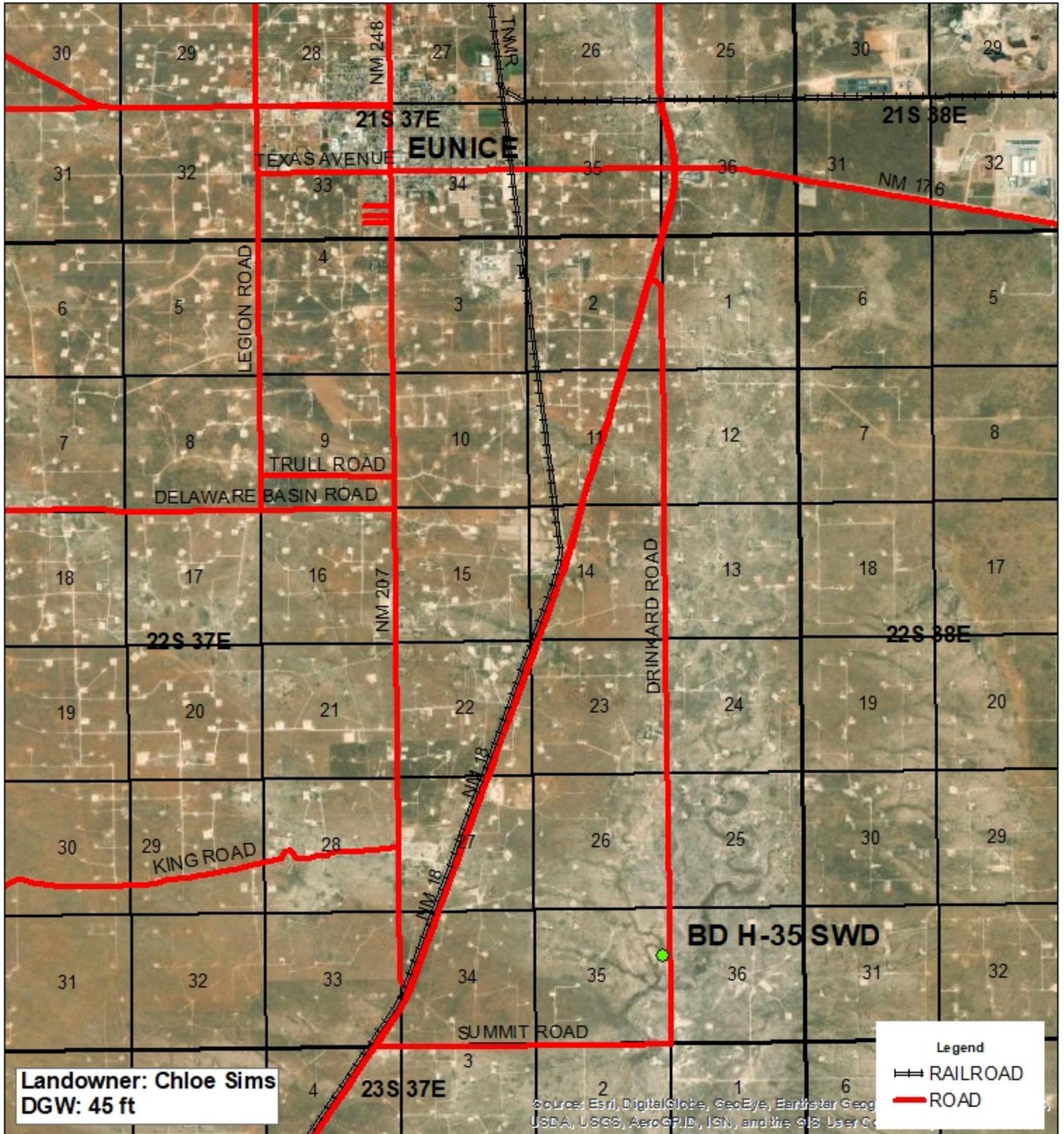
- **Review of the 2023 Annual Groundwater Report for the BD H-35 Emergency Overflow Pit: content satisfactory 1. Continue to conduct quarterly groundwater monitoring events as prescribed for the site. 2. Submit the 2024 groundwater monitoring plan to OCD no later than April 1, 2025.**

The signed GROUND WATER ABATEMENT can be found in the OCD Online: Imaging under the incident ID (n#).

If you have any questions regarding this application, please contact me.

Thank you,
Michael Buchanan
Environmental Specialist
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Michael.Buchanan@emnrd.nm.gov

New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department
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Santa Fe, NM 87505



Landowner: Chloe Sims
 DGW: 45 ft

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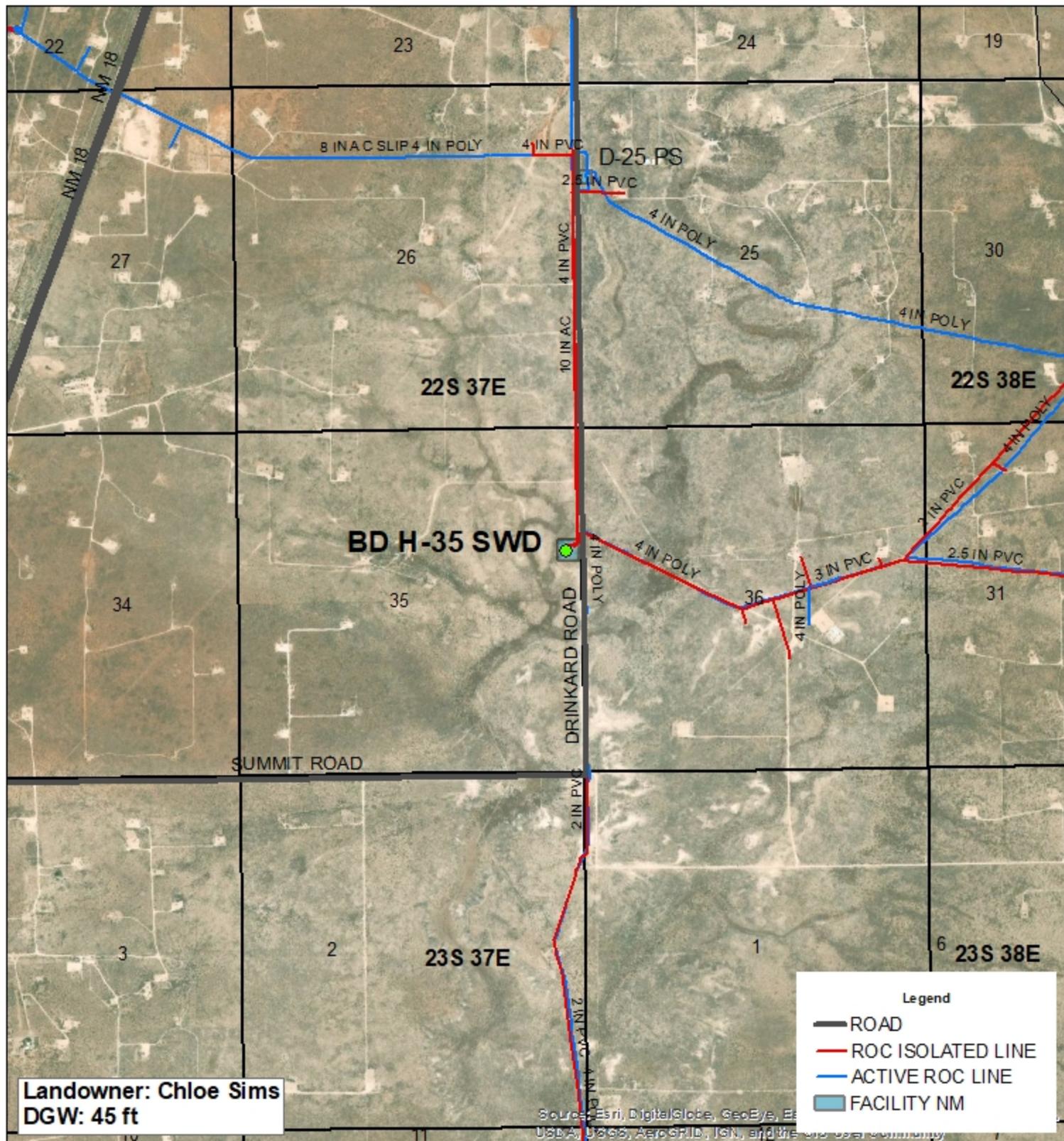
**BD H-35 SWD
 EMERGENCY
 OVERFLOW PIT**
 AP-71
 UL H SECTION 35
 T-22-S R-37-E
 LEA COUNTY, NM

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Area Map



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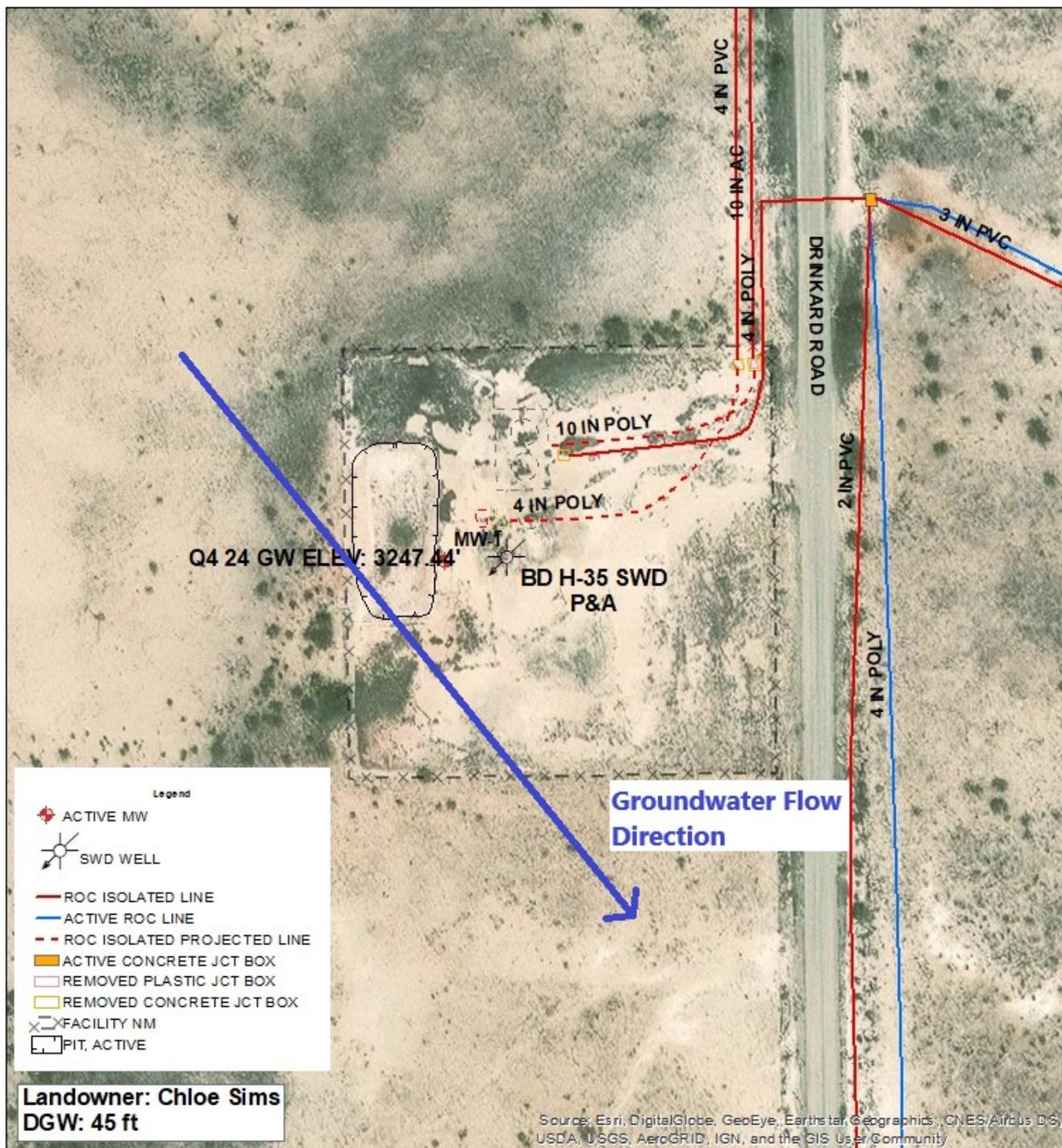
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Groundwater Flow Direction



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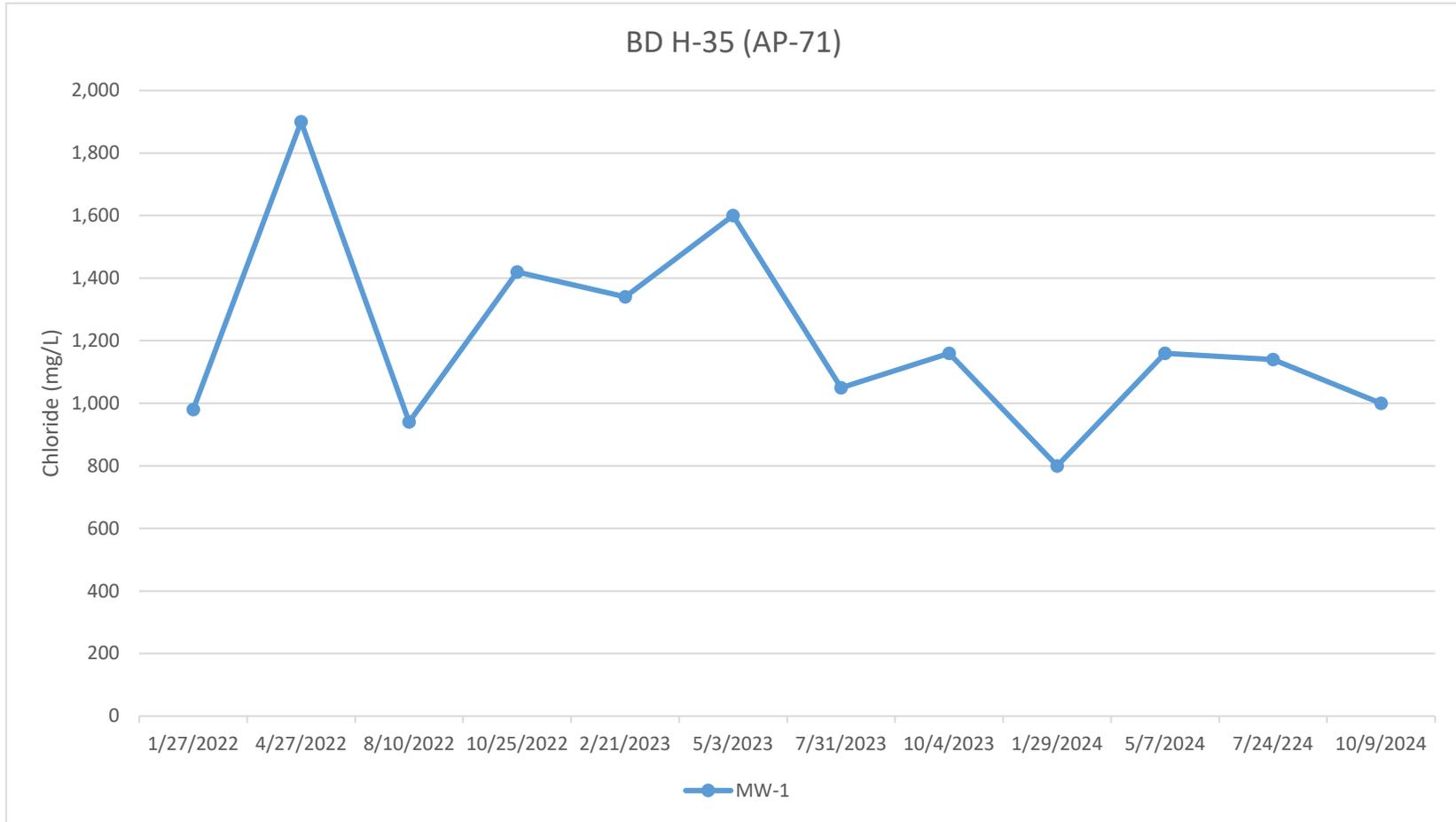
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ROC - BD H-35 (AP-71)
Unit Letter H, Section 35, T22S, R37E

MW	Depth to Water	Total Depth	Well Volume	Volume Purged	Sample Date	Cl	TDS	Benzene	Toluene	Ethyl Benzene	Total Xylenes	Sulfate	Comments
1	43.64	57.2	8.8	30	1/4/2006	1,880	4,290	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	383	Clear No odor
1	43.79	57.2	8.7	30	4/24/2006	2,360	5,380	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	405	XXX
1	43.92	57.2	8.6	35	7/19/2006	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
1	43.83	57.2	8.7	30	10/11/2006	2,880	7,460	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	561	Clear
1	44.1	57.16	8.5	30	1/25/2007	3,240	5,300	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	556	XXX
1	44.2	57.16	8.4	30	4/4/2007	3,220	8,680	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	381	XXX
1	43.99	57.16	8.6	30	8/24/2007	4,749	12,345	0.003	0.003	0.003	0.008	565	Clear No odor
1	44.13	57.16	8.5	30	10/31/2007	3,400	7,028	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	<0.006	499	Clear No odor
1	44.22	57.2	8.4	30	1/15/2008	4,800	9,194	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	665	Clear No odor
1	44.26	57.2	8.4	30	4/7/2008	4,600	9,350	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	888	Clear No odor
1	44.34	57.2	8.4	30	7/22/2008	4,400	9,580	<0.002	<0.002	<0.002	<0.006	714	Clear No odor
1	44.4	57.2	8.3	30	10/2/2008	3,950	9,350	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	675	Clear No odor
1	44.47	57.2	8.3	30	1/14/2009	3,650	7,600	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	657	Clear No odor
1	44.52	57.2	8.2	30	4/14/2009	3,400	6,550	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	629	Clear No odor
1	44.56	57.23	8.2	30	7/13/2009	2,380	4,800	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	522	Clear No odor
1	44.62	57.23	8.2	30	10/7/2009	3,050	6,900	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	519	Clear No odor
1	44.66	57.23	8.2	30	1/13/2010	3,050	6,300	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	490	Clear No odor
1	44.68	57.23	8.2	30	4/9/2010	2,850	5,480	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	618	Clear No odor
1	44.6	57.23	8.2	30	7/9/2010	2,650	4,970	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	526	Clear No odor
1	44.55	57.23	8.2	30	10/7/2010	2,750	6,430	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	512	Clear No odor
1	44.76	57.24	8.1	30	1/13/2011	2,650	5,160	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	598	Clear No odor
1	44.77	57.24	8.1	30	4/11/2011	3,050	5,480	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	567	Clear No odor
1	44.86	57.24	8	30	7/13/2011	4,050	6,590	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	597	Clear No odor
1	44.94	57.24	8	30	10/12/2011	3,400	5,890	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	607	Clear No odor
1	44.99	57.24	8	30	1/17/2012	2,470	5,070	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	558	Clear No odor
1	45.08	57.24	7.9	30	4/16/2012	2,570	5,100	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	437	Clear No odor
1	45.1	57.24	7.9	30	7/12/2012	2,430	4,940	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	504	Clear No odor
1	45.12	57.24	7.9	30	10/4/2012	2,700	5,380	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	615	Clear No odor
1	45.18	57.24	7.8	30	1/7/2013	2,200	4,290	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	501	Clear No odor

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1	45.25	57.24	7.8	30	4/18/2013	2,080	4,100	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.003	504	Clear No odor
1	45.24	57.24	7.8	30	7/15/2013	1,980	4,240	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	456	Clear No odor
1	45.32	57.24	7.7	30	10/16/2013	1,800	4,080	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	418	Clear No odor
1	45.37	57.24	7.7	30	1/15/2014	2,000	3,680	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	401	Clear No odor
1	45.44	57.24	7.7	30	4/4/2014	1,970	3,890	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	363	Clear No odor
1	45.45	57.24	7.7	30	7/15/2014	1,660	4,360	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	224	Clear No odor
1	42.22	57.24	9.8	100	12/16/2014	13,800	24,600	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1610	Clear No odor
1	42.19	57.24	9.8	100	1/30/2015	9,600	16,800	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1110	Clear No odor
1	42.47	57.24	9.6	100	4/20/2015	6,700	12,700	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	629	Clear No odor
1	42.18	57.24	9.79	100	7/20/2015	5,900	10,800	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	497	Clear No odor
1	43.03	57.24	9.24	100	10/21/2015	5,800	11,000	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	621	Clear No odor
1	43.08	57.24	9.2	100	1/27/2016	6,400	11,000	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	644	Clear No odor
1	43.26	57.24	9.1	100	4/20/2016	5,400	9,600	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	586	Clear No odor
1	43.39	57.24	9.1	100	7/20/2016	5,000	9,960	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	615	Clear No odor
1	43.25	57.24	9.1	100	10/19/2016	4,600	8,180	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	765	Clear No odor
1	43.43	57.24	8.9	100	1/27/2017	3,260	7,210	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	755	Clear No odor
1	43.48	57.24	8.9	100	4/3/2017	3,750	6,550	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	678	Clear No odor
1	43.47	57.24	9	100	9/28/2017	3,500	7,160	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	690	Clear No odor
1	43.46	57.24	9	100	10/19/2017	5,200	9,020	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	332	Clear No odor
1	43.45	57.24	9	100	1/15/2018	2,530	5,310	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	632	Clear No odor
1	43.92	57.24	8.7	100	4/25/2018	2,330	4,980	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	528	Clear No odor
1	44.03	57.24	8.6	100	8/1/2018	2,250	4,620	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	493	Clear No odor
1	44.07	57.24	8.6	100	10/29/2018	2,220	3,900	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	469	Clear No odor
1	44.08	57.24	9	100	1/31/2019	1,870	3,600	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	408	Clear No odor
1	44.2	57.24	9	100	4/18/2019	1,720	3,610	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	461	Clear No odor
1	44.27	57.24	9	100	7/18/2019	1,640	3,570	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	495	Clear No odor
1	44.33	57.24	9	100	10/21/2019	1,500	3,070	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	452	Clear No odor
1	44.46	57.24	8.3	100	2/6/2020	1,540	3,080	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	391	Clear No odor
1	44.62	57.24	8.2	100	7/29/2020	1,540	3,130	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	360	Clear No odor

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MW	Depth to Water	Total Depth	Well Volume	Volume Purged	Sample Date	Cl	TDS	Benzene	Toluene	Ethyl Benzene	Total Xylenes	Sulfate	Comments
1	44.86	57.24	8	100	2/4/2021	1,040	2,460	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	413	Clear No odor
1	44.9	57.24	8	100	4/19/2021	1,160	2,680	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	260	Clear No odor
1	44.96	57.24	8	100	8/2/2021	1,100	2,460	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	442	Clear No odor
1	44.98	57.24	8	100	10/14/2021	1,400	2,830	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	289	Clear No odor
1	45.15	57.24	8	100	1/27/2022	980	2,320	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	381	Clear No odor
1	45.18	57.24	8	100	4/27/2022	1,900	3,570	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.24	57.24	8	100	8/10/2022	940	2,150	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.26	57.24	8	100	10/25/2022	1,420	2,960	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.34	57.24	7.7	100	2/21/2023	1,340	3,260	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.41	57.24	7.7	100	5/3/2023	1,600	3,320	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.49	57.24	7.6	100	7/31/2023	1,050	2,410	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.67	57.24	7.5	50	10/4/2023	1,160	3,020	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.4	57.24	7.7	100	1/29/2024	800	1,910	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.72	57.24	7.5	100	5/7/2024	1,160	2,890	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.78	57.24	7.4	100	7/24/224	1,140	2,690	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor
1	45.86	57.24	7.4	100	10/9/2024	1,000	2,690	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Clear No odor



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February 07, 2024

KATIE JONES

Rice Operating Company

112 W. Taylor

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RE: BD H-35 SWD

Enclosed are the results of analyses for samples received by the laboratory on 02/01/24 9:30.

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Sincerely,

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Celey D. Keene

Lab Director/Quality Manager



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Analytical Results For:

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Received:	02/01/2024	Sampling Date:	01/29/2024
Reported:	02/07/2024	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	BD H-35 SWD	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NONE GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Shalyn Rodriguez
Project Location:	T22S R37E SEC35 H-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1 (H240464-01)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: CT					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride*	800	4.00	02/01/2024	ND	104	104	100	0.00	
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: CT					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
TDS*	1910	5.00	02/05/2024	ND	516	103	500	0.491	

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Reported:	05/16/2024	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	BD H-35 SWD	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NONE GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Alyssa Parras
Project Location:	T22S R37E SEC35 H-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1 (H242589-01)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B		mg/L		Analyzed By: HM					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride*	1160	4.00	05/14/2024	ND	104	104	100	0.00	

TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
TDS*	2890	20.0	05/15/2024	14.0	841	84.1	1000	0.280	

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RE: BD H-35 SWD

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Analytical Results For:

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Received:	07/26/2024	Sampling Date:	07/24/2024
Reported:	08/01/2024	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	BD H-35 SWD	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NONE GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Alyssa Parras
Project Location:	T22S R37E SEC35 H-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1 (H244482-01)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B (Water)		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride*	1140	4.00	07/29/2024	ND	104	104	100	3.77	
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: AC					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
TDS*	2690	5.00	07/30/2024	ND	818	81.8	1000	2.66	

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Reported:	10/21/2024	Sampling Type:	Water
Project Name:	BD H-35 SWD	Sampling Condition:	Cool & Intact
Project Number:	NONE GIVEN	Sample Received By:	Alyssa Parras
Project Location:	T22S R37E SEC35 H-LEA CTY., NM		

Sample ID: MONITOR WELL #1 (H246285-01)

Chloride, SM4500Cl-B (Water)		mg/L		Analyzed By: KV					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
Chloride*	1000	4.00	10/18/2024	ND	104	104	100	0.00	
TDS 160.1		mg/L		Analyzed By: KV					
Analyte	Result	Reporting Limit	Analyzed	Method Blank	BS	% Recovery	True Value QC	RPD	Qualifier
TDS*	2690	5.00	10/16/2024	13.0	805	80.5	1000	6.46	

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CONDITIONS

Action 447035

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Operator: RICE OPERATING COMPANY PO Box 5630 Hobbs, NM 88241	OGRID: 19174
	Action Number: 447035
	Action Type: [UF-GWA] Ground Water Abatement (GROUND WATER ABATEMENT)

CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
michael.buchanan	Review of the 2024 Annual Groundwater Report for the BD H-35 Emergency Overflow Pit: content satisfactory 1. Continue to conduct quarterly groundwater monitoring events as prescribed for the site. 2. Submit the 2025 groundwater monitoring plan to OCD no later than April 1, 2026.	5/7/2025