District I 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240 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

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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

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

Instructi	ons: Please submit	one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank or alternative request
	below-grade tank	k, or proposed alternative method
GT1		Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, closed-loop system,
		Modification to an existing permit
	Existing BGT	Closure of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
	Type of action:	Permit of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

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 an	other applicable governm	nental authority's rules, regulations or ordinance			
Operator: XTO Energy, Inc.	OGRID #:	5380			
Address: #382 County Road 3100, Aztec, NM 87410					
Facility or well name:Valencia Canyon Unit #45B					
API Number: <u>3003926908</u> OCD Permit 1	Number:				
U/L or Qtr/Qtr <u>I</u> Section <u>34</u> Township <u>28N</u> Range	4W County:	Rio Arriba			
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude 36.614722 Longitude	e107.233056	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: Thicknessmil LLDPE HDI String-Reinforced Liner Seams: Welded Factory OtherVolume					
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 Other Control of the contro					
Secondary containment with leak detection Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch Visible sidewalls and liner Visible sidewalls only Other Visible sidewalls Other Visi	ift and automatic overflowalls, vaulted, automatic l	w shut-off high-level shut off, no liner			
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.

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, institution or church) □ Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet □ Alternate. Please specify Four foot height, steel mesh field fence (hogwire) with pipe top railing	hospital,		
7. Netting: Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks) Screen □ Netting ☑ Other Expanded metal or solid vaulted top □ Monthly inspections (If netting or screening is not physically feasible)			
8. Signs: Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC ☐ 12"x 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers ☐ Signed in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC			
9. Administrative Approvals and Exceptions: Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for guidance. Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank: Administrative approval(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district or the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau consideration of approval. Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.	office for		
Siting Criteria (regarding permitting): 19.15.17.10 NMAC Instructions: The applicant must demonstrate compliance for each siting criteria below in the application. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval. Applicant must attach justification for request. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks associated with a closed-loop system.			
Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the temporary pit, permanent pit, or below-grade tank. - NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. (Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks) - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite image	☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ NA		
Within 1000 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application. (Applies to permanent pits)	Yes No		
 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. NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site 	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approval obtained from the municipality	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Within 500 feet of a wetland. - US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Within the area overlying a subsurface mine. - Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Within an unstable area. - Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map	☐ Yes ☒ No		
Within a 100-year floodplain FEMA map	☐ Yes ⊠ No		

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Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Instructions: Please indentify the facility or facilities for the disposal of liquids, a	Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: (19.15.17.13.E	NMAC) nore 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 oc Yes (If yes, please provide the information below) No	cur on or in areas that will not be used for future serv	vice and operations?				
Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operation Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications based upon the appropriate Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection	requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAG I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC	C				
provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria may require considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental						
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 signals lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark). - Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site	nificant watercourse or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa	Yes No				
Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church - Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; Aerial photo; Satellite		☐ Yes ☐ No				
Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring that less water	oring, in existence at the time of initial application.	Yes No				
Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended. - Written confirmation or verification from the municipality; Written approve		☐ Yes ☐ No				
Within 500 feet of a wetland US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map; Visua	l 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 Society; Topographic map 	& Mineral Resources; USGS; NM Geological	☐ Yes ☐ No				
Within a 100-year floodplain FEMA map		☐ Yes ☐ No				
Son-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 19.15.17.13 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 I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC						

Operator Application Certification:	
I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true, ac	curate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Name (Print): Kim Champlin	Title: Environmental Representative
him Chan	Date:11/12/2008
Signature: MM Wanglin	Date:11/12/2008
e-mail address: kim_champlin@xtoenergy.com	Telephone: (505) 333-3100
20. OCD Approval: Permit Application (including closure plan) Closur	re Plan (only)
	Approval Date: 07/07/2022
Title:Environmental Specialist	OCD Permit Number: BGT1
21. Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion): Subsect	ion K of 19 15 17 13 NMAC
Instructions: Operators are required to obtain an approved closure plan pro	or to implementing any closure activities and submitting the closure report.
The closure report is required to be submitted to the division within 60 days section of the form until an approved closure plan has been obtained and th	
approved econic plant has seen somalica and in	Closure Completion Date:
22.	
Closure Method: ☐ Waste Excavation and Removal ☐ On-Site Closure Method ☐ Alt	exective Classes Mathed Wests Remarks (Classed lean systems only)
If different from approved plan, please explain.	ernative Closure Method
23.	
Closure Report Regarding Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop System of Control of the Control of	ems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: drilling fluids and drill cuttings were disposed. Use attachment if more than
two facilities were utilized.	urining fluids and artif cultings were disposed. Use allactiment if more than
Disposal Facility Name:	Disposal Facility Permit Number:
Disposal Facility Name:	
Were the closed-loop system operations and associated activities performed o Yes (If yes, please demonstrate compliance to the items below)	
Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and ope	erations:
☐ 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 followin	g 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 closu	ral
☐ 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: LatitudeLo	ngitude NAD:
25.	
Operator Closure Certification:	
I hereby certify that the information and attachments submitted with this closure belief. I also certify that the closure complies with all applicable closure requirements.	irements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.
Name (Print):	Title:
Signature:	Date:

e-mail address:

Telephone:

DISTRICT 1 1625 N. French Dr., Holybs, M.M. 68240

DISTRICT EI 1000 Rio Brozzos Rd., Azlea, N.M. 87410 State of New Mexico

Form C-102 Revised August 15, 2000

DISTRICT II 811 South First, Artesia, N.M. 88210

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Submit to Appropriate District Office
State Lease — 4 Copies
Fee Lease — 3 Copies

DISTRICT IV 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM 87505 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, NM 87505

☐ AMENDED REPORT

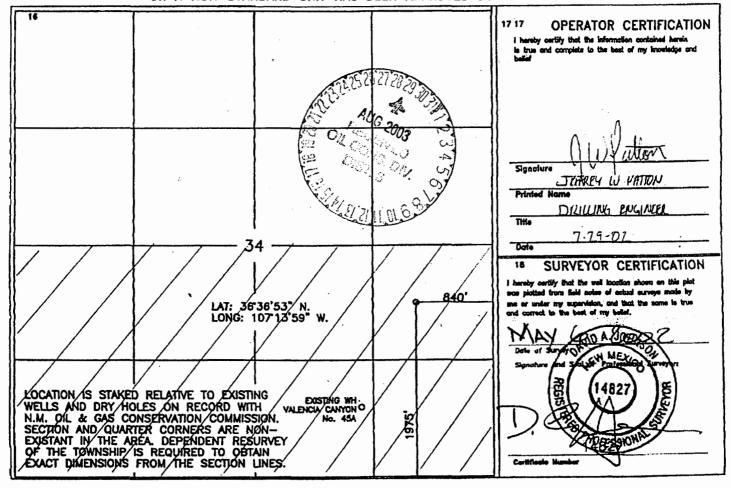
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

30-039-	26908 Pool Code BLAUCO MESAUE	RDE .
Property Code	*Property Name VALENCIA CANYON UNIT	Well Humber 45B
OCRID No. 167067	*Operator Name XTO ENERGY INC.	⁹ Elevation 7214

Surface Location Feet from the UL or lot no. Section Township Range North/South time Feet from the East/West Ene County 28-N 840' **EAST** RIO ARRIBA 34 4-W 1975' SOUTH

11 Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface Township UL or let no. Section Range Lot Idn Feet from the North/South Ene Feet from the East/West line County 16 Order No. Dedicated Acres Joint or Infill Consolidation Code \mathcal{T} 320

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



Lodestar Services, P0 Box 4465, Durango,	Siting ("ritoria	Client: Project: Revised: Prepared by:	XTO Energy Pit Permits 10/5/2008 Daniel Newman
API#:	3003926908	USPLSS:	T28N,R4W,34I
Name:[Valencia Canyon Unit#45B	Lat/Long:	36.614722 / -107.233056
Depth to groundwater:	between 50' and 100'	Geologic formation:	San Jose Formation
Distance to closest continuously flowing watercourse:	24.5 miles north west to the San Juan River		
Distance to closest significant watercourse, lakebed, playa lake, or sinkhole:	3,000 feet east of Valencia Canyon		
		Soil Type:	Entisols
Permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church within 300'	No		
		Annual Precipitation:	10.88" Lybrook, NM
Domestic fresh water well or spring within 500'	No	Precipitation Notes:	7.19" largest daily rainfall on record
Any other fresh water well or spring within 1000'	No		
Within incorporated municipal boundaries	I NA I	Attached Documents:	
Within defined municipal fresh water well field	No		Topo map, ground water data map, ariel photo, mines and quarries map
Wetland within 500'	No	Mining Activity:	No ,
Within unstable area	No	over the ending of the color of the defining of the color	
Within 100 year flood plain	I NO FEMIA data avallable I		
Additional Notes:	corrected the township/range from T28N,R4W,34E to T28N,R4W, 34I		

Valencia Canyon Unit#45B Below Grade Tank Hydrogeologic Report for Siting Criteria

General Geology and Hydrology

The San Juan Basin is a typical Rocky Mountain basin with a gently dipping southern flank and a steeply dipping n0rthern flank. Asymmetrically layered Tertiary sandstones and shales, along with Quaternary alluvial deposits, dominate surficial geology (Dane and Bachman, 1965). The proposed pit location will be located in the western Largo Canyon region of the San Juan Basin, near Valencia Canyon. The predominant geologic formation is the San Jose Formation of Tertiary age, which underlies surface soils and is often exposed (Dane and Bachman, 1965). Deposits of Quaternary alluvial and aeolian sands occur prominently near the surface of the area, especially near streams and washes.

Cretaceous and Tertiary sandstones, as well as Quaternary alluvial deposits serve as the primary aquifers in the San Juan basin (Stone et al., 1983). In most of the proposed area, the San Jose Formation lies at the surface and overlies the Nacimiento Formation. Thickness of the San Jose ranges from 200 to 2700 feet, thickening from west to east across the region of interest (Stone et al., 1983). Aguifers within the coarser and continuous sandstone bodies of the San Jose Formation are between 0 and 2700' deep in this section of the basin (Stone et al., 1983). Groundwater within these aguifers flows north, toward the San Juan River. Little specific hydrogeologic data is available for the San Jose Formation system, but "numerous well and springs used for stock and domestic supplies" draw their water from the San Jose Formation (Stone et al, 1983). The prominent soil type at the proposed site are rock lands and aridisols, which are defined as soils that exhibit little to no any profile development (www.emnrd.state.nm.us). Soils are basically unaltered from their parent rock. Miles of arroyos, washes and intermittent streams exist as part of the drainage network towards the San Juan River. These features often cut into soil and other unconsolidated materials, contributing to sedimentation downstream. The sudden influx of water from storm events easily erodes the soils that cover the area and prohibits effective recharge to the underlying aquifers.

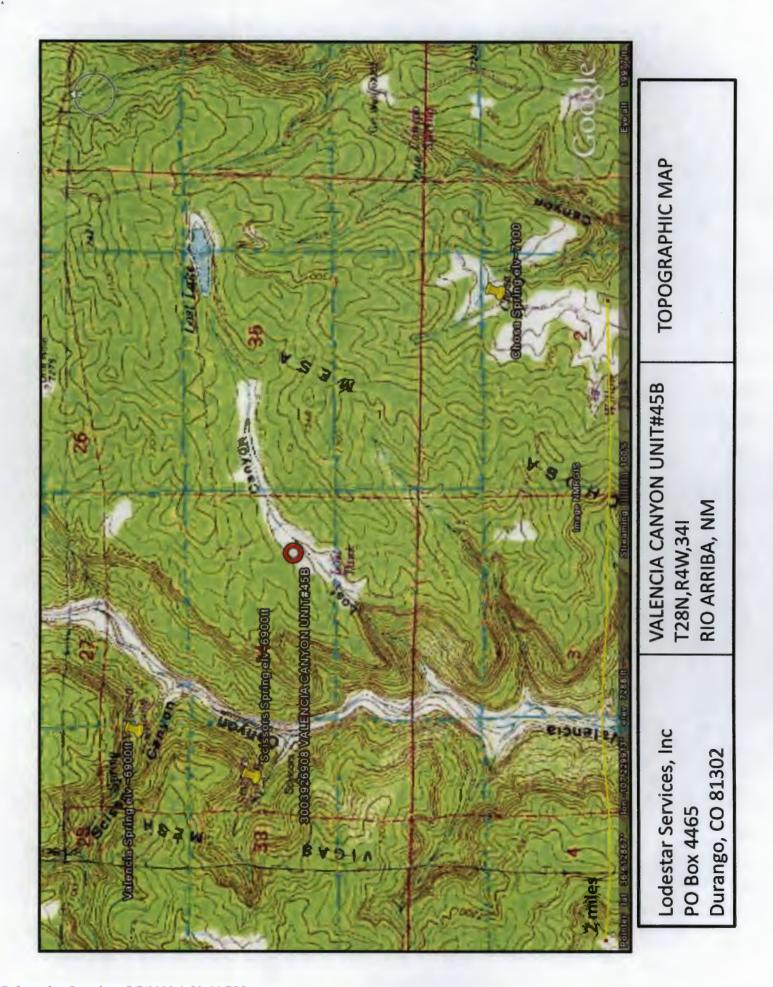
Dry and arid weather further prohibit active recharge. The climate of the region is arid, averaging just over 12 inches of rainfall annually. As is typical of the southwestern United States monsoonal weather patterns, most precipitation falls from August through October. The heaviest rainfall occurs in the summer in isolated, intense cloudbursts. November through June is relatively dry. Snow generally falls from December to mid-February and averages less than one half inch in depth. However, most recharge occurs during the winter months during snowmelt periods from the upper elevations (Western Regional Climate Center www.wrcc.dri.edu). The predominant vegetation is sagebrush and grasses with a more restricted pinon-juniper association (Dick-Peddie, 1993).

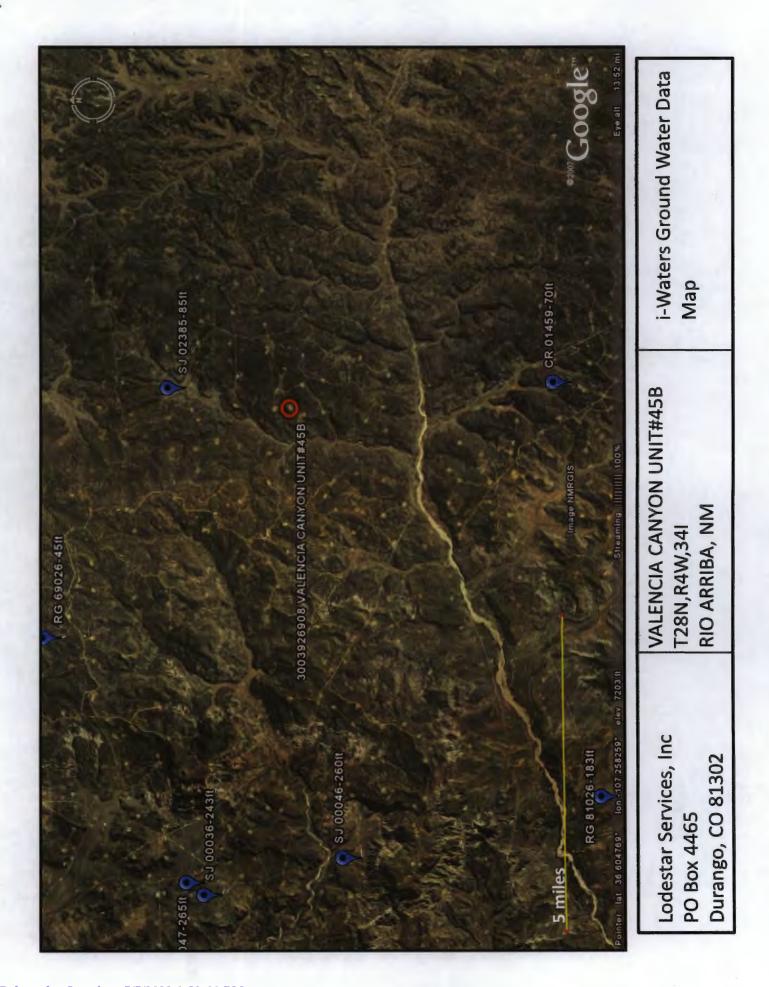
Site Specific Hydrogeology

Depth to groundwater is estimated to be between 50 and 100 feet. This estimation is based on data from Stone and others (1983), the USGS Groundwater Atlas of the United States and depth to groundwater data published on the New Mexico State Engineer's iWaters Database website. Local topography and proximity to surface hydrologic features are also taken into consideration.

Beds of water-yielding sandstone are present in the San Jose Formation, which are fluvial in origin and are interbedded with mudstone, siltstone, shale. "Extensive intertonguing" of different members of this formation is reported. (Stone et al, 1983). Porous sandstones form the principal aquifers, while relatively impermeable shales and mudstones form confining units between the aquifers (Stone et al., 1983). Local aquifers exist within the San Jose Formation at depths greater than 100 feet and thicknesses of the aquifer can be up to several hundred feet (USGS, Groundwater Atlas of the US) (Stone et al, 1983). The site in question is located on top of Chosa Mesa at an elevation of approximately 7300 feet. This region is deeply incised by canyons, washes, gullies and arroyos, with large, flat-topped mesas the predominant topographic feature. The mesas are composed of cliff-forming sandstone, and systems of dry washes and their tributaries composed of alluvium are evident on the attached aerial image. Groundwater is expected to be shallow within Valencia Canyon. However, an elevation difference between the site and the base of Valencia Canyon of approximately three hundred feet suggests groundwater at the proposed site is considerably deeper. The nearest tributary is over three hundred feet lower in elevation. There is one spring within a mile of the proposed site, Chosa Springs to the southeast.

Groundwater data available from the NM State Engineer's iWaters Database for wells near the proposed site are attached. A map showing the location of wells in reference to the proposed pit location is attached. Water drops show locations of wells and the labels for each water drop indicates depth to groundwater in feet, while springs are indicated by pinpoints. Wells are scattered throughout the surrounding canyons. These sites contain shallow groundwater. The closest well that exists within the surrounding canyons is approximately two hundred feet lower in elevation and approximately one mile to the northwest than the proposed site. The well indicates groundwater at 85 feet in depth. However, the proximity of the two springs to the proposed site suggests that groundwater is between 50 and 100 feet deep at the proposed location.





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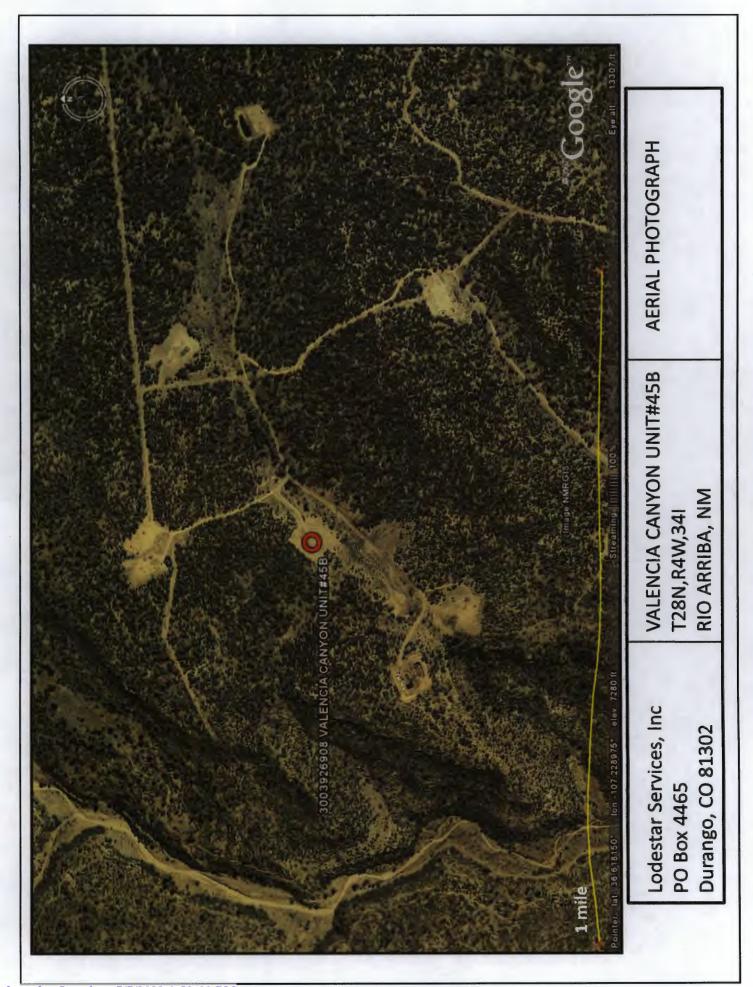
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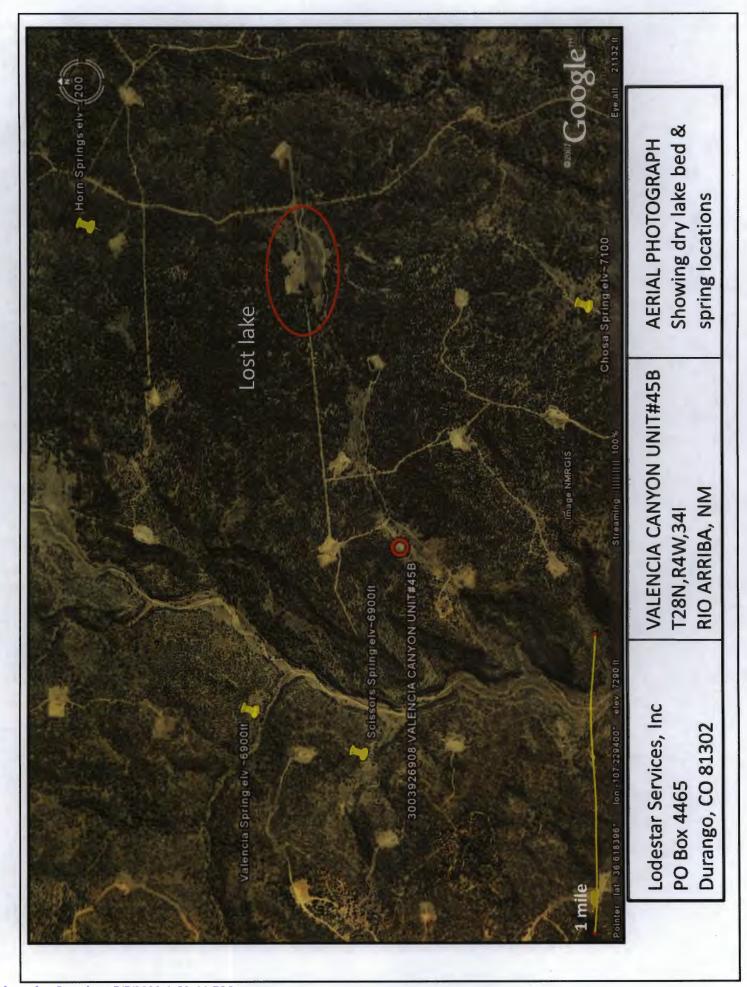
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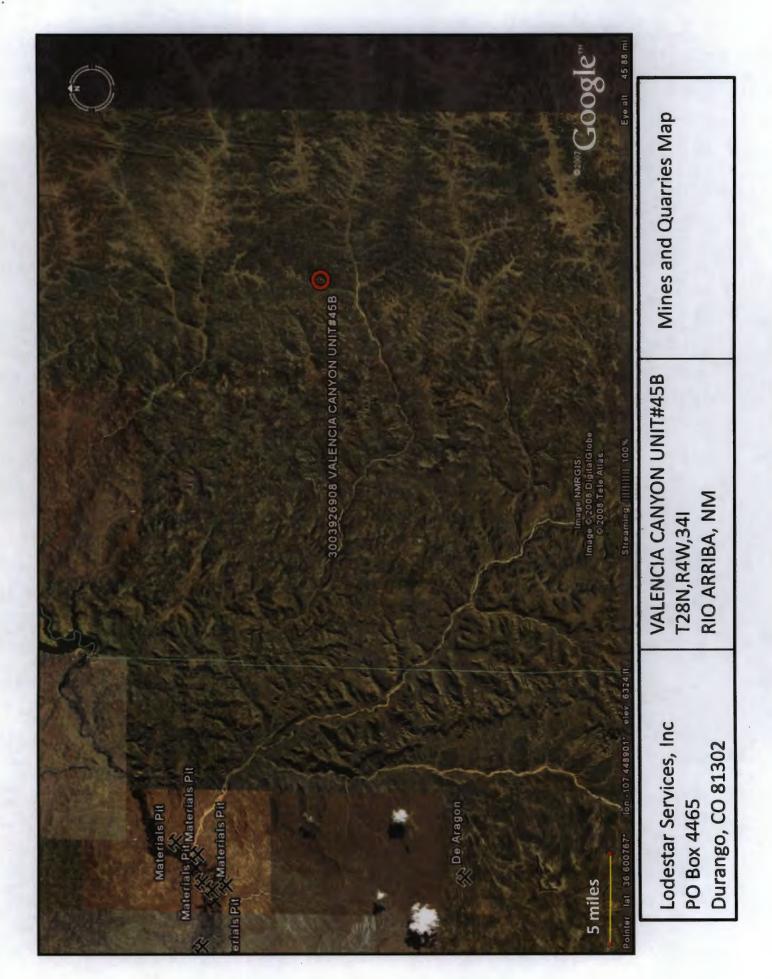
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XTO Energy Inc. San Juan Basin (Northwest New Mexico) General Design and Construction Plan For Below-Grade Tanks

In accordance with Rule 19.15.17.11 NMAC the following information describes the design and construction of below-grade tanks on XTO Energy Inc. (XTO) locations. This is XTO's standard procedure for all below-grade tanks. A separate plan will be submitted for any below-grade tank which does not conform to this plan.

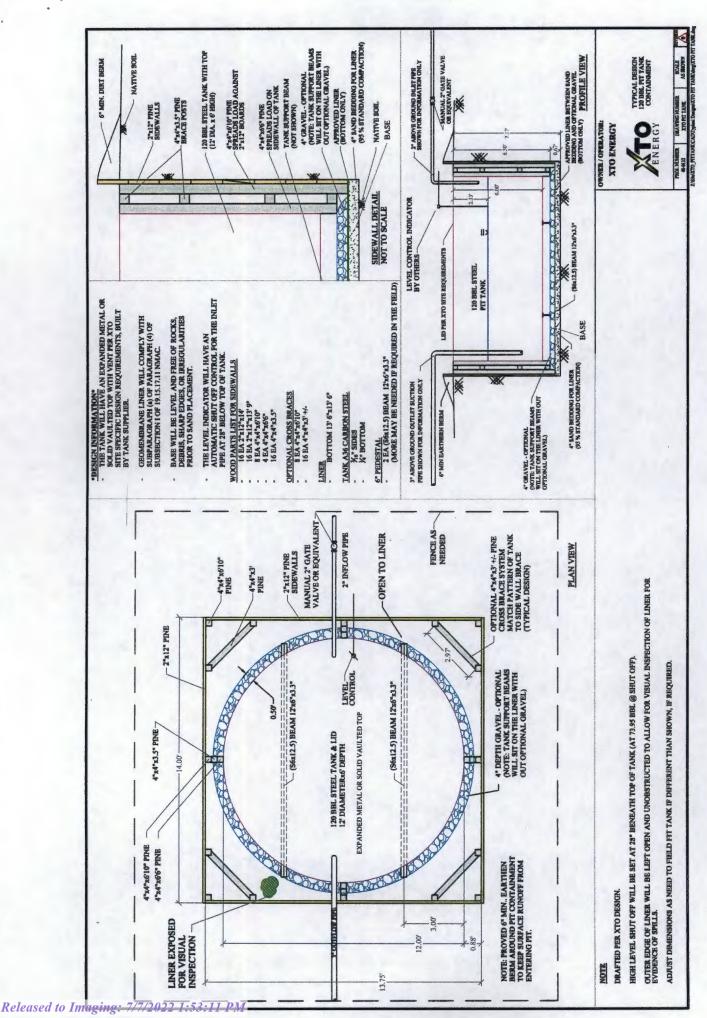
General Plan

- 1. XTO will design and construct below-grade tanks to contain liquids and solids and prevent contamination of fresh water and protect public health and environment.
- 2. XTO will post a well sign, in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC, on the existing well site operated by XTO where the existing below-grade tank is located. The sign will list the Operator on record as the operator, the location of the well site by unit letter, section, township, range, and emergency telephone numbers.
- 3. XTO is requesting approval of an alternative fencing to be used on below-grade tank locations. Below-grade tank locations will be fenced utilizing 48" steel mesh field-fence (hogwire) with pipe railing along the top. A 6' chain link fence will be utilized around the well pad if the well site is within a city limits or ¼ mile of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church. Below-grade tanks located within 1000' of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church will be fenced by 6' chain link fence with at least two strands of barbed wire at the top. All gates associated with below-grade tanks will remain closed and locked when responsible individuals are not on site.
- 4. XTO shall construct below-grade tanks with an expanded metal covering or solid vaulted top on the top of the below-grade tank.
- 5. XTO will ensure that below-grade tanks are constructed of materials resistant to the below-grade tank's particular contents and resistant to damage from sunlight. Tanks will be constructed of A36 carbon steel with 3/16" sides and \(\frac{1}{2} \) bottom. (See attached drawing).
- 6. The below-grade tank system will have a properly constructed foundation consisting of a level base free of rocks, debris, sharp edges or irregularities to prevent punctures, cracks or indentations of the liner or tank bottom. Sand bedding (4") will be placed on top of a level foundation to ensure prevention of punctures, cracks or indentations of the liner or tank bottom.
- 7. XTO will construct a berm and/or diversion ditch in a manner that prevents the collection of surface water run-on. Below-grade tanks will be equipped with automatic high level shut-off devices as well as manually operated shut-off valves. (See attached drawing).
- 8. XTO will construct and use below-grade tanks that do not have double walls. The below-grade tank sidewalls will be open for visual inspection for leaks. The sidewalls of the cellar will be constructed with 2" X 12" pine sidewalls and 4" X 4" pine brace posts. The below-grade tank

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bottom will be elevated a minimum of 6" above the underlying ground surface and the belowgrade tank will be underlain with a geomembrane liner to divert leaked liquid to a location that can be visually inspected. (See attached drawing).

- XTO will equip below-grade tanks designed in this manner with a properly functioning automatic high-level shut-off control device and manual controls to prevent overflows. (See attached drawing).
- 10. XTO will demonstrate to the OCD that the geomembrane liner complies with the specifications of Subparagraph (a) of Paragraph (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC and obtain approval from OCD prior to the installation of the design. The geomembrane liner shall have a hydraulic conductivity no greater than 1 x 10-9 cm/sec. The geomembrane liner shall be composed of an impervious, synthetic material that is resistant to petroleum hydrocarbons, salts and acidics and alkaline solutions. The liner material shall be resistant to ultraviolet light. Liner compatibility shall comply with EPA SW-846 method 9090A. (See attached drawing).
- 11. The general specifications for design and construction are attached.



XTO Energy Inc. San Juan Basin (Northwest New Mexico) General Maintenance and Operating Plan For Below-Grade Tanks

In accordance with Rule 19.15.17.12 NMAC the following information describes the operation and maintenance of below-grade tanks on XTO Energy Inc. (XTO) locations. This is XTO's standard procedure for all below-grade tanks. A separate plan will be submitted for any below-grade tank which does not conform to this plan.

General Plan

- 1. XTO will operate and maintain below-grade tanks to contain liquids and solids, maintain the integrity of the liner and secondary containment system, prevent contamination of fresh water and protect public health and the environment. Fluid levels will be monitored weekly and high levels will be removed as necessary. Monthly inspections will be conducted to monitor integrity of below-grade tank systems and below-grade tanks will be equipped with automatic high-level shut-off devices.
- 2. XTO will not allow below-grade tanks to overflow and will use berms and/or diversion ditch to prevent surface run on to enter the below-grade tank. Below-grade tanks will be equipped with automatic high-level shut-off control devices as well as manually operated shut-off valves. See attached drawing for vault design and placement of diversion berms and shut-off devices.
- 3. XTO will continuously remove any visible or measurable layer of oil from the fluid surface of below-grade tanks in order to prevent significant accumulation of oil.
 - 4. XTO will inspect the below-grade tank monthly and maintain written records for five years. Monthly inspections will consist of documenting the following: (see attached template),

Well Name

API#

Sec., Twn., Rng.

XTO Inspector's name

Inspection date and time

Visible tears in liner

Visible signs of tank overflow

Collection of surface run on

Visible layer of oil

Visible signs of tank leak

Estimated freeboard

- 5. XTO will maintain adequate freeboard to prevent over topping of the below-grade tank. High level shut-off devices control the freeboard at an average of 28" beneath the top of the tank.
- 6. XTO will not discharge into or store any hazardous waste in any below-grade tank.
- 7. If a below-grade tank develops a leak, or if any penetration of a below-grade tank occurs below the liquids surface, XTO will remove all liquids above the damage or leak line within 48 hours,

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notify the appropriate division district office within 48 hours of the discovery and repair the damage or replace the below-grade tank. If an existing below-grade tank does not meet current requirements of Paragraphs 1-4 of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC the tank will be modified or retrofitted to comply. If compliance can not be achieved XTO will implement the approved closure plan.

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Well Name:					API No.:			
Legals	Sec		Township:		Range:			
XTO Inspector's	Inspection	Inspection	Any visible liner	Any visible signs of	Collection of surface	Visible layer	Any visible signs	Freeboard
Name	Date	Time	tears (Y/N)	tank overflows (Y/N)	run on (Y/N)	of oil (Y/N)	of a tank leak (Y/N)	Est. (ft)
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XTO Energy Inc. San Juan Basin (Northwest New Mexico) General Closure Plan For Below-Grade Tanks

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

General Plan

- XTO will close below-grade tanks within the time periods provided in 19.15.17.13 NMAC, or by an earlier date that the division requires because of imminent danger to fresh water, public health or the environment.
- XTO will close a below-grade tank that does not meet the requirements of Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC or is not included in Paragraph (5) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC within five years after June 16, 2008, if not retrofitted to comply with Paragraphs (1) through (4) of Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC.
- 3. XTO will close a permitted below-grade tank within 60 days of cessation of the below-grade tank's operation or as required by the transitional provisions of Subsection B of 19.15.17.17 NMAC in accordance with a closure plan that the appropriate division district office approves. The closure report will be filed on form C-144.
- 4. XTO will remove liquids and sludge from below-grade tanks prior to implementing a closure method and will dispose of the liquids and sludge in a division-approved facility. Approved facilities and waste streams include:

Envirotech Permit No. NM01-0011 and IEI Permit No. NM 01-0010B

Soil contaminated by exempt petroleum hydrocarbons

Produced sand, pit sludge and contaminated bottoms from storage of exempt wastes

Basin Disposal Permit No. NM01-005 Produced water

- 5. XTO will remove the below-grade tank and dispose of it in a division approved facility or recycle, reuse, or reclaim it in a manner that the appropriate division district office has approved prior to removal. Any associated liners will be removed, properly cleaned and disposed of per 19.15.9.712 NMAC at San Juan County Landfill. Documentation of the final disposition will be included in the closure report.
- 6. XTO will remove any on-site equipment associated with a below-grade tank unless the equipment is required for some other purpose.
- 7. XTO will test the soils beneath the below-grade tank to determine whether a release has occurred. At a minimum 5 point composite sample will be collected along with individual grab samples from any area that is wet, discolored or showing other evidence of a release. Samples will be

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analyzed for BTEX, TPH and chlorides to demonstrate that the benzene concentration, as determined by EPA SW-846 methods 8021B or 8260B or EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 0.2 mg/kg; total BTEX concentration, as determined by EPA SW-846 methods 8021B or 8260B or other EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 50 mg/kg; the TPH concentration, as determined by EPA method 418.1 or other EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 100mg/kg; and the chloride concentration, as determined by EPA method 300.1 or other EPA method that the division approves, does not exceed 250 mg/kg, or the background concentration, whichever is greater. XTO will notify the division of its results on form C-141.

- 8. If XTO or the division determines that a release has occurred, XTO will comply with 19.15.3.116 NMAC and 19.15.1.19NMAC as appropriate.
- 9. If the sampling program demonstrates that a release has not occurred or that any release does not exceed the concentrations specified in Paragraph (4) of Subsection E of 19.15.17.13 NMAC, XTO will backfill the excavation with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material; construct a division prescribed soil cover; recontour and re-vegetate the site.
- 10. Notice of Closure operations will be given to the Aztec Division District III office between 72 hours and one week prior to the start of closure activities via email or verbally. The notification will include the following:
 - i. Operator's name
 - ii. Well Name and API Number
 - iii. Location by Unit Letter, Section, Township, and Range

The surface owner shall also be notified prior to the implementation of any closure operations of below-grade tanks as per the approved closure plan using certified mail, return receipt requested.

- 11. Re-contouring of location will match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding area. Re-shaping will include drainage control, prevent ponding, and prevent erosion. Natural drainages will be unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps will be placed in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final re-contour shall have a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.
- 12. A minimum of 4 feet of cover shall be achieved and the cover shall include 1 foot of suitable material to establish vegetation at the site, or the background thickness of topsoil, whichever is greater. Soil cover will be constructed to the site's existing grade and ponding of water and erosion of the cover material will be prevented with drainage control, natural drainages and silt traps where needed.
- 13. XTO will seed the disturbed areas the first growing season after the operator closes the pit. Seeding will be accomplished via drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other division-approved methods. BLM or Forest Service stipulated seed mixes will be used on federal lands. Vegetative cover will equal 70% of the native perennial vegetative cover (un-impacted) consisting of at least three native plant species, including at least one grass, but not including noxious weeds, and maintain that cover through two successive growing seasons. Repeat seeding or planting will be continued until successful vegetative growth occurs.

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

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HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY	372171
1111 Travis Street	Action Number:
Houston, TX 77002	95978
	Action Type:
	[C-144] Legacy Below Grade Tank Plan (C-144LB)

QUESTIONS

Facility and Ground Water		
lease answer as many of these questions as possible in this group. More information will help us identify the appropriate associations in the system.		
Facility or Site Name	VALENCIA CANYON UNIT 45B	
Facility ID (f#), if known	Not answered.	
Facility Type	Below Grade Tank - (BGT)	
Well Name, include well number	VALENCIA CANYON UNIT 45B	
Well API, if associated with a well	30-039-26908	
Pit / Tank Type	Not answered.	
Pit / Tank Name or Identifier	Not answered.	
Pit / Tank Opened Date, if known	Not answered.	
Pit / Tank Dimensions, Length (ft)	Not answered.	
Pit / Tank Dimensions, Width or Diameter (ft)	Not answered.	
Pit / Tank Dimensions, Depth (ft)	Not answered.	
Ground Water Depth (ft)	Not answered.	
Ground Water Impact	No	
Ground Water Quality (TDS)	Not answered.	

Below-Grade Tank	
Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC	
Volume / Capacity (bbls)	120
Type of Fluid	Produced Water
Pit / Tank Construction Material	Steel
Secondary containment with leak detection	Not answered.
Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off	Not answered.
Visible sidewalls and liner	Not answered.
Visible sidewalls only	Not answered.
Tank installed prior to June 18. 2008	True
Other, Visible Notation. Please specify	Not answered.
Liner Thickness (mil)	Not answered.
HDPE (Liner Type)	Not answered.
PVC (Liner Type)	Not answered.
Other, Liner Type. Please specify (Variance Required)	Not answered.

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Fencing	
Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pits, temporary pits, and below-grade tank	s)
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)	Not answered.
Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet	Not answered.
Alternate, Fencing. Please specify (Variance Required)	4' steel mesh
Netting	
Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks)	
Screen	Not answered.
Netting	Not answered.
Other, Netting. Please specify (Variance May Be Needed)	expanded metal or solid vaulted top
Signs	
Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (If there are multiple operators at a site, each operator must have	e their own sign in compliance with Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC.)
12"x 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers	Not answered.
Signed in compliance with 19.15.16.8 NMAC	True
Variances and Exceptions	
Justifications and/or demonstrations ofequivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank:	guidance.
Variance(s): Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district for consideration of approval.	Not answered.
Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval	Not answered.

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Siting Criteria (regarding permitting)	
19.15.17.10 NMAC	
Instructions: The applicant must demonstrate compliance for each siting criteria below. Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above-grade tanks.	below in the application. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided
Siting Criteria, General Siting	
Ground water is less than 25 feet below the bottom of a low chloride temporary pit or below-grade tank	No
NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search	True
USGS	Not answered.
Data obtained from nearby wells	Not answered.
Siting Criteria, Below Grade Tanks	
Within 100 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, significant watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, wetland or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark)	No
Within 200 horizontal feet of a spring or a fresh water well used for public or livestock consumption	No
Proposed Closure Method	
Below-grade Tank	Below Grade Tank - (BGT)
Waste Excavation and Removal	Not answered.
Alternate Closure Method. Please specify (Variance Required)	Not answered.

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Operator Application Certification Registered / Signature Date

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ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

V	I acknowledge that I have received prior approval from the OCD to submit documentation of a legacy below-grade tank on behalf of my operator.
V	I hereby certify that the information submitted with this documentation is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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