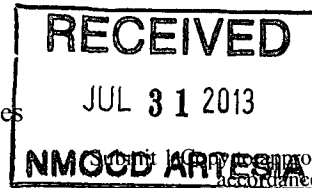


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Form C-141  
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Submit to appropriate District Office in accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC

**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

*nJMW 1321250772*

**OPERATOR**

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Linn Operating <i>269324</i>	Contact: Gary Wink	
Address: 2130 W. Bender Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No.: 575-738-1739	
Facility Name: Keel West WaterFlood Plant - West B 27 inj	Facility Type: Water Station	
Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner:	API No.: 3001505074

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter N	Section 4	Township 17S	Range 31E	Feet from the 660	North/South Line South	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude: 32.85815 Longitude: -103.87611

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 30 bbls	Volume Recovered: 25 bbls
Source of Release: Pipeline	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 07/30/2013 4:00 am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 07/30/2013 4:00am
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? M. Bratcher -NM OCD Mike Burton- BLM	
By Whom? Gary Wink	Date and Hour 07/31/2013 8:35am	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*:

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*: callout pump 1 failure. Drove to location and noticed water standing around discharge header. Header #4 had 0 pounds of pressure so shut in header #4. Then started pump back up. Then everything went back to running normal. Called vac truck to pick up free standing fluid.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*: Affected area 6'X100'. Vac truck picked up free standing fluid inside containment and disposed of at an approved disposal. Sampling will be done to determine clean up

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: <i>Gary W. Wink</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Gary W. Wink	Approved by District Supervisor:	Signed By: <i>Mike Bratcher</i>
Title: Production Foreman	Approval Date: <b>JUL 31 2013</b>	Expiration Date:
E-mail Address: gawink@linenergy.com	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per OCD Rule & Guidelines, & like approval by BLM. <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION</b>	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: 07/31/2013 Phone: 575-390-3477	<b>PROPOSAL NO LATER THAN:</b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

**August 31, 2013**

**2RP-1786**

## Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

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**From:** McCracken, Theresa <TMcCracken@linnenergy.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 31, 2013 11:27 AM  
**To:** mburton@blm.gov; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Callahan, Terry; Fitzwater, Nancy; Butters, Thomas; Ragland, Ron; Rickman, Rick; Wink, Gary; Golding, Chris  
**Subject:** Linn- Keel West WaterFlood Plant 7-30-13  
**Attachments:** Keel West WaterFlood 7-30-13.pdf



Please find attached the initial C-141 for the above referenced location.

Thank you,



*Theresa McCracken*

Field Administrator

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