

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
AUG 27 2014
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
RECEIVED Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company: Linn Operating	Contact: Brian Wall	
Address: 2130 W. Bender Hobbs, NM 88240	Telephone No.: 575-738-1739	
Facility Name: CMU North Inj (closest well CMU 178)	Facility Type: Injection Plant	
Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner:	API No.: (closest well 3002532549)

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter D	Section 20	Township 17S	Range 33E	Feet from the 1300	North/South Line North	Feet from the 20	East/West Line West	County Lea
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Latitude: 32.8237368378172 Longitude: -103.693895562117

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 7 bbls	Volume Recovered: 6 bbls
Source of Release: Salt Water Tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 01/20/2014	Date and Hour of Discovery: 01/20/2014 01100
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? Mike Burton- BLM Geoffery Leking- NM OCD	
By Whom? Brian Wall	Date and Hour 01/23/2014 0730	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	


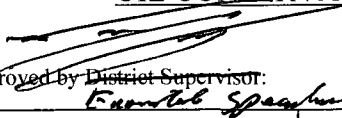
If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*:

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*: On January 20, 2014 at approximately 11:00 am the North injection plant was down for repairs. During the time that the North injection plant was down, the salt water disposal tank over flowed. The tank head switch, which is an electrical switch that sends a signal to an alarm box, that notifies the operator that the tank level is high, malfunctioned causing the tank to over flow. The spill was approximately 7 bbls. A vacuum truck was called to the location at which time they recovered approximately 6 bbls.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*: The spill flowed from the center of the tanks back toward the north and south. The spill flowing to the north was approximately 24" wide going north approximately 15' and pooling in a low spot next to the plant. The pool was approximately 36"x48". The spill flowing to the south was approximately 24" wide going south approximately 20' and pooled in an area approximately 15'x20'.

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.

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: 	Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Printed Name: Brian Wall	Approval Date: 7-25-14	Expiration Date: 10-1-14
Title: Construction Foreman II	Conditions of Approval: Site Suppl. Required	
E-mail Address: bwall@linenergy.com	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 01/23/2014	Phone: 806-367-0645	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Site Suppl. Required
Delivered & Reinspected area as per
NMOCD guidelines - Submittal Date
C-141 by 10-1-14
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