

**NM OIL CONSERVATION
ARTESIA DISTRICT**

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210
District III
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
District IV
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

FEB 17 2015

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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

RECEIVED

Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB1505026725		OPERATOR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initial Report <input type="checkbox"/> Final Report
Name of Company Linn Operating Inc. 269324		Contact E.L. Gonzales	
Address 2130 W Bender Blvd Hobbs, NM 88240		Telephone No. 575-738-1739	
Facility Name H.E. West B # 33		Facility Type Injection	
Surface Owner Federal		Mineral Owner	API No. 30-015-25944

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter L	Section 03	Township 17S	Range 31E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line South	Feet from the 660	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.86183 Longitude -103.86335

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release Produced Water	Volume of Release 70 bbls	Volume Recovered 60 bbls
Source of Release Well head	Date and Hour of Occurrence 02/12/2015	Date and Hour of Discovery 02/12/2015 0600
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
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.* drilling rig near the West B 33 called LINN to report a leak-Bobby Sooter was contacted and he responded along with Eddie Jaramillo and Rick Rickman. It appeared that the well had been hit by a truck as dual wheel marks were at the well head. The damage results were the tubing valve and tubing below being broken off at the top of the well head and fluid was back flowing on to location		
Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.* estimated 40 bbls. Of fluid picked up in adjacent pasture and estimate of 30 bbls from location, equipment near location was used to dike well pad and contain fluid along with a vacuum truck tied to the well head. Delineation to be done contact made with Apache drilling company man Chris Johnson 806-787-9911 requesting his help to identify the company that may have hit the well		
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: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: E.L. Gonzales	Signed By  Approved by Environmental Specialist:	
Title: Production Supervisor	Approval Date: 2/17/15	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: elgonzales@linnenergy.com	Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 02/17/2015 Phone: 505-504-8002	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

**Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines
SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO
LATER THAN: 3/19/15**

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

2RP-2821

Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: McCracken, Theresa <TMcCracken@linnenergy.com>
Sent: Tuesday, February 17, 2015 2:25 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; jamos@blm.gov
Cc: Moreno, Laura; Bolanos, Alex; Gonzales, EL; Butters, Thomas; Hickert, Aaron; Frick, Daniel; Rickman, Rick
Subject: Linn- West HE B #33 2-12-15
Attachments: West HE B #33 2-12-15.pdf

All,

Attached is the initial C-141 for the above referenced location.

Thank you,



NASDAQ:LINE
NASDAQ:LNGO

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