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**From:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 03, 2013 4:03 PM  
**To:** 'Cliff P. Brunson'  
**Cc:** C J Summers; Ken Swinney; Jennifer Gilkey; Kathy Purvis  
**Subject:** RE: OXY-Lost Tank 3 Federal #14-Remediation Plan

Reference: OXY USA \* Lost Tank 3 Fed 14 \* 30-015-37918 \* J-3-22s-31e \* Eddy County, New Mexico  
OCD Tracking number: 2RP-1698 \* Date of release: 6/17/2013

Cliff,

Your proposal for remediation of the above referenced produced fluid release is approved. Please notify OCD prior to commencement of remedial activities. BLM approval is also required on federal sites.

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, and for notification, please contact me.

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Mike,

This e-mail is to confirm our conversation the other day about the remediation plan for the above referenced site. I have attached the materials that we used in our discussion. As discussed, Oxy will excavate the leak area to the northeast of the well head as depicted on the site diagram and represented by SP1 to a depth of 2-3 feet or as practicable. In the area on the western portion of the well pad represented by SP2 and SP3 as depicted on the diagram, the excavation will be to a depth of 1 foot. The area off the well pad to the west represented by sample points SP4 and SP5 will be excavated to a depth of 2 feet. All excavated areas will be backfilled with the appropriate type of clean soil.

If you would please e-mail your concurrence with this remediation plan, it would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks, Cliff

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