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### Release Notification and Corrective Action

**OPERATOR**  Initial Report  Final Report

Name of Company	Oxy Permian Ltd.	Contact	CJ Summers
Address	1017 W. Stanolind Rd, Hobbs, NM	Telephone No.	(575) 397-8216
Facility Name	Covington A Federal #9	Facility Type	Gathering
Surface Owner	BLM	Mineral Owner	
		Lease No.	NM 2379

### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
N	25	22S	32E	480'	South	1980'	West	Lea

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_

### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Oil	Volume of Release	100 bbls	Volume Recovered	95 bbls
Source of Release	Valve on load line left open	Date and Hour of Occurrence	07/15/2012	Date and Hour of Discovery	
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	Geoffrey Leking- OCD; James Amos- BLM		
By Whom?	Chancey Summers	Date and Hour	7/26/12 @ 8:59 am		
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.\*

The valve on a load line was left open which caused 100 bbls of oil spill onto the ground of the lined battery. 95 bbls of oil were recovered via vacuum truck.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The area affected is contained inside the lined battery. 95 bbls of the 100 bbls of oil spilled were recovered via vacuum truck. Remediation was completed in accordance with the remediation plan approved by Geoffrey Leking on NMOCD via email on 01/18/2013 and approved by James Amos of the BLM via email on 01/24/2013.

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:	
Printed Name:	Chancey Summers
Title:	HES Specialist
E-mail Address:	Chancey.Summers@oxy.com
Date:	8-6-13
Phone:	(575) 397-8216

Approved [ ]  
Approval [ ]

# APPROVED

Conditions of Approval:

Attached

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

IRP 41113

# Closure Report

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## Site Description

Site Name:	Covington A Federal #9
Company:	Oxy Permian Ltd.
Legal Description:	U/L N, Section 25, T22S, R32E
County:	Lea County, NM
GPS Coordinates:	N 32.35657° W 103.63044°

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## Release Data

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## Remediation Specifications

Remediation Parameters:	Remove all impacted gravel from the lined battery and replace the soil with new gravel.
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Remediation Activities:	06/21/2013-07/26/2013
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Plan Sent to OCD:	01/16/2013	Email from Cliff Brunson to Geoffrey Leking
OCD Approval of Plan:	01/18/2013	Email from Geoffrey Leking to Cliff Brunson
Plan Sent to BLM:	01/23/2013	Email from Cliff Brunson to James Amos
BLM Approval of Plan:	01/24/2013	Email from James Amos to Cliff Brunson

## Supporting Documentation

Initial C-141	Signed 09/25/2012
Final C-141	Signed 08/06/2013
Site Diagram	August 2012
Groundwater Plot	>400'
TOPO Maps	August 2012
Lab Summary	Not required, lined battery
Lab Analysis	Not required, lined battery
Correspondence	Request and approval of remediation plan via email

## Request for Closure

Based on the completion of the remediation plan as agreed upon, BBC International requests closure approval from NMOCD.

Cliff Brunson, President of BBC International Inc.

08/08/2013

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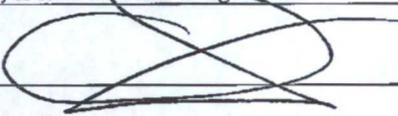
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#### OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Signature: 	Approved by District Supervisor:	
Printed Name: Chancey Summers	Approval Date:	Expiration Date:
Title: HES Specialist	Conditions of Approval:	
E-mail Address: Chancey.Summers@oxy.com	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 9/25/12	Phone: (575) 397-8216	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

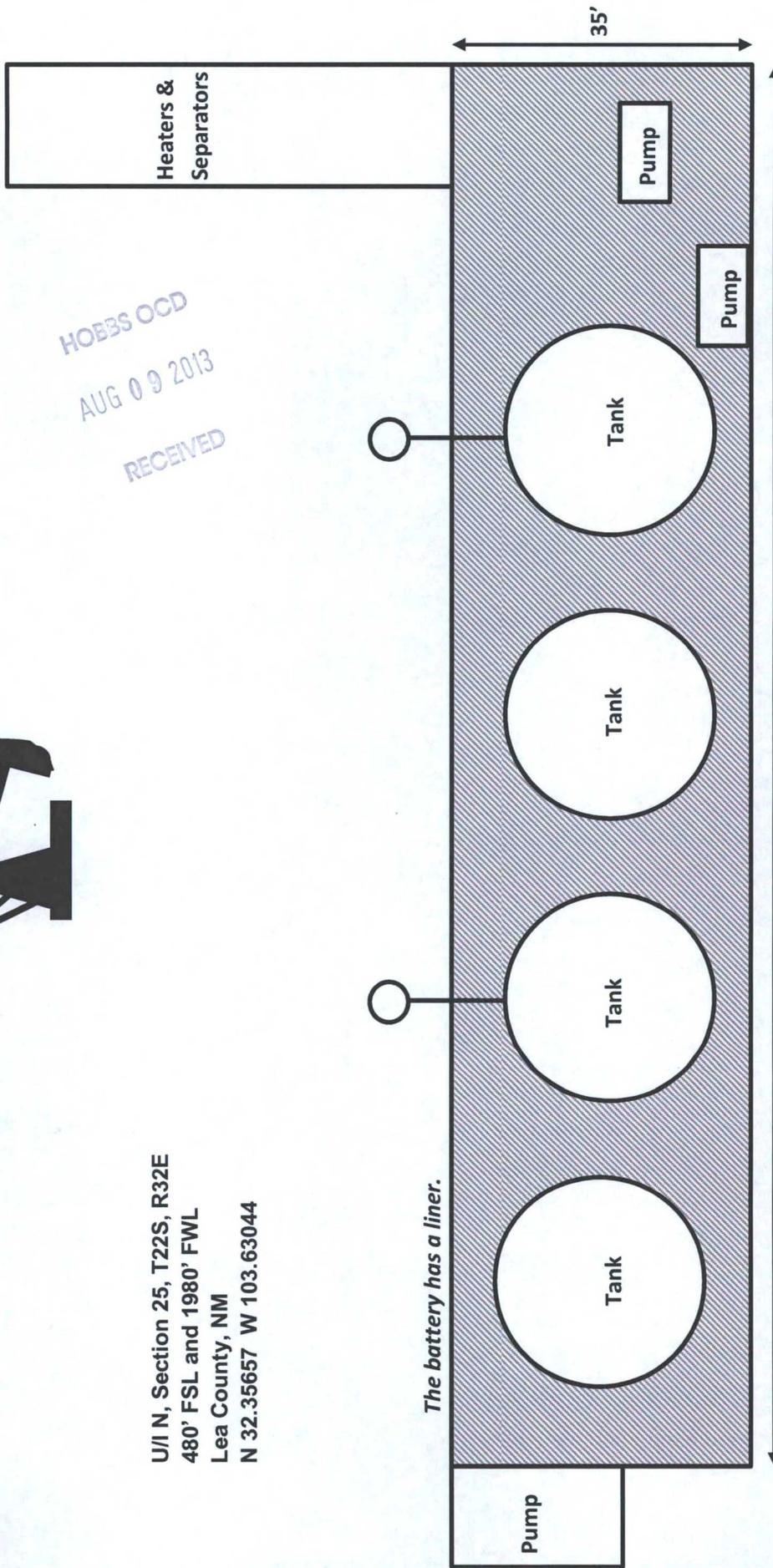
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<b>Oxy</b>		
<b>Covington A Federal #9</b>		
Date: 08/09/12	DRWG by: K. Purvis	
NOT TO SCALE		File: Oxy 2012





# Groundwater Plot

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## Oxy Covington A Federal #9

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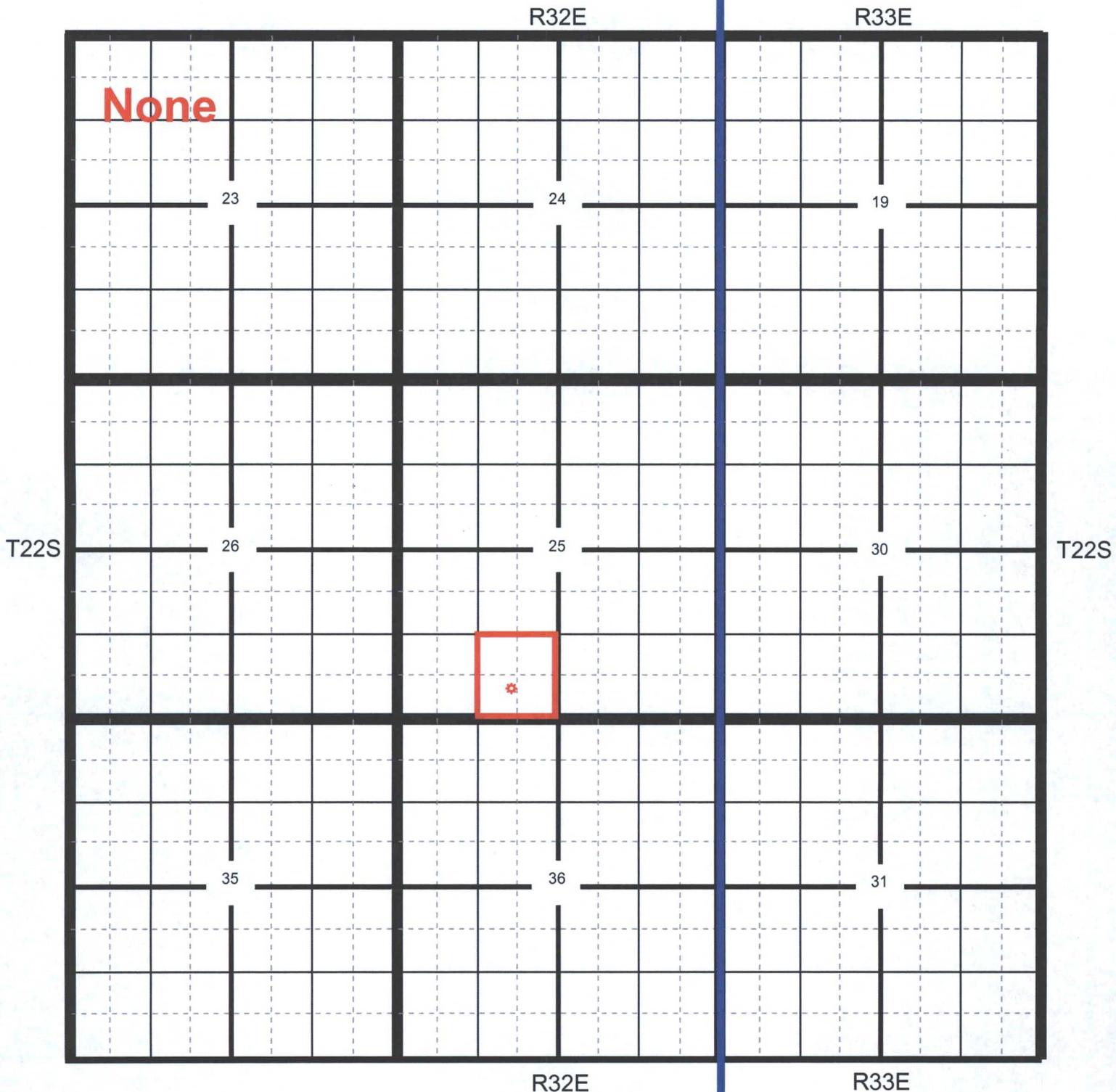
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Section  
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Township  
22S

Range  
32E

Trend Map >400'



⚙ Location

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County: Lea      Unit Letter: N      Section: 25      Township: 22S      Range: 32E

Trend Map >400'

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NW/NW <b>None</b>	NE/NW	NW/NE	NE/NE
Unit Letter D	Unit Letter C	Unit Letter B	Unit Letter A
SW/NW	SE/NW	SW/NE	SE/NE
Unit Letter E	Unit Letter F	Unit Letter G	Unit Letter H
NW/SW	NE/SW	NW/SE	NE/SE
Unit Letter L	Unit Letter K	Unit Letter J	Unit Letter I
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Unit Letter M	Unit Letter N 	Unit Letter O	Unit Letter P

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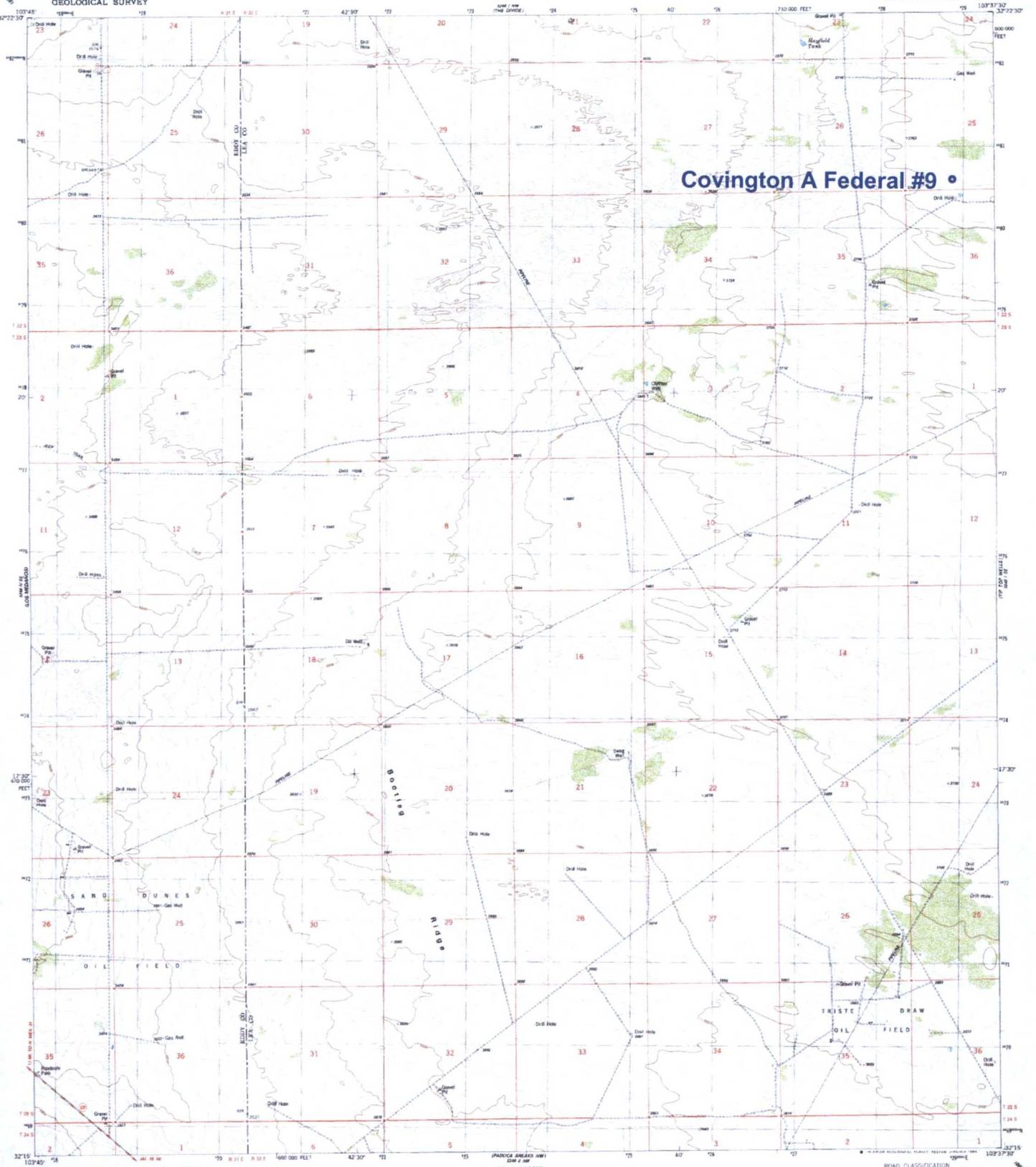
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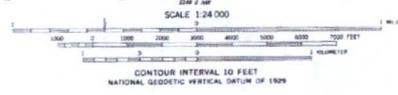
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Covington A Federal #9

Mapped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey  
 Control by USGS and NGS/NOAA  
 Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs taken 1977. Field checked 1978. Map edited 1994  
 Projection and 10,000-foot grid ticks: New Mexico coordinate system, and zone (Transverse Mercator) 1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid, zone 13 1927 North American Datum  
 To place on the projected North American Datum 1983 move the projection lines 9 meters south and 43 meters east as shown by dashed center ticks.  
 Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence lines.



ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Primary highway, hard surface	Light duty road, hard or improved surface
Secondary highway, hard surface	Unimproved road
Interstate Route	U.S. Route
	State Route

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 1984  
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**Kathy Purvis**

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**From:** Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD <GeoffreyR.Leking@state.nm.us>  
**Sent:** Friday, January 18, 2013 3:32 PM  
**To:** Cliff P. Brunson  
**Cc:** C J Summers; Ken Swinney; Jennifer Gilkey; Kathy Purvis  
**Subject:** RE: Oxy-Covington A Federal #9-Remediation Plan

Cliff

OCD concurs with the contents of the below email. Please proceed with field work. Thank you.

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Hobbs, NM 88240  
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**From:** Cliff P. Brunson [<mailto:cbrunson@bbcinternational.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 16, 2013 6:24 PM  
**To:** Leking, Geoffrey R, EMNRD  
**Cc:** C J Summers; Ken Swinney; Jennifer Gilkey; Kathy Purvis  
**Subject:** Oxy-Covington A Federal #9-Remediation Plan

Geoff,

This message is to confirm our discussion on January 14, 2013 concerning the remediation plan for the Oxy Covington A Federal #9 site. I have attached the site diagram that we used in our discussion. As mutually agreed, Oxy will remove the impacted gravel from this lined battery and replace with new gravel. No fluids were released out of the lined battery so no further remediation is required.

If you would please reply back via e-mail with your concurrence to this plan, it would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks, Cliff

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**From:** Amos, James <jamos@blm.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 24, 2013 1:39 PM  
**To:** Cliff P. Brunson  
**Cc:** C J Summers; Ken Swinney; Jennifer Gilkey; Kathy Purvis  
**Subject:** Re: Oxy-Covington A Federal 9 Central Tank Battery-Remediation Plan

Cliff, No brainer, you're okay to proceed. Thanks

On Wed, Jan 23, 2013 at 6:47 PM, Cliff P. Brunson <[cbrunson@bbcinternational.com](mailto:cbrunson@bbcinternational.com)> wrote:  
Jim,

I have attached a remediation packet of information for your review. This is the same information that was presented in our meeting on January 22, 2013. The packet includes a site diagram and groundwater information. As we discussed, this battery is a lined facility and Oxy will remove the impacted gravel and dirt and replace with similar material. The liner is intact and zero fluids escaped the lined facility.

Oxy is therefore requesting the approval of the BLM to proceed with the submitted remediation plan. If you would please respond back via e-mail with your approval, it would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please let us know.

Thank you,

Cliff

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