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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

MAY 16 2016

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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

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

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Release Notification and Corrective Action

NAB 11013949519

OPERATOR

Initial Report Final Report

Name of Company: COG Operating LLC <i>229137</i>	Contact: Robert McNeill
Address: 600 West Illinois Avenue, Midland TX 79701	Telephone No. 432-683-7443
Facility Name: COTTONWOOD 36 STATE SWD #001	Facility Type: SWD
Surface Owner: State	Mineral Owner: API No. 30-015-29560

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter K	Section 35	Township 25S	Range 26E	Feet from the 1980	North/South Line South	Feet from the 1980	East/West Line West	County Eddy
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Latitude 32.0844536 Longitude 104.2486954

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 5bbls of Produced Water	Volume Recovered: 3bbls of Produced Water
Source of Release: Injection Well	Date and Hour of Occurrence: 05-06-2016 11:00am	Date and Hour of Discovery: 05-06-2016 11:00am
Was immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" 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.*

The threading on the collar above the master valve washed out. Replaced the collar on the wellhead.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The release caused a 20' X 5' staining on the pad by the wellhead. Concho has replaced the collar on the wellhead and will have the spill site sampled to delineate any possible contamination from the release and we will present a remediation work plan to the NMOCD for approval prior to any significant remediation work.

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>Robert Grubbs Jr.</i>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: Robert Grubbs Jr.	Approved by Environmental Specialist: <i>[Signature]</i>	
Title: Senior Environmental Coordinator	Approval Date: 5/17/16	Expiration Date: N/A
E-mail Address: rgrubbs@concho.com	Conditions of Approval: Remediation per O.C.D. Rules & Guidelines <input type="checkbox"/>	
Date: 05-16-2016 Phone: 432-683-7443	SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

LATER THAN: 12/19/16

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Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD

From: Robert Grubbs <RGrubbs@concho.com>
Sent: Monday, May 16, 2016 3:39 PM
To: Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; 'agroves@slo.state.nm.us'; 'dvstrang@slo.state.nm.us'; Martin, Ed; Naranjo, Mark M.
Subject: (C-141 Initial) Cottonwood 36 State SWD #001 (30-015-29560)
Attachments: 05-06-2016 Cottonwood 36 State SWD #001 (Initial).pdf

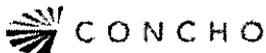
MR. BRATCHER / MS. GROVES,

ATTACHED IS A C-141 INITIAL FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION. IF YOU HAVE ANY ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ME.

THANK YOU,

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