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**ConocoPhillips
San Juan 32-7 CDP
#001**

2-19-2017

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

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

Form C-141
Revised August 8, 2011

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

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

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| Name of Company | ConocoPhillips Co. | Contact | Bobby Spearman |
| Address | 3401 East 30 th St, Farmington, NM | Telephone No. | (505)-320-3045 |
| Facility Name | San Juan 32-7 CDP #1 | Facility Type | CDP |

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|----------------|-----|----------------|--|---------|-----|
| Surface Owner: | Fed | Mineral Owner: | | API No. | N/A |
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LOCATION OF RELEASE

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|-------------|---------|----------|-------|---------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|----------|
| Unit Letter | Section | Township | Range | Feet from the | North/South Line | Feet from the | East/West Line | County |
| M | 34 | 32N | 7W | | | | | San Juan |

Latitude 36.931594 Longitude -107.559824

NATURE OF RELEASE

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|-----------------------------|---|--|------------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Type of Release | Produced Water | Volume of Release | 25.9 bbl | Volume Recovered | 0 |
| Source of Release | Water pipeline | Date and Hour of Occurrence | 2-19-17 10:00P | Date and Hour of Discovery | 2-19-17 10:00P |
| Was Immediate Notice Given? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required | If YES, To Whom? | Cory Smith | | |
| By Whom? | Lisa Hunter | Date and Hour | 2-9-17 at 3:30pm | | |
| Was a Watercourse Reached? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse | | | |

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If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

A suspected hole in the bottom of the Produced Water Tank (located at the Williams Field Services CDP) released approximately 26 bbls into the ground. No standing water, no fluid was able to be recovered. The release was contained within the berm and did not leave location.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

Soil sampling and will occur as soon as mud and snow conditions improve.

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.

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| Signature: | <i>B. Spearman</i> | | |
| Printed Name: | Bobby Spearman | | |
| Title: | Field Environmental Specialist | | |
| E-mail Address: | Robert.E.Spearman@conocophillips.com | | |
| Date: | 2-14-17 | Phone: | (505) 320-3045 |
| | | OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION | |
| | | Approved by Environmental Specialist: <i>[Signature]</i> | |
| | | Approval Date: | 3/20/2017 |
| | | Expiration Date: | |
| | | Conditions of Approval: | |
| | | Attached | <input type="checkbox"/> |

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

Include MRO Range in
Sampling

Operator/Responsible Party,

The OCD has received the form C-141 you provided on 2/17/2017 regarding an unauthorized release. The information contained on that form has been entered into our incident database and remediation case number MF17094341 has been assigned. Please refer to this case number in all future correspondence.

It is the Division's obligation under both the Oil & Gas Act and Water Quality Act to provide for the protection of public health and the environment. Our regulations (19.15.29.11 NMAC) state the following,

The responsible person shall complete division-approved corrective action for releases that endanger public health or the environment. The responsible person shall address releases in accordance with a remediation plan submitted to and approved by the division or with an abatement plan submitted in accordance with 19.15.30 NMAC. [emphasis added]

Release characterization is the first phase of corrective action unless the release is ongoing or is of limited volume and all impacts can be immediately addressed. Proper and cost-effective remediation typically cannot occur without adequate characterization of the impacts of any release. Furthermore, the Division has the ability to impose reasonable conditions upon the efforts it oversees. As such, the Division is requiring a workplan for the characterization of impacts associated with this release be submitted to the OCD District 14 office in 3D on or before 4/20/2017. If and when the release characterization workplan is approved, there will be an associated deadline for submittal of the resultant investigation report. Modest extensions of time to these deadlines may be granted, but only with acceptable justification.

The goals of a characterization effort are: 1) determination of the lateral and vertical extents along with the magnitude of soil contamination. 2) determine if groundwater or surface waters have been impacted. 3) If groundwater or surface waters have been impacted, what are the extents and magnitude of that impact. 4) The characterization of any other adverse impacts that may have occurred (examples: impacts on vegetation, impacts on wildlife, air quality, loss of use of property, etc.). To meet these goals as quickly as possible, the following items must, at a minimum, be addressed in the release characterization workplan and subsequent reporting:

- Horizontal delineation of soil impacts in each of the four cardinal compass directions. Adsorbed soil contamination must be characterized for the following constituents using the associated laboratory methods: benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes by either Method 8260 or 8021, total petroleum hydrocarbons by Method 8015 extended range (GRO+DRO+MRO; C₆ thru C₃₆), and for chloride by Method 300. This is not an exclusive list of potential contaminants. Analyzed parameters should be modified based on the nature of the released substance(s). Soil sampling must be both within the impacted area and beyond.
- Vertical delineation of soil impacts. Adsorbed soil contamination must be characterized for the following constituents using the associated laboratory methods: benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and total xylenes by either Method 8260 or 8021, total petroleum hydrocarbons by Method 8015 extended range (GRO+DRO+MRO; C₆ thru C₃₆), and for chloride by Method 300. As above, this is not an exclusive list of potential contaminants and can be modified. Vertical characterization samples should be taken at depth intervals no greater than five feet apart. Lithologic description of encountered soils must also be provided. At least ten vertical feet of soils with contaminant concentrations at or below these values must be demonstrated as existing above the water table.
- Nominal detection limits for field and laboratory analyses must be provided.
- Composite sampling is not generally allowed.
- Field screening and assessment techniques are acceptable (headspace, titration, EC [include algorithm for validation purposes], EM, etc.), but the sampling and assay procedures must be clearly defined. Copies of field notes are highly desirable. A statistically significant set of split samples must be submitted for confirmatory laboratory analysis, including the laterally farthest and vertically deepest sets of soil samples. Make sure there are at least two soil samples submitted