

**GW - 132**

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**Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD**

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**From:** jmolis@blackhillscorp.com  
**Sent:** Monday, November 19, 2007 4:56 PM  
**To:** Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD  
**Cc:** rfox@bhgen.com  
**Subject:** FYI GW-132 GAVILAN CS - Black Hills Discharge Permit  
**Attachments:** Letter to new landowner\_Tom Vessey.pdf; Certified Mail Receipt.pdf

Mr. Chavez,

I am Randy Fox's intern and I am following up with the information he sent you November 17th. Attached is a copy of the letter that was sent to Tom Vessey, the new landowner. Also attached is a copy of the certified mail envelope and receipt. Please contact Randy Fox on his cell phone at (303)909-9589 or myself at (720)210-1339, if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Jon Molis  
Black Hills Energy  
350 Indiana Street, Suite 400  
Golden, CO 80401  
720-210-1339 (direct)  
jmolis@bhenergy.com

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November 19, 2007

Tom Vessey  
HRC Highway 595  
Box 44  
Route 74  
Lindrith, New Mexico 87029

Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc., 350 Indiana Street, Suite 400, Golden, Colorado 80401, has submitted a renewal application to the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Oil Conservation Division for the previously approved discharge plan (GW-132) for their Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station located in the SW  $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 11, Township 25 North, Range 2 West in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. There is no mailing address for the facility. The physical location is 36.41 degrees Latitude and 107.02 degrees Longitude.

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Sincerely,

Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc.  
350 Indiana Street, Suite 400  
Golden, Colorado 80401

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**Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD**

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**From:** Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Monday, December 03, 2007 8:37 AM  
**To:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD  
**Subject:** FW: FYI GW-132 GAVILAN CS - Black Hills Discharge Permit  
**Attachments:** BlackHills\_Affidavit\_English.pdf; BlackHills\_Affidavit\_Spanish.pdf; Davis Letter\_not\_deliverable.pdf

Carl J. Chavez, CHMM  
New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept.  
Oil Conservation Division, Environmental Bureau  
1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505  
Office: (505) 476-3491  
Fax: (505) 476-3462  
E-mail: [CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us](mailto:CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us)  
Website: <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/index.htm>  
(Pollution Prevention Guidance is under "Publications")

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**From:** rfox@bhgen.com [mailto:rfox@bhgen.com]  
**Sent:** Saturday, November 17, 2007 6:59 PM  
**To:** Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD  
**Cc:** jthomas@bhenergy.com; jmolis@blackhillscorp.com; fcarl@bh-corp.com  
**Subject:** RE: FYI GW-132 GAVILAN CS - Black Hills Discharge Permit

Carl,

Attached are the affidavits of the public notices for the Groundwater Discharge Permit Renewal at the Gavilan Compressor Station. As required, the notices are in English and Spanish. Sorry that it has taken awhile to send these affidavits but we just received them yesterday from the Farmington Daily Times.

In addition, I have attached a pdf file for a returned certified envelope which contains the notification letter to the local landowner, Frederick Harold Davis and Sarah Alma Davis Family Trust). This letter was undeliverable due to the fact that the Davis Family Trust no longer owns this land and may no longer exist. The land was recently sold to Tom Vessey (address: HRC Highway 595, Box 44, Route 74, Lindrith, NM 87029).

During the week of November 26, Black Hills will send a new notification letter to Mr. Vessey. As soon as the letter is sent by certified mail, Jon Molis or Judy Thomas from our office will send you by e-mail a copy of the letter along with verification that the letter was sent. Jon or Judy will be sending you the e-mail since I will be out of the office on travel for about 10 days. However, I will be available by cell phone. If you have any questions, please call me at 303-909-9589.

Thank you,

Randy Fox  
Black Hills Energy

12/3/2007

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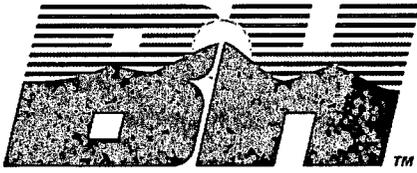
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October 29, 2007

Carl Chavez  
New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: Additional Information for Groundwater Discharge Permit – Letter to Landowner  
Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station  
Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc. (a subsidiary of Black Hills Exploration and Production, Inc.)

Dear Mr. Chavez:

Attached is a copy of the public notice letter informing the landowners of the submittal to renew the Groundwater Discharge Permit for the Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station. This facility is operated by Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc. (Black Hills). Please note that Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc. is a subsidiary of Black Hills Exploration and Production, Inc.

Public notice advertisements will be published in the Farmington Daily Times and written in both English and Spanish. These notices should run in this newspaper within the week. As soon as Black Hills receives an affidavit from the newspaper proving the notices were run, Black Hills will send you a copy.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 720-210-1334.

Sincerely,

Randy Fox  
Black Hills Exploration and Production

cc: Fred Carl, Black Hills Energy

October 15, 2007

Frederick Harold Davis and Sarah Alma Davis Family Trust  
c/o Mr. H. F. Davis.  
P.O. Box 868  
Cuba, New Mexico 87013

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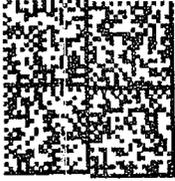
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**Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD**

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**From:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Monday, October 15, 2007 11:49 AM  
**To:** 'rfox@bhgen.com'  
**Cc:** Price, Wayne, EMNRD; Hansen, Edward J., EMNRD  
**Subject:** GW-132, Administratively Complete  
**Attachments:** GW-132 AdmCompleteLetter.pdf; GW-132, DRAFT Permit.pdf; GW-132 OCD PN local.pdf

Mr. Randy Fox,

The submitted renewal discharge plan application for the Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station has been deemed **Administratively Complete**.

I have attached the **Administratively Complete** letter, the **Draft Permit** and the **NMOCD Public Notice** for this facility to this e-mail.

I am still waiting on the already in progress applicant public notice from you for review.

Thank you for your attention and have a nice day.

llowe

**Leonard Lowe**  
Environmental Engineer  
Oil Conservation Division, EMNRD  
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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505  
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**Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD**

**From:** rfox@bhgen.com  
**Sent:** Friday, October 12, 2007 12:50 PM  
**To:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD  
**Cc:** astulken@bh-corp.com; dnewlin@bhhep.com; fcarl@bh-corp.com; jmolis@blackhillscorp.com; lbenally@bhhep.com; rwhite@bhhep.com; thopkins@bhhep.com  
**Subject:** RE: GW - 132, Gavilan DP Renewal Application Questions  
**Attachments:** Public Notice Gavilan Discharge Permit.doc

Leonard,

Here are the responses (in blue print) to your questions regarding the Discharge Permit for the Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station.

1. You note in Attachment 5 (of 2007 submittal) that Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc. operates the Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station. Does Black Hills Gas Resources Inc, also own the compressor station? Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc. owns and operates the facility itself. The land is leased from Frederick Harold Davis and Sarah Alma Davis Family Trust, c/o Mr. H. F. Davis.
2. Is this compressor station still rated at 200 – 290 HP? The engine for the compressor is rated at approximately 80 HP.
3. On Attachment 6 (of 2007 submittal) you note as "waste hauler" to remove "stored waste oil" and "used filters", do you have only one waste hauler? Or do you have a few you choose from? Let me know who your waste haulers are, if more than one, and where these wastes are hauled to. The Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station is a small facility. There have not been any waste removal events for several years. If there were to be some waste removed in the near future, Black Hills would likely use Safety Kleen (since Safety Kleen is the "waste hauler" we use at our nearby fields). Safety Kleen would dispose of the "waste oil" in one of their approved facilities or landfills. Safety Kleen (or another reputable hauler) would likely send the "used filters" to the San Juan County Regional Landfill.
4. What is the Depth to Ground water and TDS in the facility area? The depth to ground water level is approximately 200 to 500 feet. TDS levels are approximately 12,000 mg/liter.
5. What is the name of local newspaper you intend to run your public notice in? The Farmington Daily Times. I have attached a draft public notice for your review. Leonard, just let me know when Black Hills needs to submit the public notice. See attachments for Applicant Public Notice Requirements (.pdf), WQCC PN flow chart process (.pdf) and an example of an applicant Public Notice (.doc).

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To <rfox@bhgen.com>  
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10/09/2007 03:39 PM

<dnewlin@bhep.com>  
Subject RE: GW - 132, Gavilan DP Renewal Application Questions

Mr. Randy Fox,

Have you had a chance to get me answers to the below stated questions?

Please get back to me on these as soon as you can.

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**Leonard Lowe**

Environmental Engineer  
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**From:** [rfox@bhgen.com](mailto:rfox@bhgen.com) [mailto:[rfox@bhgen.com](mailto:rfox@bhgen.com)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 25, 2007 5:07 PM  
**To:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD  
**Cc:** [lbenally@bhep.com](mailto:lbenally@bhep.com); [fcarl@bh-corp.com](mailto:fcarl@bh-corp.com); [thopkins@bhep.com](mailto:thopkins@bhep.com); [rwhite@bhep.com](mailto:rwhite@bhep.com); [astulken@bh-corp.com](mailto:astulken@bh-corp.com); [jmolis@blackhillscorp.com](mailto:jmolis@blackhillscorp.com); [dnewlin@bhep.com](mailto:dnewlin@bhep.com)  
**Subject:** Re: GW - 132, Gavilan DP Renewal Application Questions

Leonard,

Black Hills is addressing each of the questions posed by OCD in the attached e-mail. As we discussed over the phone, Black Hills should be able to send you the answers to your questions during the week of October 1 - 5.

Thank you,

Randy Fox  
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09/24/2007 10:22 AM

To &lt;rfox@bhgen.com&gt;

cc

Subject GW - 132, Gavilan DP Renewal Application Questions

Mr. Randy Fox,

RE: GW – 132, Gavilan DP Renewal Questions.

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Please answer these questions so that I may be able to initiate Admin Complete for your renewal application.

Also send me a draft of your Public Notice. OCD will need to approve your Public Notice prior to you publishing it.

Thank you for your attention.

llowe

**Leonard Lowe**

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**From:** rfox@bhgen.com  
**Sent:** Friday, September 21, 2007 5:12 PM  
**To:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD  
**Subject:** Re: FW: GW - 132 RENEWAL

Mr. Lowe,

Thanks for contacting me. I am the environmental contact for this application.

To answer your question, Black Hills would like OCD to use the 2002 Discharge Plan application as part of the renewal process. You are correct that the information provided in the recent 2007 application covers only the changes made since the last application submittal.

If you have any further questions, call me on my direct line (720-210-1334) or e-mail me. Please note that I will be traveling for most of next week including a few day of vacation on September 27 and 28. It may take me a few days to return your messages next week.

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To <rfox@bhgen.com>  
cc  
Subject FW: GW - 132 RENEWAL

Mr. Randy Fox,

Mr. Tim Hopkins has informed me that you are the individual I will be contacting with on items pertaining to the renewal application for the GW-132, Gavilan Compressor Station.

Can you answer the question below?

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**From:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Friday, September 21, 2007 3:21 PM  
**To:** 'thopkins@bhep.com'  
**Subject:** GW - 132 RENEWAL  
**Importance:** High

Mr. Hopkins,

Do you want the OCD to use your last approved Discharge Plan application, 2002, as part of the renewal process?

Your recent submitted application, 09/04/07, appears to be an abbreviated application and am assuming the information provided are only the changes made since the last submittal.

Please let me know.

llowe

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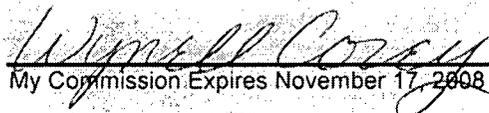
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ON 11/16/07 BOB WALLER appeared before me, whom I know personally to be the person who signed the above document.

  
My Commission Expires November 17, 2008

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc., 350 Indiana Street, Suite 400, Golden, Colorado 80401, has submitted a renewal application to the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Oil Conservation Division for the previously approved discharge plan (GW-132) for their Gavilan Natural Gas Compressor Station located in the SW 1/4, SE 1/4 of Section 11, Township 25 North, Range 2 West in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. There is no mailing address for the facility. The physical location is 36.41 degrees Latitude and 107.02 degrees Longitude.

The facility compresses natural gas from nearby gathering lines. Materials generated or used at the facility include pipeline condensate liquid, new and used compressor lubrication oil, and gear oil. All liquids utilized at the facility are stored in dedicated above ground storage tanks prior to offsite disposal or recycling at an OCD approved site. The largest container is 210 barrels of pipeline condensate liquid. All storage tanks are within properly engineered and OCD approved secondary containments. No onsite discharges are intentionally allowed to contact or enter surface or groundwater. The volume of discharges is zero and therefore, the quality of the discharges is not applicable.

The aquifer most likely to be affected is about 200 to 500 feet in depth, and the total dissolved solids concentration of this aquifer is approximately 12,000 mg/l.

Any interested person or persons may obtain information, submit comments or request to be placed on a facility-specific mailing list for future notices by contacting Leonard Lowe at the New Mexico OCD at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, Telephone (505) 476-3492. The OCD will accept comments and statements of interest regarding the renewal and will create a facility-specific mailing list for persons who wish to receive future notices.

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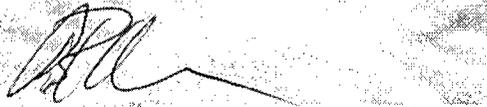
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**ANUNCIO PÚBLICO**  
Black Hills Gas Resources, Inc., Calle 350, Indiana, Apartamento 400, Golden, Colorado, ha presentado una renovación de aplicación para la Energía en Nuevo México, Departamento de Recursos Naturales y Minerales, División de Conservación del Petróleo para el plan de vertimiento (GW-132) previamente aprobado para su Estación de Compresión de Gas Natural Gavilan en la SW 7 SE 7 de la Sección 11, Municipio Norte 25, Zona 2 Oeste en el Condado Río Arriba, Nuevo México. No hay dirección postal para la instalación. La locación física es 36.41 grados de Latitud y 107.02 grados de Longitud.

La instalación comprime gas natural desde unas líneas fuentes cercanas. Los materiales generados o usados en la instalación incluyen ductos de líquido condensado, aceite nuevo y usado para la lubricación de compresores. Todos los líquidos utilizados en la instalación son almacenados en tanques de almacenamiento encima del suelo antes de ser dispuestos o reciclados en un sitio OCD aprobado. El contenedor más largo es de 210 barriles con ductos de líquido condensado. Todos los tanques almacenados están dentro de la ingeniería requerida y la contención secundaria OCD aprobada. Ningún vertimiento de la obra debe entrar en contacto con la superficie o aguas subterráneas. El volumen de vertimientos es cero y por tanto, la calidad de los mismos no es aplicable.

El acuífero con mayor probabilidad de ser afectado es casi de 200 a 500 pies de profundidad, y la concentración total de sólidos disueltos de éste acuífero es aproximadamente 12,000mg/l.

Cualquier persona o personas interesadas pueden obtener información; envíe comentarios o solicite ser ubicado en un listado de direcciones específicas de instalación para futuros anuncios, contactando a Leonardo Lowe en OCD de Nuevo México en la Calle Sur 1220, Avenida Francis, Santa Fe, Nuevo México 87505. Número Telefónico (505) 476-3492. La OCD aceptará comentarios y declaraciones de interés con respecto a la renovación y creará una lista de dirección específica de instalación para las personas que deseen recibir anuncios futuros.



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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission Regulations (20.6.2.3106 NMAC), the following discharge permit application(s) has been submitted to the Director of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("NMOCD"), 1220 S. Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, Telephone (505) 476-3440:

(GW-364) Williams Four Corners, Mr. David Bays, Senior Environmental Specialist, 188 County Road 4900, Bloomfield, N.M. 87413, has submitted an application for a new discharge plan for their Bancos Compressor Station built in 2006. It is located in the



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**Cryptquote**

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