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**BD C-30 EOL**

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Oil Conservation Division  
1220 S. St. Francis Drive  
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**CLOSURE**

**RICE OPERATING COMPANY  
JUNCTION BOX FINAL REPORT**

**BOX LOCATION**

SWD SYSTEM	JUNCTION	UNIT	SECTION	TOWNSHIP	RANGE	COUNTY	BOX DIMENSIONS - FEET		
							Length 5'	Width 5'	Depth 1'
Blinebry-Drinkard (BD)	C-30 EOL	C	30	22S	38E	Lea	Eliminated		

LAND TYPE: BLM \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ FEE LANDOWNER Walco Ranch, LLC OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

Depth to Groundwater 105 feet NMOCD SITE ASSESSMENT RANKING SCORE: 10

Date Started 4/12/2010 Date Completed 4/12/2010 OCD Witness no

Soil Excavated 3.6 cubic yards Excavation Length 7 Width 2 Depth 7 feet

Soil Disposed 0 cubic yards Offsite Facility n/a Location n/a

**FINAL ANALYTICAL RESULTS:** Sample Date 4/12/2010 Sample Depth 7 ft.

TPH and Chloride laboratory test results completed by using an approved lab and testing procedures pursuant to NMOCD guidelines.

Sample Location	PID (field) ppm	GRO mg/kg	DRO mg/kg	Chloride mg/kg
SOURCE 7' GRAB	1.4	<10.0	<10.0	112

CHLORIDE FIELD TESTS		
LOCATION	DEPTH	mg/kg
background	6"	148
vertical delineation trench at the junction (source)	2'	140
	3'	55
	4'	150
	5'	115
	6'	88
	7'	178

**General Description of Remedial Action:** This junction and line were eliminated during the pipeline replacement/upgrade program. After the former junction box was removed, an investigation was conducted using a backhoe to collect soil samples at regular intervals producing a 7X2X7-ft. deep excavation. Chloride field tests performed on each sample yielded low concentrations similar to that of the background. Organic vapors were measured using a PID, which also yielded low concentrations. The deepest sample, 7 ft. BGS was sent to a commercial laboratory for analysis of chloride and TPH, which confirmed low concentrations. The excavated soil was returned to the excavation to ground surface and contoured to the surrounding area. On 4/28/2010, the site was seeded with a blend of native vegetation and is expected to return to a productive capacity at a normal rate.

enclosures: photos, lab results, PID (field) screening, chloride curve.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION ABOVE IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

SITE SUPERVISOR Robert Egans SIGNATURE *Robert Egans* COMPANY RICE OPERATING COMPANY

REPORT ASSEMBLED BY Larry Bruce Baker Jr. INITIAL *LBB*

PROJECT LEADER Larry Bruce Baker Jr. SIGNATURE *Larry Bruce Baker Jr.* DATE 8-27-10

# BD C-30 EOL

Unit C, Section 30, T22S, R38E



Delineation trench being excavated

4/12/2010



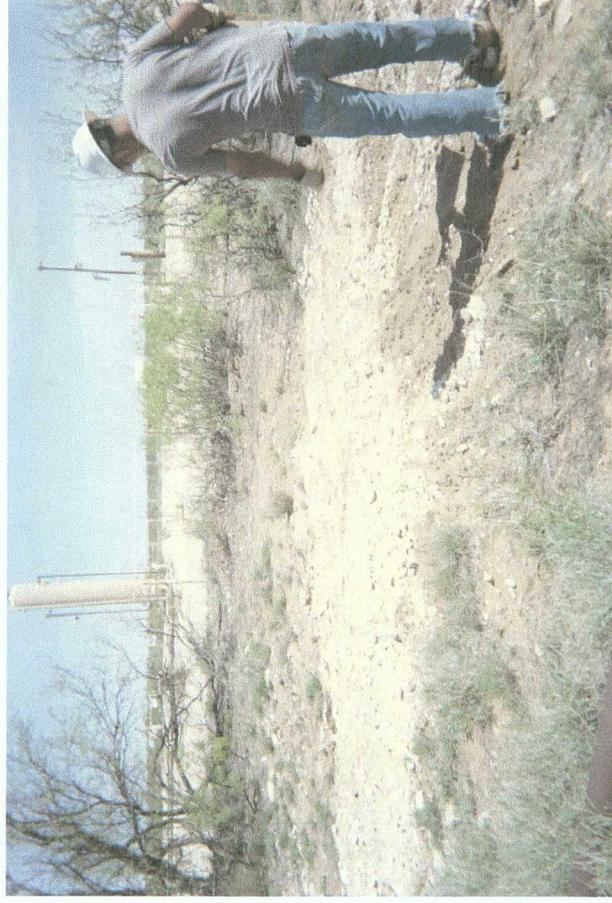
Sample being collected

4/12/2010



Backfilling excavation

4/12/2010



Seeding excavation

4/28/2010



# ARDINAL LABORATORIES

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ANALYTICAL RESULTS FOR  
RICE OPERATING COMPANY  
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Receiving Date: 04/12/10  
Reporting Date: 04/21/10  
Project Number: NOT GIVEN  
Project Name: BD C-30 EOL (22/38)  
Project Location: BD C-30 EOL (22/38)

Sampling Date: 04/12/10  
Sample Type: SOIL  
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT  
Sample Received By: JH  
Analyzed By: AB/HM

	GRO	DRO	
	(C <sub>6</sub> -C <sub>10</sub> )	(>C <sub>10</sub> -C <sub>28</sub> )	Cl*
LAB NUMBER SAMPLE ID	(mg/kg)	(mg/kg)	(mg/kg)

ANALYSIS DATE	04/15/10	04/15/10	04/13/10
H19653-1 SOURCE @ 7FT	<10.0	<10.0	112
Quality Control	485	564	500
True Value QC	500	500	500
% Recovery	97.0	113	100
Relative Percent Difference	0.1	0.4	<0.1

METHODS: TPH GRO & DRO: EPA SW-846 8015 M; Cl: Std. Methods 4500-Cl/B  
\*Analysis performed on a 1:4 w:v aqueous extract.  
Reported on wet weight.

*Alyce Keene* COPY *04/22/10*  
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 Chemist Date

H19653 TCL RICE

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 PID METER CALIBRATION & FIELD REPORT FORM

Check Model Number:

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Model: PGM 7300    Serial No: 590-000183  
 Model: PGM 7300    Serial No: 590-000508  
 Model: PGM 7300    Serial No: 590-000504


Model: PGM 7600    Serial No: 110-023920  
 Model: PGM 7600    Serial No: 110-013744  
 Model: PGM 7600    Serial No: 110-013676

GAS COMPOSITION: ISOBUTYLENE 100PPM / AIR: BALANCE

LOT NO: <i>928167</i>	EXPIRATION DATE: <i>1-17-2013</i>
FILL DATE:	METER READING ACCURACY: <i>100ppm</i>

ACCURACY : +/- 2%

SYSTEM	JUNCTION	UNIT	SECTION	TOWN SHIP	RANGE
<i>BD</i>	<i>C-30 FOL</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>38</i>

SAMPLE ID	PID	SAMPLE ID	PID
<i>Source 2'</i>	<i>2.2</i>	<i>Background</i>	<i>1.2</i>
<i>3'</i>	<i>1.9</i>		
<i>4'</i>	<i>2.0</i>		
<i>5'</i>	<i>1.7</i>		
<i>6'</i>	<i>1.4</i>		
<i>7'</i>	<i>1.4</i>		

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I verify that I have calibrated the above instrument in accordance to the manufacture operation manual.

SIGNATURE: *Robert Evans*

DATE: *4-12-2010*

# CHLORIDE CONCENTRATION CURVE

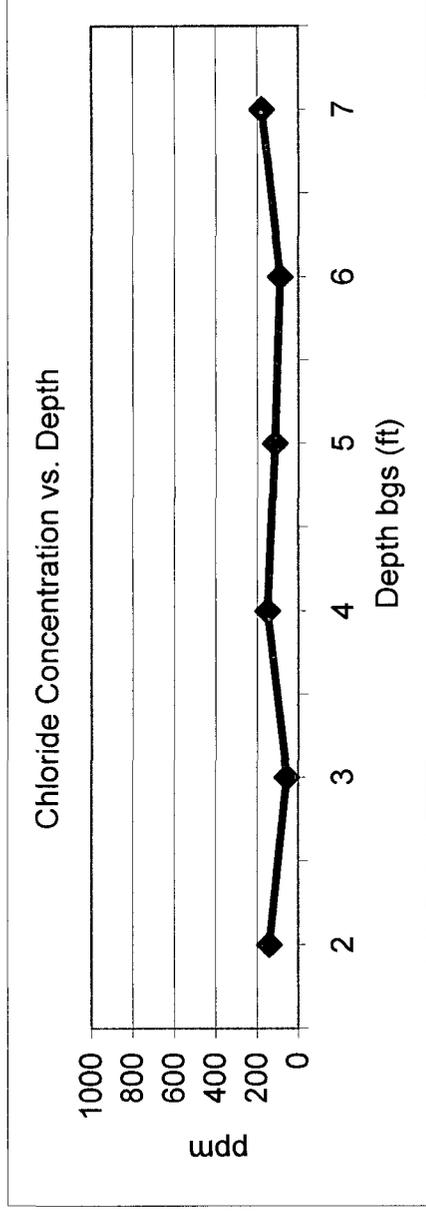
RICE Operating Company

## BD C-30 EOL

Unit 'C', Sec. 30, T22S, R38E

Backhoe samples at the junction (source)

Depth bgs (ft)	[Cl <sup>-</sup> ] ppm
2	140
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Groundwater = 105 ft.