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IN REPLY REFER TO:

3162.3-2 (P0220)

May 21, 2013

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

Re: Amoco Federal 1

The BLM will object to the proposed reinstatement of this salt water disposal well for the following reasons:

1. There are numerous wells within the half mile radius around the Amoco Federal 1 that show a calculated cement top rather than a cement top determined by a Cement Bond Log. The BLM does not accept calculated as a legitimate determination of the top of cement. Operator shall provide verification of the cement tops.
2. Operator needs to do further research on fresh water wells as there are other fresh water wells in the area.

Note:

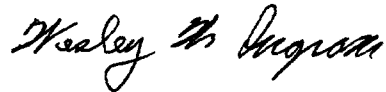
Operator is inconsistent in the injection formation – in some places it is listed as Delaware, in others as Cherry Canyon.

Other requirements for reinstatement if objections are satisfied:

The well will be required to have an annulus monitoring system that is open to atmosphere since the cement behind the proposed injection casing does not tie-back into the previous casing string.

If you have any questions regarding this objection, please contact Wesley W. Ingram, Supervisory Petroleum Engineer at (575) 234-5982.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Wesley W. Ingram". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "W" and "I".

Wesley W. Ingram  
Supervisory Petroleum Engineer  
Bureau of Land Management  
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cc: Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado

## Davidson, Florene, EMNRD

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**From:** Fernandez, Edward <efernand@blm.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 06, 2013 2:09 PM  
**To:** Davidson, Florene, EMNRD  
**Subject:** Re: SWD objection

Yes it is an objection to Case 14994

We have not, in the past, put case numbers on our letters, if this becomes an issue please let me know and I will get with my supervisor Wesley Ingram and let him know.

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On Thu, Jun 6, 2013 at 1:25 PM, Davidson, Florene, EMNRD <[florene.davidson@state.nm.us](mailto:florene.davidson@state.nm.us)> wrote:

Mr. Fernandez, I just need to ask if this is an objection to Case 14994 set for hearing on June 13. I did not receive your original, possibly because there was no case number on it.

Thank you.

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This was mailed on May 22, 2013

See attached

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