

**From:** Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**To:** ["Lara Weinheimer"](#)  
**Cc:** [Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD](#); ["Hack Conder"](#); ["Baker, Larry"](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Path forward for the Apache Randy Federal Water Station  
**Date:** Thursday, July 31, 2014 8:14:00 AM

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Lara,

You have OCD approval to move ahead on this site.

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, and for notification, please contact me.

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**From:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 23, 2014 7:07 AM  
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**From:** Lara Weinheimer [<mailto:lweinheimer@rice-ecs.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 23, 2014 7:04 AM  
**To:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; 'Robertson, Jeffery'  
**Cc:** 'Hack Conder'; 'Jacob Kamplain'; 'Kyle Norman'; 'Laura Flores'; 'Baker, Larry'  
**Subject:** Path forward for the Apache Randy Federal Water Station

Based on the excavation data attached for the site, a 20-mil reinforced poly liner will be installed and properly seated into the base of the 4 ft excavation. Once the liner is installed, the excavation will be backfilled with clean, imported top soil and contoured to the surrounding location. The site will be seeded with a blend of native vegetation. Once these activities have been completed, a Termination Request will be submitted to NMOCD and BLM requesting 'remediation termination' and site closure.

If you have any questions, please let us know. Otherwise, we await your approval.

Thanks!

**Lara Weinheimer**

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