From: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD
To: "Daniel Dominguez"

Cc: john robinson@xtoenergy.com; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; "Robertson, Jeffery"

Subject: RE: Nash 45

**Date:** Tuesday, June 09, 2015 8:22:00 AM

RE: XTO \* Nash Unit #45 \* 30-015-42048 \* 2RP-2882

## Mr. Dominguez,

Your proposal to excavate SP2 to 5 feet is approved. The OCD would like SP3 to be excavated to 1 foot, and SP1 excavated to 6 feet. Because of shallow groundwater in the area, the OCD would also like bottom hole and sidewall confirmation samples taken throughout the excavation.

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:** Daniel Dominguez [mailto:ddominguezepi@gmail.com]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 09, 2015 7:28 AM

To: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

Subject: Re: Nash 45

Sorry about that, I thought that sample point was there. Attached is the Sample Map with the back ground sample location.

On Tue, Jun 9, 2015 at 7:06 AM, Patterson, Heather, EMNRD

< <u>Heather.Patterson@state.nm.us</u>> wrote:

Can you please show me the mapped location of the back ground sample?

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From: Daniel Dominguez [mailto:ddominguezepi@gmail.com]

**Sent:** Monday, June 08, 2015 3:50 PM

To: Patterson, Heather, EMNRD; john\_robinson@xtoenergy.com

Subject: Nash 45

Heather,

Attached is the Sample Map, showing sample locations and release area, and Table 2, showing Field and Laboratory analytical data for the Nash 45 operated by XTO Energy.

A background sample was collected along with the other samples and lab results indicate the background chlorides to be 672 mg/Kg. We would like to remediate the site to background levels. Excavating the area around SP2 to five (5) feet bgs would accomplish this. SP3 needs only surface scraping. SP1 however still indicates higher than background chlorides at fourteen (14) feet bgs. Can we excavate the area around SP1 to five (5) feet bgs as well and backfill or would we need a liner in the excavation bottom and then backfill?

No excavating has occurred at this location yet.

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Sincerely, ENVIRONMENTAL PLUS, INC.

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