

## **Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD**

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**From:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
**Sent:** Monday, December 14, 2015 11:32 AM  
**To:** 'Benjamin Aucoin'; Tucker, Shelly  
**Cc:** Junho Yoo; Dade, Randy, EMNRD; Brett.Fulks@dvn.com; James Collier (James.Collier@eccgrp.com); Patterson, Heather, EMNRD  
**Subject:** RE: Initial Notification Confirmation and Initial Spill Report - LPC Crude Oil Marketing, LLC (11/11/15)

RE: Devon Energy \* Cotton Draw Ut 172H \* 30-015-42426 \* O-1-25s-31e  
2RP-3390 \* Date of release: 11/11/2015

Benjamin,

Based on analytical data indicating mostly surficial impact on the well pad, your proposal for in-situ bioremediation of the above referenced release is approved. It is OCD's understanding that confirmation samples will be obtained for analyses 60 days after the initial treatment, and that BLM has approved this proposal.

### **Brett,**

There is another incident open on this site that appears to have occurred under similar circumstances. The date was 4/15/2015 and has been assigned 2RP-2966. If you can confirm the April release was in the same area, or, if you have data available, we may be able to close it when we close this one.

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, please contact me.

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**Sent:** Friday, December 11, 2015 1:30 PM  
**To:** Tucker, Shelly; Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD  
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Mike/Shelly,

Attached is the proposed work plan for remediation of the Devon Cotton Draw 172H. Please let me know if OCD and BLM approve and we will schedule to perform the work. If this needs to be submitted formally, please let me know.

If you have any questions, please contact me via cell phone or email.

Regards,

**Benjamin Aucoin**

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**Sent:** Friday, November 13, 2015 1:33 PM

**To:** Benjamin Aucoin

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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: Initial Notification Confirmation and Initial Spill Report - LPC Crude Oil Marketing, LLC (11/11/15)

Thank you...Have dealt with EnviroClean on several projects. Shouldn't be any issue.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

*Shelly J Tucker*

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On Fri, Nov 13, 2015 at 12:30 PM, Benjamin Aucoin <[Benjamin.Aucoin@enlink.com](mailto:Benjamin.Aucoin@enlink.com)> wrote:

Shelly,

Thank you for the acknowledging receipt of the notification. I would also like to update BLM and OCD by saying that we have contracted EnviroClean Services to perform the remediation work. I have informed them that full analysis and delineation must be part of the work plan. I anticipate submitting the Work Plan to BLM and OCD early next week.

If I can be of further assistance prior to submittal of the Work Plan, please don't hesitate to contact me at any time.

Thanks.

**Benjamin Aucoin**

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**From:** Tucker, Shelly [mailto:[stucker@blm.gov](mailto:stucker@blm.gov)]

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Thank you for your notification. We will wait for your Work Plan - (you will need to take full analyticals and *please delineate*).

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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On Thu, Nov 12, 2015 at 1:01 PM, Benjamin Aucoin <[Benjamin.Aucoin@enlink.com](mailto:Benjamin.Aucoin@enlink.com)> wrote:

Mr. Bratcher and Ms. Tucker,

Please accept this email and the attached C-141 as confirmation of initial notification and initial spill report for a 67 bbl spill (44 recovered) by LPC Crude Oil Marketing, LLC that occurred in Eddy County at N 32° 09' 9.41"; W 103° 43' 38.37" on 11/11/15 at 10:30 PM. This spill from the transport truck occurred on a Devon pad (Cotton Draw 172H) and did not leave the site. A vacuum truck was able to recover 44 bbl of spilled crude oil.

This is the first notification and report of this nature that I've had to make, so if there is any additional information that you need or that I haven't included in the C-141, please contact me so I can provide this information to you. I appreciate your patience as I learn this process.

If I can be of further assistance, please contact on my cell phone (225-313-1338) any time.

Regards,

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