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**Subject:** Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line (Release 10/27/2013)

## Randal,

Yates Petroleum has reviewed the initial analytical results for the Livingston Ridge SWD Water Line release. It has been determined that further vertical delineation is required for this release. Yates has scheduled a core rig for the further vertical delineation process. The core rig is necessary since we sampled as far as we could with the trackhoe during our initial sampling on 11/4/2013.

I have a crew building a caliche road out here for the core rig to get into and out of the release area. The road will be built over the area the dozer trucks have already been back and forth on so we can keep surface disturbance to a minimum at this time.

Sampling will take place sometime during the end of the first week or beginning of the second week of December. As it looks right now, we should be starting out in this area around December 5<sup>th</sup>. We have several other projects out in this area, and this release will be the last on our list for sampling. I will give you a heads up the day before it looks like we will be moving to this release area in case you want to be present for sampling.

As per Yates' normal procedure, the further vertical delineation will take place. Once we receive those analytical results back from the laboratory, all analytical results and a work plan will be submitted to BLM and NMOCD for review.

Should you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks,

## **Amber Cannon**

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