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**Cc:** Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD; Venegas, Victoria, EMNRD; Eads, Cristina, EMNRD; CFO\_Spill, BLM\_NM  
**Subject:** Deferral Approval - Devon - Fighting Okra 18 CTB 4 - (Incident #NRM2005959104)  
**Attachments:** Deferral Approval - Devon - Fighting Okra 18 CTB 4.pdf

Devon's deferral requests to complete final remediation after the site location abandonment and pad reclamation requirement activities. Devon doesn't believe deferment will result in imminent risk to human health, the environment, or groundwater.. The areas requested for deferral are identified on the site map as "S5", "S6", "S7", "S8", "SW1", "SW2", "CS5" and "SW3". The areas have been delineated and documented in the report. At this time, OCD approves this request. The Deferral Request and C-141 will be accepted for record and marked accordingly. The release will remain open in OCD database files and reflect an open environmental issue. This is a Federal site and will require like approval from BLM.

Please let me know if you have any further questions.

Regards,

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