



June 24, 2020

Vertex Project #: 20E-00141-031

**Spill Closure Report:** Apache 25 Federal #006  
Unit P, Section 25, Township 22 South, Range 30 East  
County: Eddy  
API: 30-015-29894  
Tracking Numbers: NAB1919853853

**Prepared For:** Devon Energy Production Company  
6488 Seven Rivers Highway  
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

**New Mexico Oil Conservation Division – District 2 – Artesia**

811 South First Street  
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Devon Energy Production Company (Devon) retained Vertex Resource Services Inc. (Vertex) to conduct a spill assessment and liner inspection for the April 23, 2019, release that occurred at Apache 25 Federal #006, API 30-015-29894 (hereafter referred to as “Apache 25”). Devon provided notification of the spill to New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NM OCD) District 2 and the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), who owns the property, via submission of an initial C-141 Release Notification (Attachment 1) on April 23, 2019. The NM OCD tracking number assigned to this release is NAB1919853853.

This letter provides a description of the spill assessment and liner inspection, and demonstrates that closure criteria established in 19.15.29.12 *New Mexico Administrative Code* (NMAC; New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 2018) have been met and all applicable regulations are being followed. This document is intended to serve as a final report to obtain approval from NM OCD for closure of this release.

## Incident Description

On April 23, 2019, a release occurred at Devon’s Apache 25 site when an oil tank overflowed. This incident resulted in the release of approximately 32 barrels (bbls) of oil into the lined secondary containment. Upon discovery of the release, a hydrovac truck was dispatched to site to recover free liquids. Approximately 32 bbls of oil were recovered from the secondary containment and removed for disposal off-site. All fluids were contained with the lined Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) containment and no oil was released into undisturbed areas or waterways.

## Site Characterization

The release at Apache 25 occurred on federally-owned land, N 32.3567047, W 103.8266754, approximately 23 miles east of Carlsbad, New Mexico. The legal description for the site is Unit P, Section 25, Township 22 South, Range 30 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. This location is within the Permian Basin in southeast New Mexico and has historically been used for oil and gas exploration and production, and rangeland. An aerial photograph and site schematic are included in Attachment 2.

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Apache 25 is typical of oil and gas exploration and production sites in the western portion of the Permian Basin, and is currently used for oil and gas production, and storage. The following sections specifically describe the area surrounding the constructed wellpad where the tank battery is located.

The surrounding landscape is associated with plains and alluvial fans at elevations of 2,000 to 5,700 feet above sea level. The climate is semi-arid, with average annual precipitation ranging between 10 and 14 inches. The plant community has the aspect of a grassland/shrub mix, dominated by dropseed grass species, bluestems and threeawns, with scattered shinnery oak and soapweed yucca. Bare ground and litter make up a significant portion of the ground cover (United States Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service, 2020). Limited to no vegetation is allowed to grow on the compacted production wellpad or around the tank battery.

The *Geological Map of New Mexico* indicates the surface geology at Apache 25 is comprised primarily of Qep – interlaid eolian sands and piedmont-slope deposits from the Holocene to middle Pleistocene ages (New Mexico Bureau of Geology and Mineral Resources, 2020). The National Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey characterizes the soil at the site as on the cusp of Kermit-Berino fine sands and Berino complex, predominantly found on plains, and comprised of fine sand over deep layers of sandy clay loam and loamy sand. It tends to be well-drained with low runoff and moderate available moisture levels in the soil profile (United States Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service, 2020). There is low potential for karst geology to be present near Apache 25 (United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, 2020).

There is no surface water located on-site. The nearest significant watercourse, as defined in Subsection P of 19.15.17.7 NMAC, is an intermittent stream located approximately 4.5 miles west of the site (Google Earth Pro, 2020). There are no continuously flowing watercourses or significant watercourses, lakebeds, sinkholes, playa lakes, or other critical water or community features as outlined in Paragraph (4) of Subsection C of 19.15.29.12 NMAC.

The nearest active well to Apache 25 is a New Mexico Office of the State Engineer-identified well from 1994 located approximately 1.4 miles east of the site, with a depth to groundwater of approximately 413 feet below ground surface (bgs; New Mexico Office of the State Engineer, New Mexico Water Rights Reporting System, 2020). The shallowest depth to groundwater identified in the vicinity is a 2013 United States Geological Survey well located approximately 1.8 miles south of the site, with a depth to groundwater of 144 feet bgs (United States Department of the Interior, United States Geological Survey, 2020). Documentation pertaining to site characterization and depth to groundwater determination is included in Attachment 3.

## Closure Criteria Determination

Using site characterization information, a closure criteria determination worksheet (Attachment 3) was completed to determine if the release would be subject to any of the special case scenarios outlined in Paragraph (4) of Subsection C of 19.15.29.12 NMAC, if the release had escaped secondary containment.

Based on data included in the closure criteria determination worksheet, the release at Apache 25 would not be subject to the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection C of 19.15.29.12 NMAC and the closure criteria for the site would be determined to be associated with the following constituent concentration limits based on depth to groundwater.

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Depth to Groundwater	Constituent	Limit
>100 feet	Chloride	20,000 mg/kg
	TPH <sup>1</sup> (GRO + DRO + MRO)	2,500 mg/kg
	GRO + DRO	1,000 mg/kg
	BTEX <sup>2</sup>	50 mg/kg
	Benzene	10 mg/kg

<sup>1</sup> Total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) = gasoline range organics (GRO) + diesel range organics (DRO) + motor oil range organics (MRO)

<sup>2</sup> Benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and xylenes (BTEX)

## Remedial Actions

On February 13, 2020, Vertex provided 48-hour notification of the liner inspection to NM OCD District 2 and the BLM, as required by Subparagraph (a) of Paragraph (5) of Subsection A 19.15.29.11 NMAC (Attachment 4). On February 18, 2020, Vertex was on-site to conduct a visual inspection of the production equipment secondary containment liner for cracks, tears, cuts and other signs of damage, and to verify that the liner remained intact and had the ability to contain the release. The Daily Field Report (DFR) associated with the inspection is included in Attachment 5.

## Closure Request

Vertex recommends no remediation action to address the release at Apache 25. The secondary containment liner appeared to be intact and had the ability to contain the release, as shown in the inspection photographs included with the DFR (Attachment 5). There are no anticipated risks to human, ecological or hydrological receptors associated with the release site.

Vertex requests that incident NAB1919853853 be closed as all closure requirements set forth in Subsection E of 19.15.29.12 NMAC have been met. Devon certifies that all information in this report and the attachments is correct, and that they have complied with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in Division rules and directives to meet NM OCD requirements to obtain closure on the open release at Apache 25.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at 505.506.0040 or ngordon@vertex.ca.

Sincerely,



Natalie Gordon  
PROJECT MANAGER

**Devon Energy Production Company**  
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## **Attachments**

- Attachment 1. NM OCD C-141 Report
- Attachment 2. Site Schematic
- Attachment 3. Closure Criteria for Soils Impacted by a Release Research Determination Documentation
- Attachment 4. Required 48-hr Notification of Liner Inspection to Regulatory Agencies
- Attachment 5. Daily Field Report(s) with Photographs

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## References

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The information and conclusions contained in this report are based upon work undertaken by trained professional and technical staff in accordance with generally accepted scientific practices current at the time the work was performed. The conclusions and recommendations presented represent the best judgement of Vertex based on the data collected during the assessment. Due to the nature of the assessment and the data available, Vertex cannot warrant against undiscovered environmental liabilities. Conclusions and recommendations presented in this report should not be considered legal advice.

## **ATTACHMENT 1**

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural  
Resources Department  
  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-141  
Revised August 24, 2018  
Submit to appropriate OCD District office

Incident ID	
District RP	
Facility ID	
Application ID	

## Release Notification

### Responsible Party

Responsible Party	OGRID
Contact Name	Contact Telephone
Contact email	Incident # (assigned by OCD)
Contact mailing address	

### Location of Release Source

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_  
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name	Site Type
Date Release Discovered	API# (if applicable)

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County

Surface Owner:  State  Federal  Tribal  Private (Name: \_\_\_\_\_)

### Nature and Volume of Release

Material(s) Released (Select all that apply and attach calculations or specific justification for the volumes provided below)

<input type="checkbox"/> Crude Oil	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
	Is the concentration of total dissolved solids (TDS) in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Condensate	Volume Released (bbls)	Volume Recovered (bbls)
<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas	Volume Released (Mcf)	Volume Recovered (Mcf)
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe)	Volume/Weight Released (provide units)	Volume/Weight Recovered (provide units)

Cause of Release

State of New Mexico  
Oil Conservation Division

Incident ID	
District RP	
Facility ID	
Application ID	

Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?
If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?	

### Initial Response

*The responsible party must undertake the following actions immediately unless they could create a safety hazard that would result in injury*

<input type="checkbox"/> The source of the release has been stopped. <input type="checkbox"/> The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment. <input type="checkbox"/> Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices. <input type="checkbox"/> All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.
If all the actions described above have <u>not</u> been undertaken, explain why:
Per 19.15.29.8 B. (4) NMAC the responsible party may commence remediation immediately after discovery of a release. If remediation has begun, please attach a narrative of actions to date. If remedial efforts have been successfully completed or if the release occurred within a lined containment area (see 19.15.29.11(A)(5)(a) NMAC), please attach all information needed for closure evaluation.
I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.
Printed Name: _____ Title: _____ Signature: <u>Kendra DeHoyos</u> Date: _____ email: _____ Telephone: _____
<b><u>OCD Only</u></b> Received by: _____ Date: _____

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District RP	2RP-5534
Facility ID	
Application ID	pAB1919853576

## Site Assessment/Characterization

*This information must be provided to the appropriate district office no later than 90 days after the release discovery date.*

What is the shallowest depth to groundwater beneath the area affected by the release?	<u>144</u> (ft bgs)
Did this release impact groundwater or surface water?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse or any other significant watercourse?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 300 feet of an occupied permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 500 horizontal feet of a spring or a private domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 1000 feet of any other fresh water well or spring?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within 300 feet of a wetland?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release overlying a subsurface mine?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release overlying an unstable area such as karst geology?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Are the lateral extents of the release within a 100-year floodplain?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Did the release impact areas <b>not</b> on an exploration, development, production, or storage site?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

Attach a comprehensive report (electronic submittals in .pdf format are preferred) demonstrating the lateral and vertical extents of soil contamination associated with the release have been determined. Refer to 19.15.29.11 NMAC for specifics.

**Characterization Report Checklist:** *Each of the following items must be included in the report.*

- Scaled site map showing impacted area, surface features, subsurface features, delineation points, and monitoring wells.
- Field data
- Data table of soil contaminant concentration data
- Depth to water determination
- Determination of water sources and significant watercourses within ½-mile of the lateral extents of the release
- Boring or excavation logs
- Photographs including date and GIS information
- Topographic/Aerial maps
- Laboratory data including chain of custody

If the site characterization report does not include completed efforts at remediation of the release, the report must include a proposed remediation plan. That plan must include the estimated volume of material to be remediated, the proposed remediation technique, proposed sampling plan and methods, anticipated timelines for beginning and completing the remediation. The closure criteria for a release are contained in Table 1 of 19.15.29.12 NMAC, however, use of the table is modified by site- and release-specific parameters.

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I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Printed Name: Amanda Davis Title: Environmental Representative

Signature: *Amanda Davis* Date: 6/24/2020

email: Amanda.Davis@dvn.com Telephone: 575-748-0176

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Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Closure

The responsible party must attach information demonstrating they have complied with all applicable closure requirements and any conditions or directives of the OCD. This demonstration should be in the form of a comprehensive report (electronic submittals in .pdf format are preferred) including a scaled site map, sampling diagrams, relevant field notes, photographs of any excavation prior to backfilling, laboratory data including chain of custody documents of final sampling, and a narrative of the remedial activities. Refer to 19.15.29.12 NMAC.

**Closure Report Attachment Checklist:** *Each of the following items must be included in the closure report.*

- A scaled site and sampling diagram as described in 19.15.29.11 NMAC
- Photographs of the remediated site prior to backfill or photos of the liner integrity if applicable (Note: appropriate OCD District office must be notified 2 days prior to liner inspection)
- NA Laboratory analyses of final sampling (Note: appropriate ODC District office must be notified 2 days prior to final sampling)
- Description of remediation activities

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to OCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the OCD does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations. The responsible party acknowledges they must substantially restore, reclaim, and re-vegetate the impacted surface area to the conditions that existed prior to the release or their final land use in accordance with 19.15.29.13 NMAC including notification to the OCD when reclamation and re-vegetation are complete.

Printed Name: Amanda Davis Title: Environmental Representative  
 Signature: *Amanda Davis* Date: 6/24/2020  
 email: Amanda.Davis@dvn.com Telephone: 575-748-0176

**OCD Only**

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Closure approval by the OCD does not relieve the responsible party of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that poses a threat to groundwater, surface water, human health, or the environment nor does not relieve the responsible party of compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Closure Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

## ATTACHMENT 2



LEGEND

-  WELLPAD
-  ROAD
-  SPILL AREA



SCALE 1:500

Notes: Aerial Image from ESRI Digital Globe 2016



**Site Schematic**  
**Apache 25 Federal #006**



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APPROVED:	NG
DATE:	FEB 13/20

FIGURE:

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## ATTACHMENT 3

<b>Closure Criteria Worksheet</b>			
<b>Site Name: Apache 25 Federal #006</b>			
<b>Spill Coordinates:</b>		<b>X: 32.3567047</b>	<b>-103.8266754</b>
<b>Site Specific Conditions</b>		<b>Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>
1	Depth to Groundwater	180	feet
2	Within 300 feet of any continuously flowing watercourse or any other significant watercourse	65,902	feet
3	Within 200 feet of any lakebed, sinkhole or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark)	9,939	feet
4	Within 300 feet from an occupied residence, school, hospital, institution or church	12,052	feet
5	i) Within 500 feet of a spring or a private, domestic fresh water well used by less than five households for domestic or stock watering purposes, <b>or</b>	12,052	feet
	ii) Within 1000 feet of any fresh water well or spring	12,052	feet
6	Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water field covered under a municipal ordinance adopted pursuant to Section 3-27-3 NMSA 1978 as amended, unless the municipality specifically approves	No	(Y/N)
7	Within 300 feet of a wetland	9,939	feet
8	Within the area overlying a subsurface mine	no	(Y/N)
9	Within an unstable area (Karst Map)	Low	Critical High Medium Low
10	Within a 100-year Floodplain		year
<b>NMAC 19.15.29.12 E (Table 1) Closure Criteria</b>		>100'	<50' 51-100' >100'

# Apache 25 Fed 006 Distance to water wells



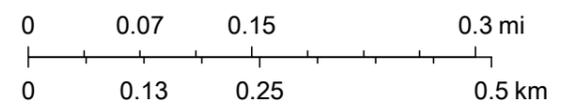
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OSE District Boundary

GIS WATERS PODs

- Active
- Pending

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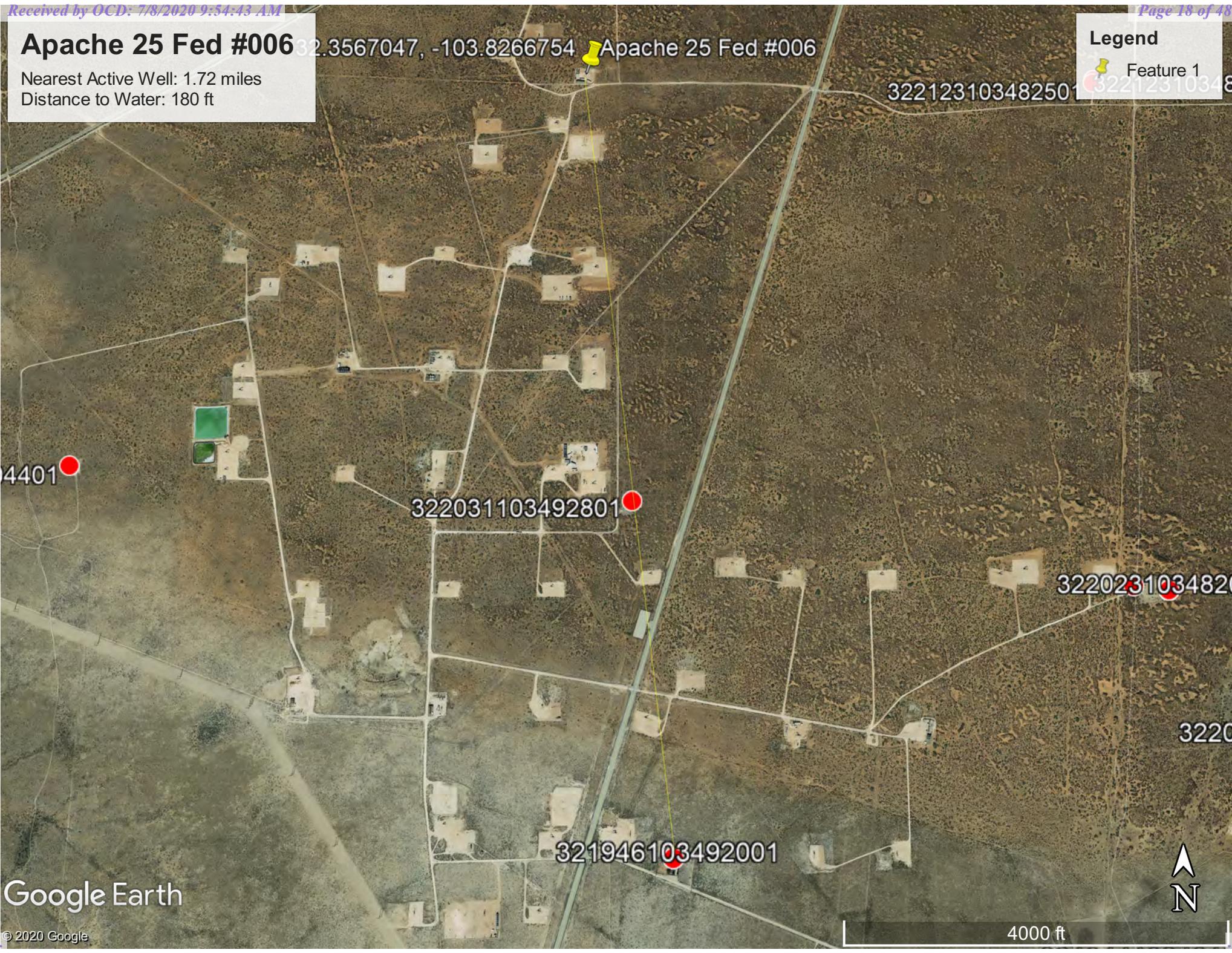
# Apache 25 Fed #006

Nearest Active Well: 1.72 miles  
Distance to Water: 180 ft

32.3567047, -103.8266754 Apache 25 Fed #006

**Legend**

- Feature 1



Google Earth

4000 ft



## New Mexico Office of the State Engineer

# Point of Diversion Summary

		(quarters are 1=NW 2=NE 3=SW 4=SE)							
		(quarters are smallest to largest)					(NAD83 UTM in meters)		
<b>Well Tag</b>	<b>POD Number</b>	<b>Q64</b>	<b>Q16</b>	<b>Q4</b>	<b>Sec</b>	<b>Tws</b>	<b>Rng</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>Y</b>
	C 03561 POD1	3	2	3	36	22S	30E	609288	3579393

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<b>Driller License:</b> 1478	<b>Driller Company:</b> STRAUB CORPORATION	
<b>Driller Name:</b> EDWARD BRYAN		
<b>Drill Start Date:</b> 08/22/2012	<b>Drill Finish Date:</b> 08/22/2012	<b>Plug Date:</b> 08/22/2012
<b>Log File Date:</b> 09/04/2012	<b>PCW Rev Date:</b>	<b>Source:</b>
<b>Pump Type:</b>	<b>Pipe Discharge Size:</b>	<b>Estimated Yield:</b>
<b>Casing Size:</b> 16.00	<b>Depth Well:</b> 30 feet	<b>Depth Water:</b> 0 feet

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# Point of Diversion Summary

Well Tag	POD Number	(quarters are 1=NW 2=NE 3=SW 4=SE) (quarters are smallest to largest)						(NAD83 UTM in meters)	
		Q64	Q16	Q4	Sec	Tws	Rng	X	Y
	C 03561 POD2	3	2	3	36	22S	30E	609314	3579424

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<b>Driller License:</b> 1478	<b>Driller Company:</b> STRAUB CORPORATION	
<b>Driller Name:</b> EDWARD BRYAN		
<b>Drill Start Date:</b> 08/22/2012	<b>Drill Finish Date:</b> 08/22/2012	<b>Plug Date:</b> 08/22/2012
<b>Log File Date:</b> 09/04/2012	<b>PCW Rev Date:</b>	<b>Source:</b>
<b>Pump Type:</b>	<b>Pipe Discharge Size:</b>	<b>Estimated Yield:</b>
<b>Casing Size:</b>	<b>Depth Well:</b> 25 feet	<b>Depth Water:</b> 0 feet

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## New Mexico Office of the State Engineer

# Point of Diversion Summary

Well Tag	POD Number	(quarters are 1=NW 2=NE 3=SW 4=SE) (quarters are smallest to largest)						(NAD83 UTM in meters)	
		Q64	Q16	Q4	Sec	Tws	Rng	X	Y
	C 03561 POD3	3	2	3	36	22S	30E	609393	3579425

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<b>Driller License:</b> 1478	<b>Driller Company:</b> STRAUB CORPORATION	
<b>Driller Name:</b> EDWARD BRYAN		
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<b>Casing Size:</b>	<b>Depth Well:</b> 25 feet	<b>Depth Water:</b> 0 feet

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## National Water Information System: Web Interface

USGS Water Resources

Data Category:  Geographic Area:

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# USGS 321946103492001 23S.31E.06.312333

Available data for this site

### Well Site

#### DESCRIPTION:

Latitude 32°19'53.3", Longitude 103°49'24.8" NAD83  
 Eddy County, New Mexico , Hydrologic Unit 13060011  
 Well depth: 180 feet  
 Land surface altitude: 3,305.00 feet above NGVD29.  
 Well completed in "Chinle Formation of Dockum Group" (231CHNL) local aquifer

#### AVAILABLE DATA:

Data Type	Begin Date	End Date	Count
<a href="#">Field groundwater-level measurements</a>	1959-02-04	2013-01-16	2
<a href="#">Revisions</a>	Unavailable (site:0) (timeseries:0)		

#### OPERATION:

Record for this site is maintained by the USGS New Mexico Water Science Center

Email questions about this site to [New Mexico Water Science Center Water-Data Inquiries](#)

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# Apache 25 Fed #006

Nearest Watercourse: Pecos River  
Distance: 65,902 ft (12.48 miles)

**Legend**  
📌 Feature 1

32.3567047, -103.8266754 📌 Apache 25 Fed #006

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Apache 25 Fed 6



February 26, 2020

**Wetlands**

- |   |                                |   |                                   |   |          |
|---|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---|----------|
|  | Estuarine and Marine Deepwater |  | Freshwater Emergent Wetland       |  | Lake     |
|  | Estuarine and Marine Wetland   |  | Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland |  | Other    |
|   |                                |  | Freshwater Pond                   |  | Riverine |

This map is for general reference only. The US Fish and Wildlife Service is not responsible for the accuracy or currentness of the base data shown on this map. All wetlands related data should be used in accordance with the layer metadata found on the Wetlands Mapper web site.

# Apache 25 Fed #006

Nearest Residence: 12,052 ft (2.28 miles)

**Legend**

-  Feature 1

32.3567047, -103.8266754  Apache 25 Fed #006

 Residence



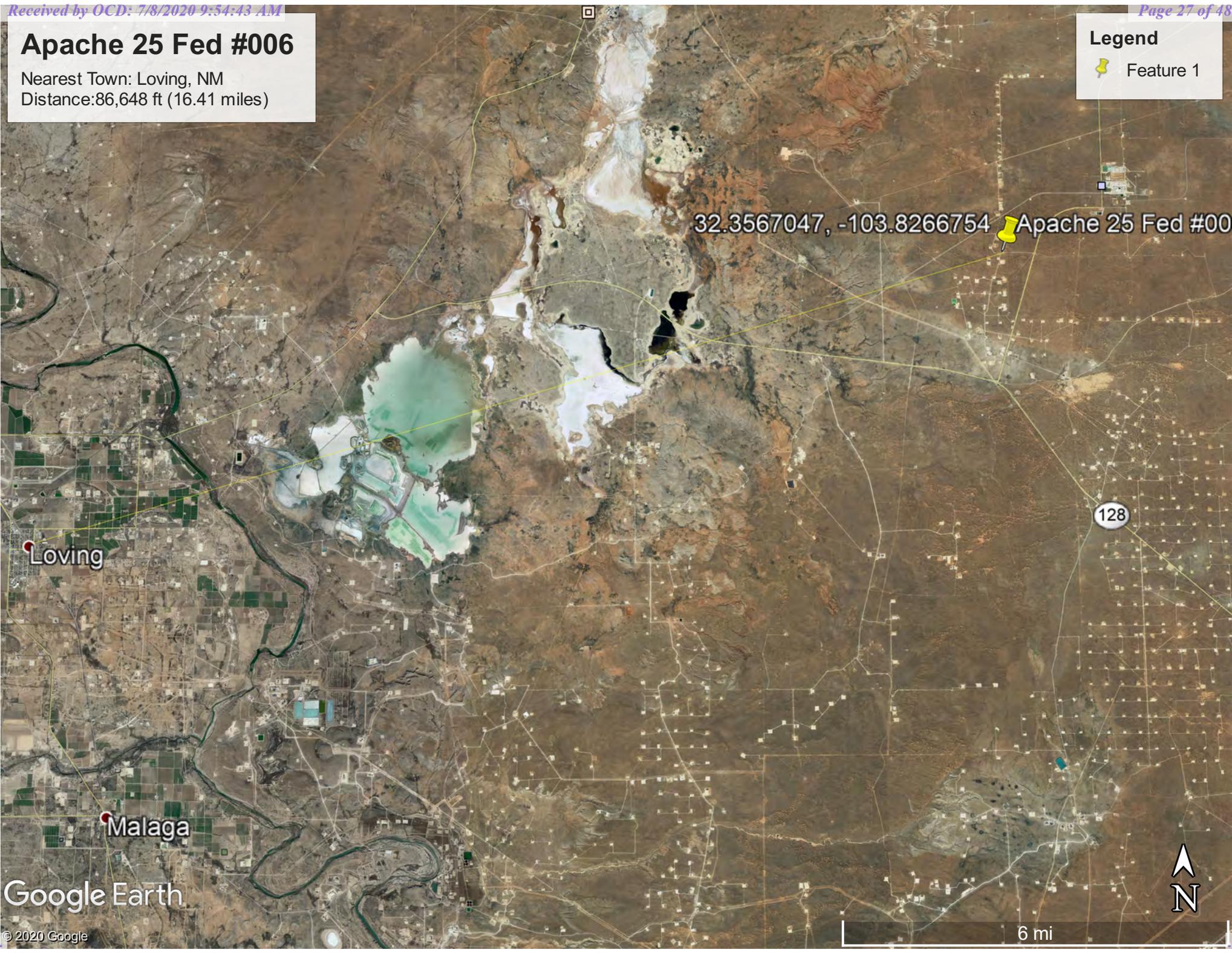
# Apache 25 Fed #006

Nearest Town: Loving, NM  
Distance: 86,648 ft (16.41 miles)

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Loving

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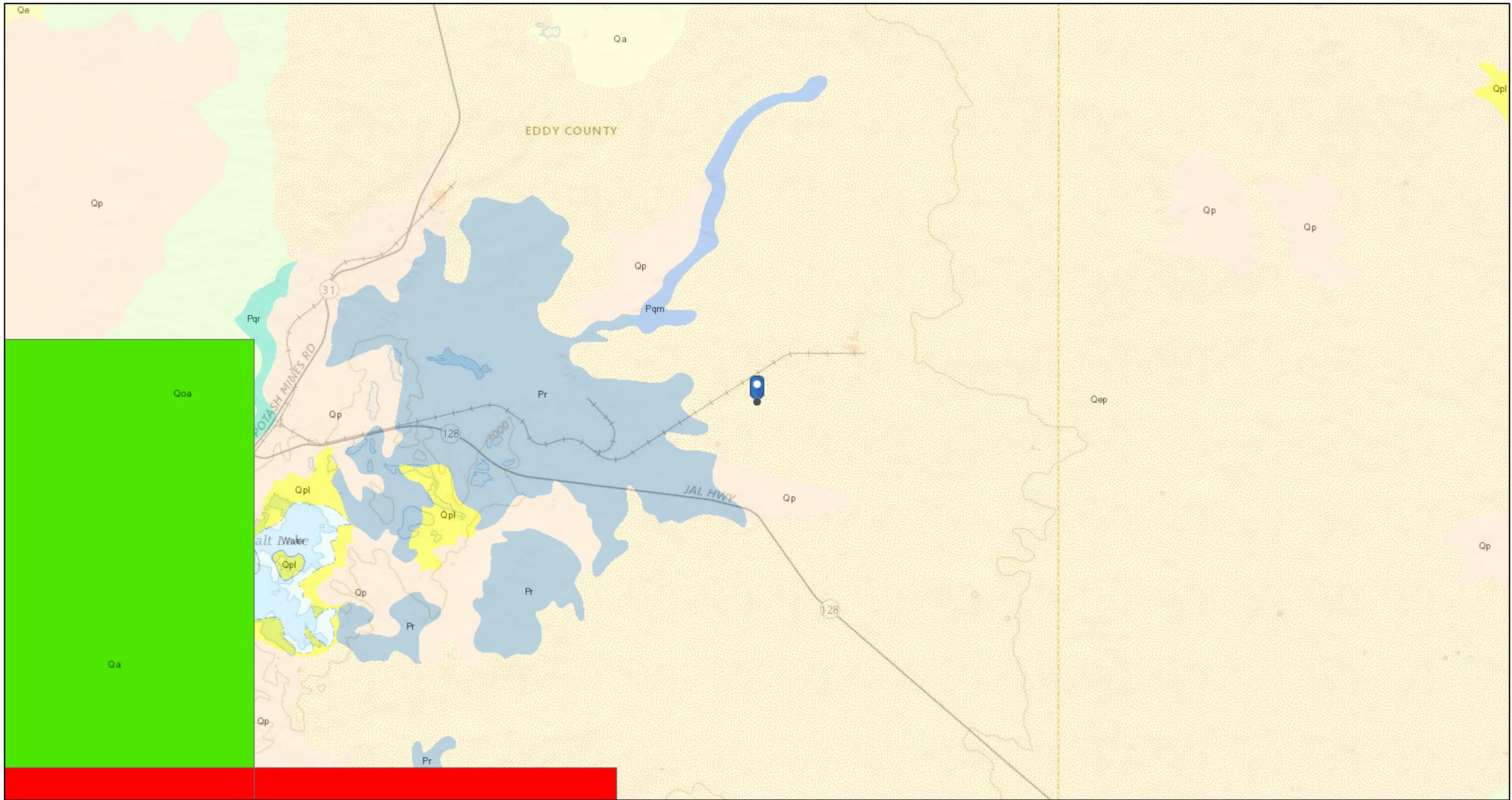
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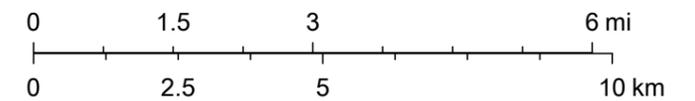
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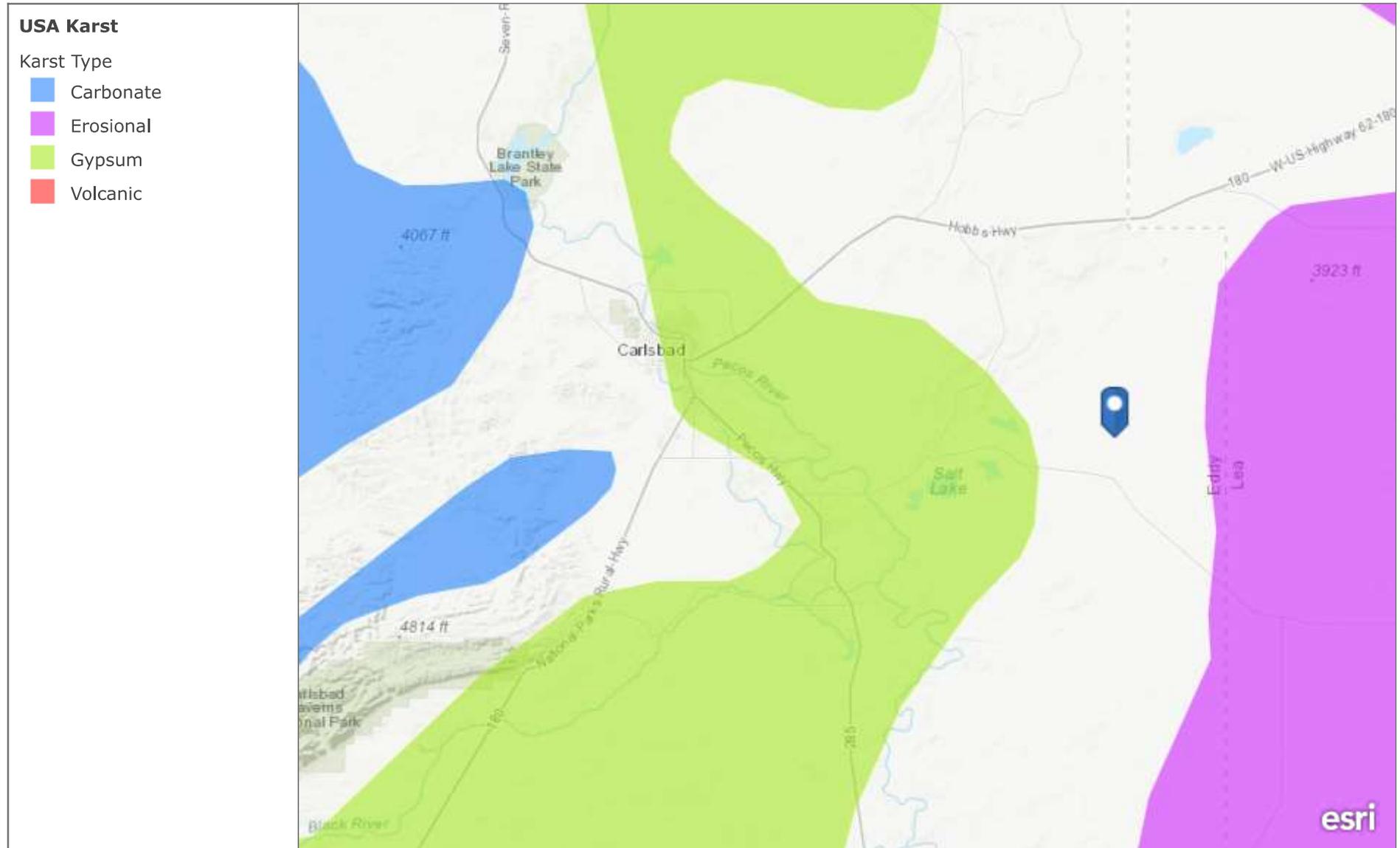
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| <b>Faults</b>              | <b>Dikes</b>                   | <b>STATEMAP (1993 to Present) [Publications]</b> |
| — Fault, Exposed           | — <all other values>           | ■ Mapping in Complete                            |
| - - - Fault, Intermittent  | — Dike                         | ■ Mapping in Progress                            |
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USGS The National Map: National Boundaries Dataset, 3DEP Elevation Program, Geographic Names Information System, National Hydrography Dataset, National Land Cover Database, National Structures Dataset, and National Transportation Dataset; USGS

# USA Karst



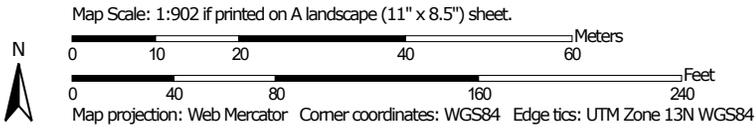
A map showing karst areas in the United States based on the U.S. Geological Survey Open-File Report 2004-1352

Esri, HERE, Garmin, USGS, NGA, EPA, USDA, NPS | U.S. Geological Survey Open-File Report 2004-1352, Caves and Karst in the U.S. National Park Service, AGI Karst Map of the US.

Soil Map—Eddy Area, New Mexico



Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.



Soil Map—Eddy Area, New Mexico

**MAP LEGEND**

**Area of Interest (AOI)**

 Area of Interest (AOI)

**Soils**

 Soil Map Unit Polygons

 Soil Map Unit Lines

 Soil Map Unit Points

**Special Point Features**

-  Blowout
-  Borrow Pit
-  Clay Spot
-  Closed Depression
-  Gravel Pit
-  Gravelly Spot
-  Landfill
-  Lava Flow
-  Marsh or swamp
-  Mine or Quarry
-  Miscellaneous Water
-  Perennial Water
-  Rock Outcrop
-  Saline Spot
-  Sandy Spot
-  Severely Eroded Spot
-  Sinkhole
-  Slide or Slip
-  Sodic Spot

-  Spoil Area
-  Stony Spot
-  Very Stony Spot
-  Wet Spot
-  Other
-  Special Line Features

**Water Features**

 Streams and Canals

**Transportation**

-  Rails
-  Interstate Highways
-  US Routes
-  Major Roads
-  Local Roads

**Background**

 Aerial Photography

**MAP INFORMATION**

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:20,000.

**Warning:** Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.  
Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed scale.

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements.

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service  
Web Soil Survey URL:  
Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required.

This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Soil Survey Area: Eddy Area, New Mexico  
Survey Area Data: Version 15, Sep 15, 2019

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Dec 31, 2009—Sep 17, 2017

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

Soil Map—Eddy Area, New Mexico

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## Map Unit Legend

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
BB	Berino complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes, eroded	2.4	56.7%
KM	Kermit-Berino fine sands, 0 to 3 percent slopes	1.8	43.3%
<b>Totals for Area of Interest</b>		<b>4.2</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Map Unit Description: Berino complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes, eroded---Eddy Area, New Mexico

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## Eddy Area, New Mexico

### BB—Berino complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes, eroded

#### Map Unit Setting

*National map unit symbol:* 1w43

*Elevation:* 2,000 to 5,700 feet

*Mean annual precipitation:* 5 to 15 inches

*Mean annual air temperature:* 57 to 70 degrees F

*Frost-free period:* 180 to 260 days

*Farmland classification:* Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Berino and similar soils:* 60 percent

*Pajarito and similar soils:* 25 percent

*Minor components:* 15 percent

*Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.*

#### Description of Berino

##### Setting

*Landform:* Fan piedmonts, plains

*Landform position (three-dimensional):* Riser

*Down-slope shape:* Convex

*Across-slope shape:* Linear

*Parent material:* Mixed alluvium and/or eolian sands

##### Typical profile

*H1 - 0 to 17 inches:* fine sand

*H2 - 17 to 58 inches:* sandy clay loam

*H3 - 58 to 60 inches:* loamy sand

##### Properties and qualities

*Slope:* 0 to 3 percent

*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches

*Natural drainage class:* Well drained

*Runoff class:* Low

*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):*

Moderately high to high (0.60 to 2.00 in/hr)

*Depth to water table:* More than 80 inches

*Frequency of flooding:* None

*Frequency of ponding:* None

*Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile:* 40 percent

*Salinity, maximum in profile:* Very slightly saline to slightly saline  
(2.0 to 4.0 mmhos/cm)

*Sodium adsorption ratio, maximum in profile:* 1.0

*Available water storage in profile:* Moderate (about 8.0 inches)

##### Interpretive groups

*Land capability classification (irrigated):* None specified

*Land capability classification (nonirrigated):* 7e

Map Unit Description: Berino complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes, eroded---Eddy Area, New Mexico

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*Hydrologic Soil Group:* B  
*Ecological site:* Loamy Sand (R042XC003NM)  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

### Description of Pajarito

#### Setting

*Landform:* Interdunes, plains, dunes  
*Landform position (three-dimensional):* Side slope  
*Down-slope shape:* Linear, convex  
*Across-slope shape:* Linear, convex  
*Parent material:* Mixed alluvium and/or eolian sands

#### Typical profile

*H1 - 0 to 9 inches:* loamy fine sand  
*H2 - 9 to 72 inches:* fine sandy loam

#### Properties and qualities

*Slope:* 0 to 3 percent  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Natural drainage class:* Well drained  
*Runoff class:* Very low  
*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* High  
(2.00 to 6.00 in/hr)  
*Depth to water table:* More than 80 inches  
*Frequency of flooding:* None  
*Frequency of ponding:* None  
*Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile:* 40 percent  
*Salinity, maximum in profile:* Nonsaline (0.0 to 1.0 mmhos/cm)  
*Sodium adsorption ratio, maximum in profile:* 1.0  
*Available water storage in profile:* Moderate (about 8.0 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

*Land capability classification (irrigated):* 2e  
*Land capability classification (nonirrigated):* 7e  
*Hydrologic Soil Group:* A  
*Ecological site:* Loamy Sand (R042XC003NM)  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

### Minor Components

#### Cacique

*Percent of map unit:* 4 percent  
*Ecological site:* Sandy (R042XC004NM)  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Wink

*Percent of map unit:* 4 percent  
*Ecological site:* Loamy Sand (R042XC003NM)  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Pajarito

*Percent of map unit:* 4 percent  
*Ecological site:* Loamy Sand (R042XC003NM)  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

Map Unit Description: Berino complex, 0 to 3 percent slopes, eroded---Eddy Area, New Mexico

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**Kermit**

*Percent of map unit:* 3 percent

*Ecological site:* Deep Sand (R042XC005NM)

*Hydric soil rating:* No

**Data Source Information**

Soil Survey Area: Eddy Area, New Mexico

Survey Area Data: Version 15, Sep 15, 2019

Map Unit Description: Kermit-Berino fine sands, 0 to 3 percent slopes---Eddy Area, New Mexico

## Eddy Area, New Mexico

### KM—Kermit-Berino fine sands, 0 to 3 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

*National map unit symbol:* 1w4q  
*Elevation:* 3,100 to 4,200 feet  
*Mean annual precipitation:* 10 to 14 inches  
*Mean annual air temperature:* 60 to 64 degrees F  
*Frost-free period:* 190 to 230 days  
*Farmland classification:* Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Kermit and similar soils:* 50 percent  
*Berino and similar soils:* 35 percent  
*Minor components:* 15 percent  
*Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.*

#### Description of Kermit

##### Setting

*Landform:* Plains, alluvial fans  
*Landform position (three-dimensional):* Talf, rise  
*Down-slope shape:* Convex, linear  
*Across-slope shape:* Linear  
*Parent material:* Mixed alluvium and/or eolian sands

##### Typical profile

*H1 - 0 to 7 inches:* fine sand  
*H2 - 7 to 60 inches:* fine sand

##### Properties and qualities

*Slope:* 0 to 3 percent  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Natural drainage class:* Excessively drained  
*Runoff class:* Negligible  
*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):* Very high (20.00 in/hr)  
*Depth to water table:* More than 80 inches  
*Frequency of flooding:* None  
*Frequency of ponding:* None  
*Salinity, maximum in profile:* Nonsaline (0.0 to 1.0 mmhos/cm)  
*Sodium adsorption ratio, maximum in profile:* 1.0  
*Available water storage in profile:* Low (about 3.1 inches)

##### Interpretive groups

*Land capability classification (irrigated):* None specified  
*Land capability classification (nonirrigated):* 7e  
*Hydrologic Soil Group:* A  
*Ecological site:* Deep Sand (R042XC005NM)  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

Map Unit Description: Kermit-Berino fine sands, 0 to 3 percent slopes---Eddy Area, New Mexico

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## Description of Berino

### Setting

*Landform:* Fan piedmonts, plains  
*Landform position (three-dimensional):* Riser  
*Down-slope shape:* Convex  
*Across-slope shape:* Linear  
*Parent material:* Mixed alluvium and/or eolian sands

### Typical profile

*H1 - 0 to 17 inches:* fine sand  
*H2 - 17 to 50 inches:* fine sandy loam  
*H3 - 50 to 58 inches:* loamy sand

### Properties and qualities

*Slope:* 0 to 3 percent  
*Depth to restrictive feature:* More than 80 inches  
*Natural drainage class:* Well drained  
*Runoff class:* Low  
*Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat):*  
Moderately high to high (0.60 to 2.00 in/hr)  
*Depth to water table:* More than 80 inches  
*Frequency of flooding:* None  
*Frequency of ponding:* None  
*Calcium carbonate, maximum in profile:* 40 percent  
*Salinity, maximum in profile:* Very slightly saline to slightly saline  
(2.0 to 4.0 mmhos/cm)  
*Sodium adsorption ratio, maximum in profile:* 1.0  
*Available water storage in profile:* Moderate (about 7.2 inches)

### Interpretive groups

*Land capability classification (irrigated):* 4e  
*Land capability classification (nonirrigated):* 7e  
*Hydrologic Soil Group:* B  
*Ecological site:* Loamy Sand (R042XC003NM)  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

## Minor Components

### Active dune land

*Percent of map unit:* 15 percent  
*Hydric soil rating:* No

## Data Source Information

Soil Survey Area: Eddy Area, New Mexico  
Survey Area Data: Version 15, Sep 15, 2019

## ATTACHMENT 4

**Natalie Gordon**

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**From:** Natalie Gordon  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 13, 2020 3:42 PM  
**To:** Mike Bratcher (mike.bratcher@state.nm.us); Victoria Venegas (Victoria.Venegas@state.nm.us); Robert Hamlet (Robert.Hamlet@state.nm.us); blm\_nm\_cfo\_spill@blm.gov; Wade , Kelsey; jamos@blm.gov  
**Cc:** Bynum, Tom (Contract); Wesley. Mathews@dvn. com (Wesley.Mathews@dvn.com)  
**Subject:** Apache 25 Fed #006 - 48-hr notification of liner inspection (Devon Energy)

All:

Please accept this email as 48-hour notification that Vertex Resource Services will conduct a liner inspection at Apache 25 Fed #006 to close out the following three incidents:

nJMW1228655527	DOR: September 28, 2012	2RP-1316
nHMP1419941498	DOR: June 2, 2014	2RP-2375
NAB1919853853	DOR: April 23, 2019	

On Tuesday, February 18, 2020, at approximately 2:00 p.m., Brandon Schafer of Vertex will be onsite to perform the liner inspection. He can be reached at (701)301-1564. If you need directions to the site, please do not hesitate to contact him.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this notification, please give me a call at (505)506-0040.

Thank you,  
Natalie

## ATTACHMENT 5



## Daily Site Visit Report

Client:	Devon Energy Corporation	Inspection Date:	2/18/2020
Site Location Name:	Apache 25 Fed #6	Report Run Date:	2/18/2020 11:59 PM
Project Owner:	Amanda Davis	File (Project) #:	20E-00141
Project Manager:	Natalie Gordon	API #:	30-015-29894
Client Contact Name:	Amanda Davis	Reference	3 Historic releases - liner inspection
Client Contact Phone #:	(575) 748-0176		

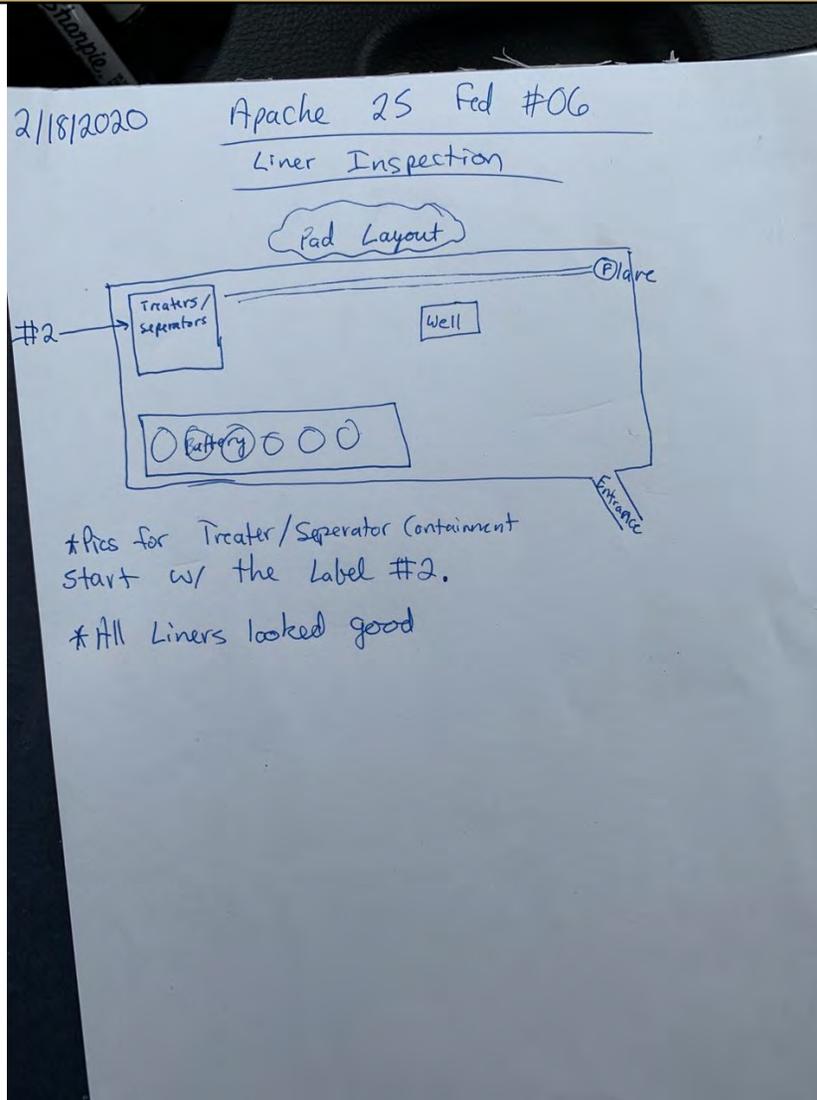
### Summary of Times

Left Office	2/18/2020 8:15 AM
Arrived at Site	2/18/2020 8:57 AM
Departed Site	2/18/2020 9:40 AM
Returned to Office	2/18/2020 10:00 AM



# Daily Site Visit Report

## Site Sketch



# Daily Site Visit Report



## Summary of Daily Operations

8:58 Liner inspection

## Next Steps & Recommendations

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# Daily Site Visit Report

## Site Photos

**Viewing Direction: West**



Descriptive Photo  
Viewing Direction: West  
Desc: From NE corner of containment  
Created: 2/18/2020 9:23:49 AM  
Lat:32.358423, Long:-103.827114

From NE corner of containment

**Viewing Direction: South**



Descriptive Photo  
Viewing Direction: South  
Desc: From ne corner of pad  
Created: 2/18/2020 9:23:51 AM  
Lat:32.358436, Long:-103.826993

From ne corner of pad

**Viewing Direction: East**



Descriptive Photo  
Viewing Direction: East  
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From SW corner of containment

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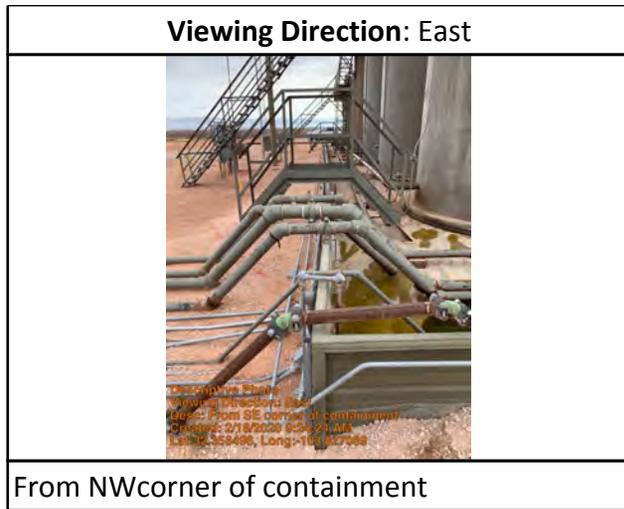


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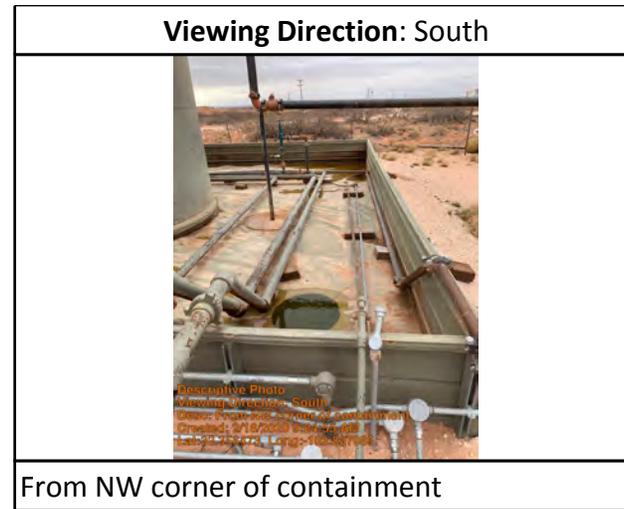
From SW corner of containment



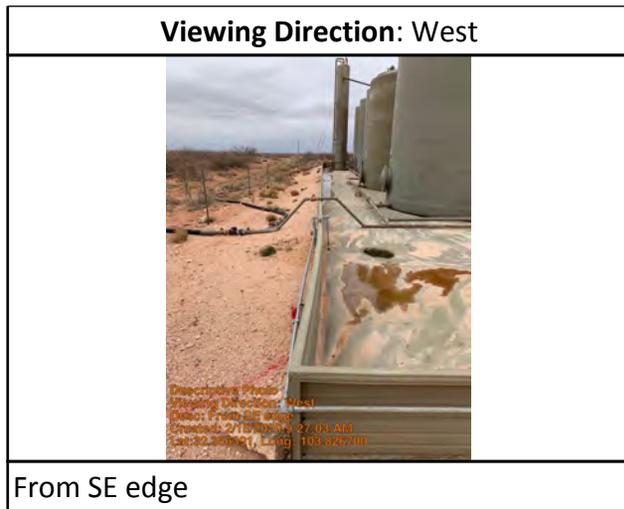
# Daily Site Visit Report



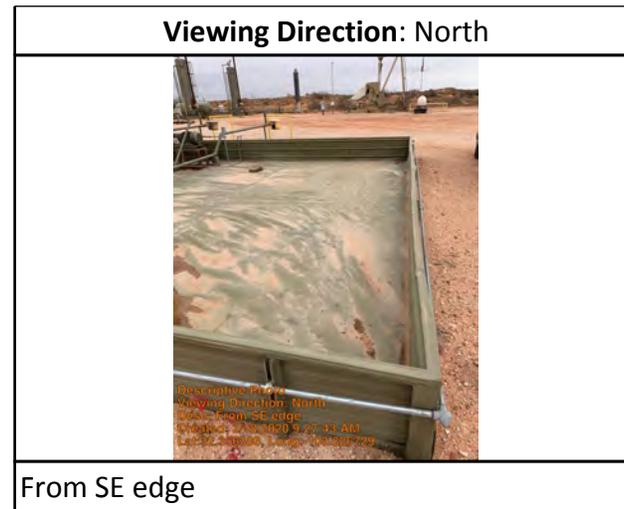
From NW corner of containment



From NW corner of containment



From SE edge



From SE edge



# Daily Site Visit Report

**Viewing Direction: North**

Description Photo  
Viewing Direction: North  
Date: 2/18/2020 8:30:01 AM  
Created: 2/18/2020 8:30:01 AM  
Lat:32.356732, Long:-103.826993

2. From SEEdge

**Viewing Direction: West**

Description Photo  
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Date: 2/18/2020 8:30:48 AM  
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Lat:32.356885, Long:-103.826997

2. From SE side

**Viewing Direction: North**

Description Photo  
Viewing Direction: North  
Date: 2/18/2020 8:32:19 AM  
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Lat:32.356719, Long:-103.827111

2. SW edge

**Viewing Direction: East**

Description Photo  
Viewing Direction: East  
Date: 2/18/2020 8:32:17 AM  
Created: 2/18/2020 8:32:17 AM  
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2. SW edge



# Daily Site Visit Report

**Viewing Direction: South**



Descriptive Photo  
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Deck: 2, NE edge  
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2. NW edge

**Viewing Direction: East**



Descriptive Photo  
Viewing Direction: East  
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2. NW edge

**Viewing Direction: South**



Descriptive Photo  
Viewing Direction: South  
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2. NE edge

**Viewing Direction: West**



Descriptive Photo  
Viewing Direction: West  
Deck: 2, NE edge  
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2. NE edge

# Daily Site Visit Report



Daily Site Visit Signature

**Inspector:** Brandon Schafer

**Signature:**   
Signature