

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  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

**NM OIL CONSERVATION**

ARTESIA DISTRICT

Form C-141  
Revised August 8, 2011

**JUL 28 2016**

Submit 1 Copy to appropriate District Office in  
accordance with 19.15.29 NMAC.

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**Release Notification and Corrective Action**

**nAB1621453181**

**OPERATOR**

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company	WPX Energy Inc/RKI	Contact	Karolina Blaney
Address	5315 Buena Vista Dr.	Telephone No.	970 589 0743
Facility Name: Brushy Draw Booster Station/Fed UCBHWW I		Facility Type: Tank Farm	
Surface Owner: Federal	Mineral Owner: Federal	API No. 30-015-24034	

**LOCATION OF RELEASE**

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
M	25	26S	29E	660	FSL	660	FWL	Eddy

**Latitude: 32.005742 N Longitude: -103.944433 W**

**NATURE OF RELEASE**

Type of Release: Produced Water	Volume of Release: 380 Bbls	Volume Recovered: 340 Bbls
Source of Release Pipeline valve located in a valve can	Date and Hour of Occurrence 7/13/2016	Date and Hour of Discovery 7/13/2016 - 2345 hrs MT
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? NMOCD Heather Patterson & Michael Bratcher, BLM Shelly Tucker	
By Whom? Karolina Blaney	Date and Hour: 7/14/16 - 1645 hrs MT	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse. N/A	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\* N/A

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

The cause of the spill is equipment failure; a poly line running from the tank farm to an injection well ruptured. The compromised section of the line is located outside the SPCC containment but there was enough pressure in the line to spray it into the containment. The vast majority of spilled water was contained inside the dirt containment berm, approximately 5 bbls of produced water was sprayed outside the containment on the access road.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

The impacted area of the access road was scraped and impacted dirt was hauled off to a disposal facility. The access road will be sampled for BTEX and TPH in accordance with NM OCD Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills, and Releases. The impacted area will also be sampled for chlorides as required by BLM. Further remediation will be based on these results. The total ranking score for this site is 0 and the site will be remediated to levels specified in 0-9 column of the Guidelines document. This spill did impact any undisturbed land/pastures.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD 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 NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD 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.

Signature: <i>Karolina Blaney</i>	<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Karolina Blaney	Signed By: <i>Mike Bratcher</i> Approved by Environmental Specialist	
Title: Environmental Specialist	Approval Date: <i>7/28/16</i>	Expiration Date: <i>N/A</i>
E-mail Address: Karolina.blaney@wpxenergy.com	Conditions of Approval: <b>Remediation per O.C.D. Rules &amp; Guidelines</b> <b>SUBMIT REMEDIATION PROPOSAL NO</b>	
Date: 7/28/2016 Phone: 970-589-0743	Attached <input type="checkbox"/> <b>LATER THAN: <i>7/28/16</i></b>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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