Navajo Refining Company 4" Mitchell Mainline Remediation/Cleanup Work Plan Section 19, Township 17S, Range 32E Lea County, New Mexico

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I. Purpose

The purpose of this work plan is to propose a plan for the cleanup of the area impacted by the spillage of crude oil from the 4" Mitchell Mainline. The subject area is located in Section 19, Township 17S, Range 32E in Lea County, New Mexico. This plan will allow closure in a manner that will protect the population, environment and groundwater of the area surrounding the subject location. The site is a relatively level site located on Bureau of Land Management (BLM) land. (Figure 1)

II. Background

The subject site is located approximately 2 miles south of New Mexico State Highway 82. The site is located in an area with small sand dunes. Navajo Refining will conduct an archeology study of the subject site and surrounding areas.

III. Contaminant and Size of Area

The suspected contaminant is produced <u>erude-oil</u>, which leaked from the pipeline associated with production in the area. The approximate size of the impacted area is approximately 4,950 sq. ft. No evidence of other contaminants was observed.

IV. Vertical and Horizontal Extent of Contamination

Vertical and horizontal extent of the contamination will be determined tat the time of excavation.

V. Groundwater

The nearest groundwater of record with the New Mexico State Engineer's Office is in Section 3 of T17S, R32E. The depth to water in this area ranges from (139.03 to 168.14 feet.

VI. Action Plan

Closure

Based on visual observations, the cleanup level reached by the application of the "Guidelines for Remediation of Leaks, Spills and Releases" New Mexico Oil Conservation Division – August 13, 1993 (Guidelines) to this site is 5000 ppm TPH. Application of the NMOCD's ranking criteria for contaminated soils at this

site is presented below.

Depth to Ground Water:	0 points			
Distance to Well Head or Water Source:	0 points			
Distance to Surface Water/Waterways:	0 points			
Total Score:	0 points			

The site will be excavated both horizontally and vertically for the removal all highly contaminated and/or saturated as defined in the Guidelines. The excavated soils will be blended on-site with adjacent clean soils to a level no greater than 5000 ppm TPH.

The bottom and sides of the excavation will also be sampled at the final excavation depths. Field-testing for Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH) will be performed on soil samples (EPA Method 418.1) using a GAC Mega Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon analyzer. The final samples collected will be preserved on ice and delivered along with Chain of Custody to Cardinal Laboratories for testing. Laboratory samples were analyzed for Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (EPA Method SW 846 8015), BTEX (EPA Method SW-846-8260).

Following the final sampling, the excavation will be backfilled with the blended soils and returned to natural grade. The area will be reseeded with BLM #4 seed mix.

After completion of the project, the appropriate reports will be filed with the NMOCD in the closure report.

VII. Figures & Appendices

Figure 1. - Vicinity Map Figure 2. - Site Plan Appendix A. - C-141 Appendix B. - Site Photos 4" Mitchell Mainline/Work Plan December 13, 2002

Figure 1 Vicinity Map



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Figure 2 Site Plan



Appendix A C-141

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Appendix B Site Photos



Subject Site Looking East



Subject Site Looking North-East



Subject Site Looking West

Johnson, Larry

From: Sent: To: Subject: Johnson, Larry Tuesday, June 17, 2003 3:31 PM 'Neal.Goates@conocophillips.com' Abandon Btry Site

Neal,

What is the status on the site Unit Letter L Sec 19 T 17S 32E? This is the site where someone shot a hole in a 4" Navajo line that was adjacent to an abandon battery site. Some spillage puddled onto the old btry site. BLM rep. Paul Evans and I looked at the site and it was suggested this would present a good opportunity for both C/P and Navajo to partner to premeditate the area at the same time and provide a cost benefit to each of you. Larry