

**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	NCH1902549189
District RP	1RP-5300
Facility ID	
Application ID	pCH1902549704

## Release Notification

### Responsible Party

Responsible Party	OXY USA INC.	OGRID	16696
Contact Name	WADE DITTRICH	Contact Telephone	(575) 390-2828
Contact email	WADE_DITTRICH@OXY.COM	Incident #	NCH1902549189 RED TANK 30 31
Contact mailing address	PO BOX 4294; HOUSTON, TX 77210		24Y @ 30-025-44161

### Location of Release Source

Latitude N 32.36956 Longitude W-103.60419  
(NAD 83 in decimal degrees to 5 decimal places)

Site Name	RED TANK 30 31 24Y	Site Type	WELL
Date Release Discovered	11/12/2018	API# (if applicable)	30-025-44161

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	County
A	30	22S	33E	LEA COUNTY, NM

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Produced Water	Volume Released (bbls) 120 BBLS	Volume Recovered (bbls) 110 BBLS
	Is the concentration of dissolved chloride in the produced water >10,000 mg/l?	<input checked="" 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

SWITCH FAILURE CAUSED TANK TO SPILL OVER INTO LINED CONTAINMENT

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Was this a major release as defined by 19.15.29.7(A) NMAC?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If YES, for what reason(s) does the responsible party consider this a major release?

THE SPILL IS GREATER THAN 25 BBLS.

If YES, was immediate notice given to the OCD? By whom? To whom? When and by what means (phone, email, etc)?

WADE DITTRICH OF OXY TO OLIVIA YU AND CHRISTINA HERNANDEZ OF NMOCD AND RYAN MANN ON NMSLO ON 11/26/18 VIA EMAIL AT 3:23 PM

### Initial Response

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

- ☒ The source of the release has been stopped.
- ☒ The impacted area has been secured to protect human health and the environment.
- ☒ Released materials have been contained via the use of berms or dikes, absorbent pads, or other containment devices.
- ☒ All free liquids and recoverable materials have been removed and managed appropriately.

If all the actions described above have not 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: Wade Dittrich  
Signature:   
email: wade\_dittrich@oxy.com

Title: Environmental Coordinator  
Date: 11-30-18  
Telephone: (575) 390-2828

**OCD Only**

Received by: By CHernandez at 1:34 pm, Jan 25, 2019

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**\*\*\*\*\* LIQUID SPILLS - VOLUME CALCULATIONS \*\*\*\*\***

Location of spill: Red Tank 30 31 0024Y

Date of Spill: 11/12/2018

Site Soil Type: Lined Facility

Average Daily Production: NA BBL Oil            BBL Water

**Total Area Calculations**

Total Surface Area	width		length		wet soil depth	oil (%)
Rectangle Area #1	50 ft	X	50 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #2	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #3	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #4	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #5	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #6	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #7	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%
Rectangle Area #8	0 ft	X	0 ft	X	0 in	0%

Porosity 1.00 gal per gal

**Saturated Soil Volume Calculations:**

		<u>H2O</u>	<u>OIL</u>
Area #1	2500 sq. ft.	63 cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #2	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #3	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #4	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #5	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #6	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #7	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Area #8	0 sq. ft.	cu. ft.	cu. ft.
Total Solid/Liquid Volume:	<b>2,500 sq. ft.</b>	<b>63 cu. ft.</b>	<b>cu. ft.</b>

**Estimated Volumes Spilled**

	<u>H2O</u>	<u>OIL</u>
Liquid in Soil:	11.1 BBL	0.0 BBL
Liquid Recovered :	<u>110.0 BBL</u>	<u>0.0 BBL</u>
Spill Liquid	121.1 BBL	0.0 BBL
Total Spill Liquid:	<u>121.1</u>	

**Recovered Volumes**

Estimated oil recovered: **0.0 BBL**  
 Estimated water recovered: **110.0 BBL**

Soil Type	Porosity
Clay	0.15
Peat	0.40
Glacial Sediment	0.13
Sandy Clay	0.12
Silt	0.16
Loess	0.25
Fine Sand	0.16
Medium Sand	0.25
Coarse Sand	0.26
Gravelly Sand	0.26
Fine Gravel	0.26
Medium Gravel	0.25
Coarse Gravel	0.18
Sandstone	0.25
Siltstone	0.18
Shale	0.05
Limestone	0.13
Basalt	0.19
Volcanic Tuff	0.20
Standing Liquid	