

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

Form C-141  
Revised April 3, 2017

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

## Release Notification and Corrective Action

### OPERATOR

☐ Initial Report ☒ Final Report

Name of Company	Read & Stevens, Inc.	Contact	Joe Tovar
Address	P.O. Box 1518, Roswell, NM 88202	Telephone No.	575-390-2425
Facility Name	Highway 5 Federal Com #1	Facility Type	Producing Gas Well
Surface Owner	Federal	Mineral Owner	Federal
		API No.	30-025-39120

### LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
D	5	20S	34E	660'	North	660'	West	Lea County, NM

Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_ NAD83

### NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release	Water Spill	Volume of Release	20 BW	Volume Recovered	20 BW
Source of Release	210 bbl oil tank	Date and Hour of Occurrence		Date and Hour of Discovery	
Was Immediate Notice Given?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	10:00 a.m. 8/30/17		10:00 a.m. 8/30/17
By Whom?		Date and Hour			
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. Containment was only in the berm that is lined with 40 mil liner.

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

(Information is on the Initial Report)

**APPROVED**


**By Olivia Yu at 3:23 pm, Oct 12, 2017**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

(Information is on the Initial Report.)

Clean up has been completed and pictures sent Olivia Yu of the OCD.

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:		<b>OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION</b>	
Printed Name: Kelly Barajas		Approved by Environmental Specialist: 	
Title: Production & Regulatory		Approval Date: 10/12/2017	Expiration Date: xx/xx/xxxx
E-mail Address: kbarajas@read-stevens.com		Conditions of Approval:	
Date: 10/2/2017 Phone: 575-624-3760		Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

nOY1725051906

**From:** [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)  
**To:** [Kelly Barajas](#)  
**Cc:** [Tucker, Shelly](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures  
**Date:** Thursday, October 12, 2017 4:25:00 PM  
**Attachments:** approved\_Highway 5 Fed Com #1 Final C-141.pdf

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Kelly:

The available information indicates **OPERATOR** has met the requirements of 19.15.29 NMAC and no further corrective action is required. NMOCD considers **nOY1725051906** closed. This determination by the Oil Conservation Division does not relieve Operator of responsibility should future information indicate a threat to ground water, surface water, human health, or the environment. Furthermore, it does not relieve Operator of responsibility for compliance with any federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Please see the attachment for your records.

Thanks,

Olivia Yu  
Environmental Specialist  
NMOCD, District I  
[Olivia.yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.yu@state.nm.us)  
575-393-6161 x113

OCD approval does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations fail to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that may pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, OCD approval does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, local laws and/or regulations.

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**From:** Kelly Barajas [<mailto:KBarajas@read-stevens.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 8:17 AM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures

Good Morning Olivia!

Yes ma'am. Should I email the final to you?

Kelly

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**From:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [<mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 03, 2017 7:32 AM  
**To:** Kelly Barajas  
**Subject:** RE: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures

Good morning Kelly!

Thank you for the information. Please submit a final C-141 to close this incident.

Olivia

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**From:** Kelly Barajas [<mailto:KBarajas@read-stevens.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 22, 2017 9:41 AM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures

Good Morning Olivia,

I have attached the invoice on the Highway 5 Fed Com #1 to show proof of the liner. I do see I wrote 40 mill on the notice and it was actually 20 mill.

Kelly

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**From:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [<mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017 3:38 PM  
**To:** Kelly Barajas  
**Subject:** RE: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures

Kelly:

Noted. Thank you for your compliance!

Olivia

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**From:** Kelly Barajas [<mailto:KBarajas@read-stevens.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017 3:26 PM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures

We haven't received the invoice yet, but I will send you a copy when we do.

Thank you!

Kelly

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**From:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [<mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017 2:45 PM  
**To:** Kelly Barajas  
**Subject:** RE: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures

Kelly:

Thank you for the photos. The liner is not visible though. Is it completely under the pea gravel? If so, please provide some evidence that the new liner was installed (e.g., work order, receipts).

Olivia

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**From:** Kelly Barajas [<mailto:KBarajas@read-stevens.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017 1:17 PM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** FW: Highway 5 Fed Com #1 pictures

Hi Olivia,

Two pictures of the Highway 5 Fed Com #1. I hope these work!

Kelly

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**From:** kelly barajas [<mailto:barajaskelly45@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017 1:14 PM  
**To:** Kelly Barajas  
**Subject:** Pics





[Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone](#)



**From:** [Yu, Olivia, EMNRD](#)  
**To:** ["Kelly Barajas"](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Photo of Highway 5 Fed Com #1  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 20, 2017 7:32:00 AM  
**Attachments:** image001.png  
image003.png

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Good morning Kelly:

NMOCD requires photos to show clearly that the liner is intact and that the fill is clean. So, original photos taken from a camera or cell phone are requested. Just attached the photos to the email.

Thanks,  
Olivia

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**From:** Kelly Barajas [mailto:KBarajas@read-stevens.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 19, 2017 2:26 PM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us>  
**Subject:** RE: Photo of Highway 5 Fed Com #1

Hi Olivia,

We're not sure what you mean. This is the only photo we have for the Highway 5 Fed Com #1.

Kelly

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**From:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD [mailto:[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)]  
**Sent:** Monday, September 18, 2017 1:26 PM  
**To:** Kelly Barajas  
**Subject:** RE: Photo of Highway 5 Fed Com #1

Hello Kelly:

Please submit unmodified photos in jpg, jpeg, or tiff format that are dated and geo-referenced if possible.

Thanks,  
Olivia

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**From:** Kelly Barajas [mailto:[KBarajas@read-stevens.com](mailto:KBarajas@read-stevens.com)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 13, 2017 8:55 AM  
**To:** Yu, Olivia, EMNRD <[Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us](mailto:Olivia.Yu@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** Photo of Highway 5 Fed Com #1

Good Morning Olivia,

I have attached a photo of the Highway 5 Fed Com #1. If you need a different photo please let me know.

Highway 5Federal Com #1  
Sec 5, T20S-R34E  
660' FNL & 660' FWL  
Lea County, NM  
API #30-025-39120

Have a great day!

Kelly



*Read & Stevens, Inc.*

*Kelly Barajas, Production/Regulatory*

*P. O. Box 1518, Roswell, NM 88202-1518*

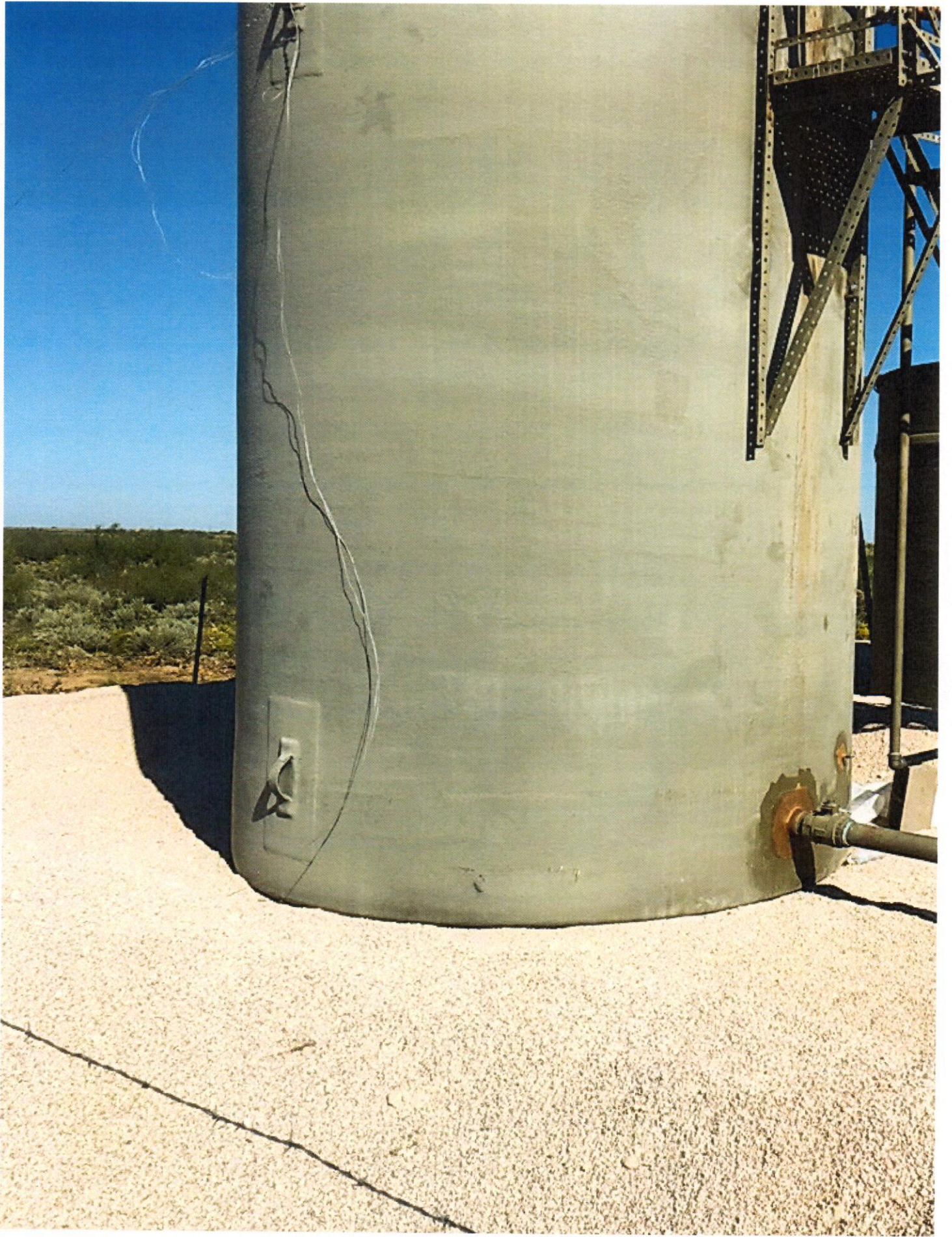
*575-5-624-3760*













Dudley Sales & Service  
1902 W. Briscoe Avenue  
Artesia, NM 88210  
575-748-3540

RECEIVED SEP 7 1 2017

# Invoice

Date	Invoice #
9/7/2017	20001

Bill To
REED & STEVENS 400 N. PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE ROSWELL, NM 88201

Location
Picked up at shop Highway 5 Fed Com #1 <span style="color: blue;">B</span>

Ordered By	P.O. No.	Terms
Marvin		Net 30

Service Date	Quantity	Description	Rate	Amount
8/31/2017	900	(30X30) SB-20 mil BGR Pit Liner <span style="color: blue;">8-60</span>	0.35	315.00T
Sales Tax (5.875%)				\$18.51

Received Lovington Office  
Date: 9-21-17

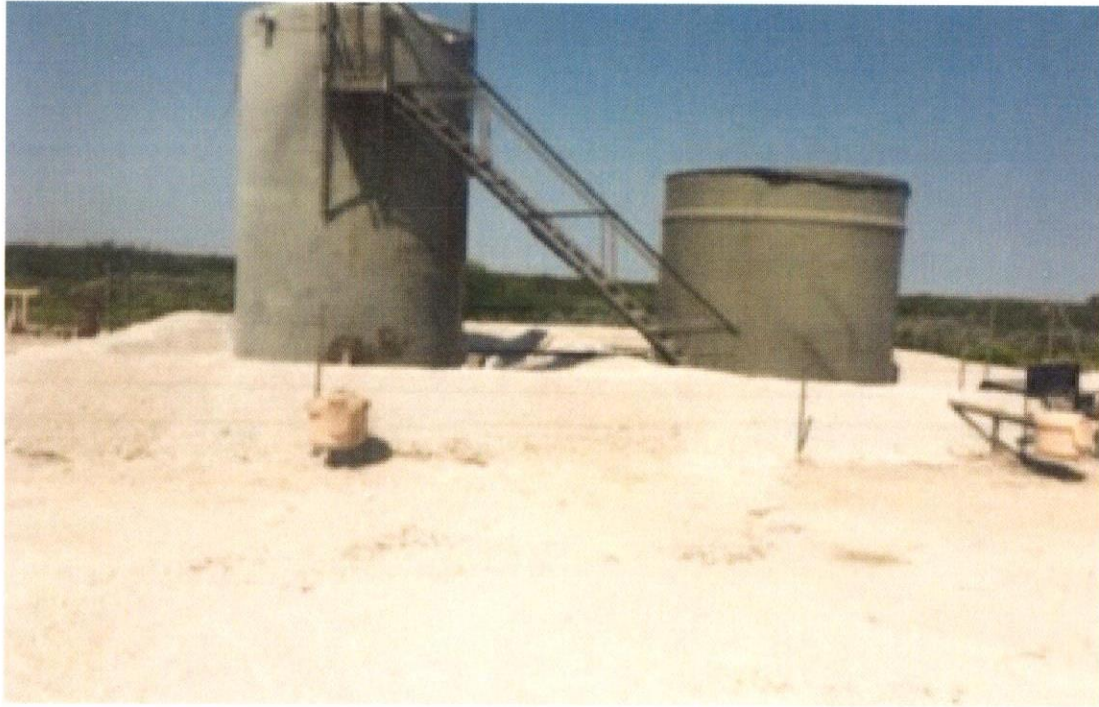
1400  
S-T.  
Approved For Payment  
JOE TOVAR  
Well # 10265 Code 8-60

**Total**

\$333.51

Highway 5 Fed Cm #1  
Sec 5, T20S-R34E  
660' 2nd & 660' 2nd  
API # 30-025-39120

picture taken 9-12-2017



40 mil liner inside berm and covered up with dirt