

District I
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, 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

Form C-144
June 1, 2004

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

For drilling and production facilities, submit to appropriate NMOCD District Office.
For downstream facilities, submit to Santa Fe office

Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☒ No ☐
Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☐ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☒

Operator: Yates Petroleum Corporation Telephone: 505-748-4500 e-mail address: mikes@ypcnm.com

Address: 105 South 4th Street, Artesia, N.M. 88210

Facility or well name Sand Springs ASU State 5 API #: 30-025-37265 U/L or Qtr/Qtr L Sec 11 T 11S R 34E

County: Lea Latitude: 33.37818 Longitude: 103.48743 NAD: 1927 ☒ 1983 ☐

Surface Owner: Federal ☐ State ☒ Private ☐ Indian ☐

Pit

Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐

Work over ☐ Emergency ☐

Lined ☒ Unlined ☐

Liner type: Synthetic ☒ Thickness 12 mil Clay ☐

Pit Volume 20,000 bbl

Below-grade tank

Volume: _____ bbl Type of fluid: _____

Construction material: _____

Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not: _____

Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.) 25'

Less than 50 feet
50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet
100 feet or more

(20 points) XXXX

(10 points)

(0 points)

Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)

Yes
No

(20 points) XXXX

(0 points)

Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)

Less than 200 feet
200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet
1000 feet or more

(20 points) XXXX

(10 points)

(0 points) XXXX

Ranking Score (Total Points)

20 points

If this is a pit closure: (1) Attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location: (check the onsite box if you are burying in place)

onsite ☒ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility NA. (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface _____ ft. and attach sample results.

(5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

Additional Comments: Closure work plan for drilling pit. An encapsulation trench will be constructed and lined with 12 mil synthetic liner next to existing drilling pit. The drilling pit contents will be excavated and emplaced into the encapsulation trench using a mixture of three to one pit material and Class H bulk cement or CKD. The emulsion of pit material and cement will be mixed using a track hoe and water added if needed. After completion of solidifying pit material in cement and pit contents have set in place for a minimum of 24 hours, the encapsulation trench will then be capped using a 20 mil synthetic liner placed over the pit contents with a minimum of a 3' over lap of the underlying trench areas. The trench will then be backfilled to grade using a minimum of 3' of clean soil or like material. A one call and 48 hour notification to OCD will be made before pit closure action begins. Beginning pit closure date: N/A. Ending pit closure date: N/A.

BEFORE CLOSURE IS APPROVED PLEASE VERIFY LEACHABILITY ON PREVIOUS PITS CLOSED BY THIS METHOD.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☐, a general permit ☒, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Date: 04/03/2006

Printed Name/Title Mike Stubblefield / Regulatory Agent

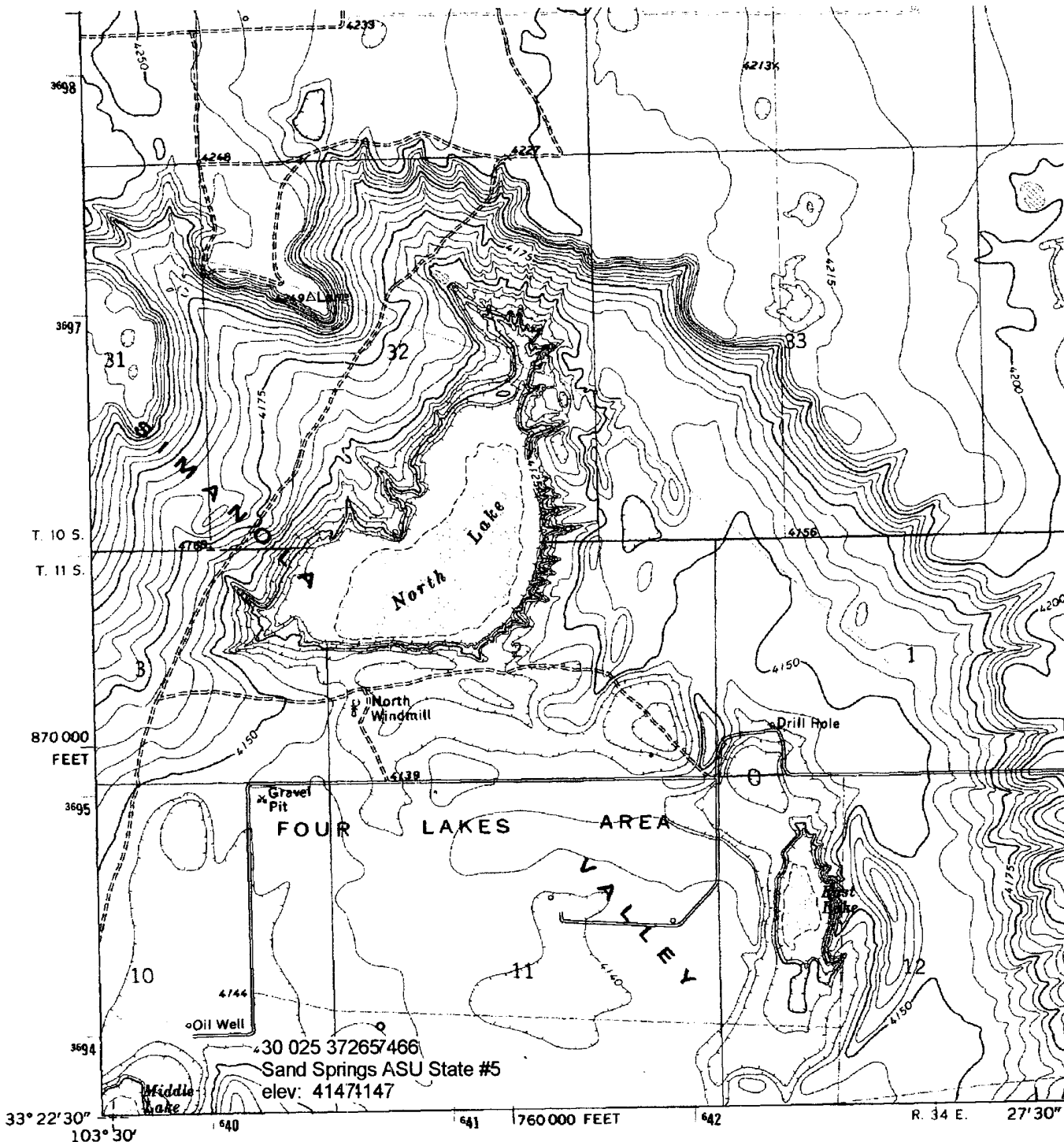
Signature Mike Stubblefield

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Approval:

Printed Name/Title CHRIS WILLIAMS/DIST. SUP Signature Chris Williams

Date: 4/10/06



(DALLAS STORE)
2001 SE

Mapped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey

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Planimetry by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs taken 1968. Topography by planetable surveys 1970

Polyconic projection. 10,000-foot grid ticks based on New Mexico coordinate system, east zone

1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks, zone 13, shown in blue

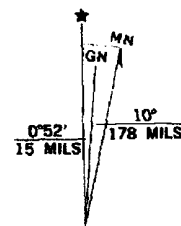
1927 North American Datum

To place on the predicted North American Datum 1983

move the projection lines 7 meters south and 46 meters east as shown by dashed corner ticks

Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence lines

Revisions shown in purple and woodland compiled from aerial photographs taken 1982 and other sources. This information not field checked. Map edited 1984



UTM GRID AND 1984 MAGNETIC NORTH DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET

'Johnson Ranch; NM' Scale: 1" = 0.379Mi 610Mt 2,000Ft, 1 Mi = 2.640", 1 cm = 240Mt

**New Mexico Office of the State Engineer
POD Reports and Downloads**

SAND SPRINGS ASU STATE 5

Township: 11S Range: 34E Sections:

NAD27 X: Y: Zone: Search Radius:

County: Basin: Number: Suffix:

Owner Name: (First) (Last) ☐ Non-Domestic ☐ Domestic
☒ All

POD / Surface Data Report

Avg Depth to Water Report

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AVERAGE DEPTH OF WATER REPORT 03/28/2006

Bsn	Tws	Rng	Sec	Zone	X	Y	Wells	(Depth Water in Feet)		
								Min	Max	Avg
L	11S	34E	03				1	80	80	80
L	11S	34E	07				1	85	85	85
L	11S	34E	08				1	32	32	32
L	11S	34E	16				3	45	80	57
L	11S	34E	17				1	43	43	43
L	11S	34E	18				1	60	60	60
L	11S	34E	19				1	45	45	45
L	11S	34E	21				1	25	25	25
L	11S	34E	28				1	30	30	30
L	11S	34E	32				1	40	40	40
L	11S	34E	35				1	25	25	25

Record Count: 13

USGS SEO TWN 09S-15S CHAVES LEA GW.xls

SAND SPRINGS ASU STATE 5

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3	COUNTY	SOURCE	USGS SITE NUM.	QTY	SITE LOCATION	DATE	LEVEL
605	LEA	SEO		1	11S.34E.11.444	1976-04-27	26.73