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State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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

Form C-144
June 1, 2004

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: Chevron USA (O-Grid #4323)			Telephone: 505-394-1237			e-mail address: billyanderson@chevron.com					
Address: PO Box 1949 2401 Avenue O Eunice, New Mexico 88231											
Facility or well name: R. E. Cole NCT-A #5			API #: 30-025-10318		Unit Letter (UL): I		Qtr/Qtr: NE¼ SE¼		Section: 16, T22S, R37E		
County: Lea			Latitude: N 32° 23' 25.2"		Longitude: W 103° 09' 40.5"		NAD: 1927 ☐ 1983 ☐		WGS 84 ☒		
Surface Owner: Federal ☐ State ☒ Private ☐ Indian ☐											
Pit					Below-grade tank						
Type: Drilling ☒ Production ☐ Disposal ☐ Workover ☐ Emergency ☐					Volume: bbl					Type of fluid:	
Lined ☒ Unlined ☐					Construction material:						
Liner type: Synthetic ☒ Thickness 20 mil					Clay ☐		Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes ☐ If not, explain why not.				
Pit Volume: ~3,000 bbl											
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.) ~85' bgs					Less than 50 feet		(20 points)		☐		
					50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet		(10 points)		☒		
					100 feet or more		(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		(20 points)		☒		
					No		(0 points)		☐		
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)					Less than 200 feet		(20 points)		☐		
					200 feet or more, but less than 1,000 feet		(10 points)		☐		
					1,000 feet or more		(0 points)		☒		
Ranking Score (Total Points)					10+20+0=30						

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 Sundance. (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: The pit has been closed consistent with the "ChevronTexaco Drilling and Reserve Pit Closure General Plan, December 2004" and the NMOCD Pit and Below-Grade Tank Guidelines, November 1, 2004 as promulgated under NMOCD Rule 50 (19.15.2.50 NMAC).	
Pit Status: Liner intact ☒ Liner punctured or torn ☐	
Method of Closure: Disposal (the pit contents were stiffened and hauled to disposal facility, excavation was tested and found to be acceptable (i.e. Chloride <1,000 mg/kg, TPH and BTEX are Non-Detect; reference Table 2 and Laboratory Analytical data), the pit was then backfilled with local soil.) Attached is a copy of the e-mail from EPI documenting our discussion and your approval of the revised C-144 allowing Chloride residuals in excess of 250 mg/Kg.	

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 will be closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☒, a general permit ☒, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Date: _____ Printed Name/Title Bill Anderson, HES Champion Signature [Signature] 12-14-06

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 L. Johnson - Enviro Engr Signature [Signature] Date: 12.18.06



ENVIRONMENTAL PLUS, INC.
CONSULTING AND REMEDIAL CONSTRUCTION

12 December 2006

Mr. Larry Johnson, Environmental Engineer
New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division Environmental Bureau
1625 North French
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Re: Final C-144
Chevron USA (O-Grid #4323)
R. E. Cole NCT-A #5 (Ref. #200105)
API#30-025-10318
UL-I, Section 16, Township 22 South, Range 37 East



Dear Mr. Johnson:

Environmental Plus, Inc., on behalf of Chevron USA (Chevron), submits the enclosed New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) Form C-144 and supporting information. Chevron has closed the drill pit at the above-referenced well site in accordance with the NMOCD Pit and Below-Grade Tank Guidelines, November 1, 2004 and the "ChevronTexaco Drilling and Reserve Pit Closure General Plan, December 2004." Please direct all official communications to:

Chevron USA
Bill Anderson, HES Champion
P.O. Box 1949
Eunice, New Mexico 88231
Telephone: 505-394-1237
Email: billyanderson@chevron.com

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Should you have any questions or concerns, please call me at (505) 394-3481. Mr. Bill Anderson can be contacted at (505) 394-1237 or via e-mail at billyanderson@chevron.com.

Sincerely,

ENVIRONMENTAL PLUS, INC.

Pat McCasland
Senior Consultant

ENVIRONMENTAL PLUS, INC.



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cc: Bill Anderson, Chevron USA
Nathan Mouser, Chevron USA
State of New Mexico, Landowner
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Enclosures: Topographical Map
Site Location Map
Site Map
Groundwater Map
Well Data Table
Analytical Data Table
Photographs
Laboratory Reports
E-mail
NMSLO Letter
NMOCD Form C-144

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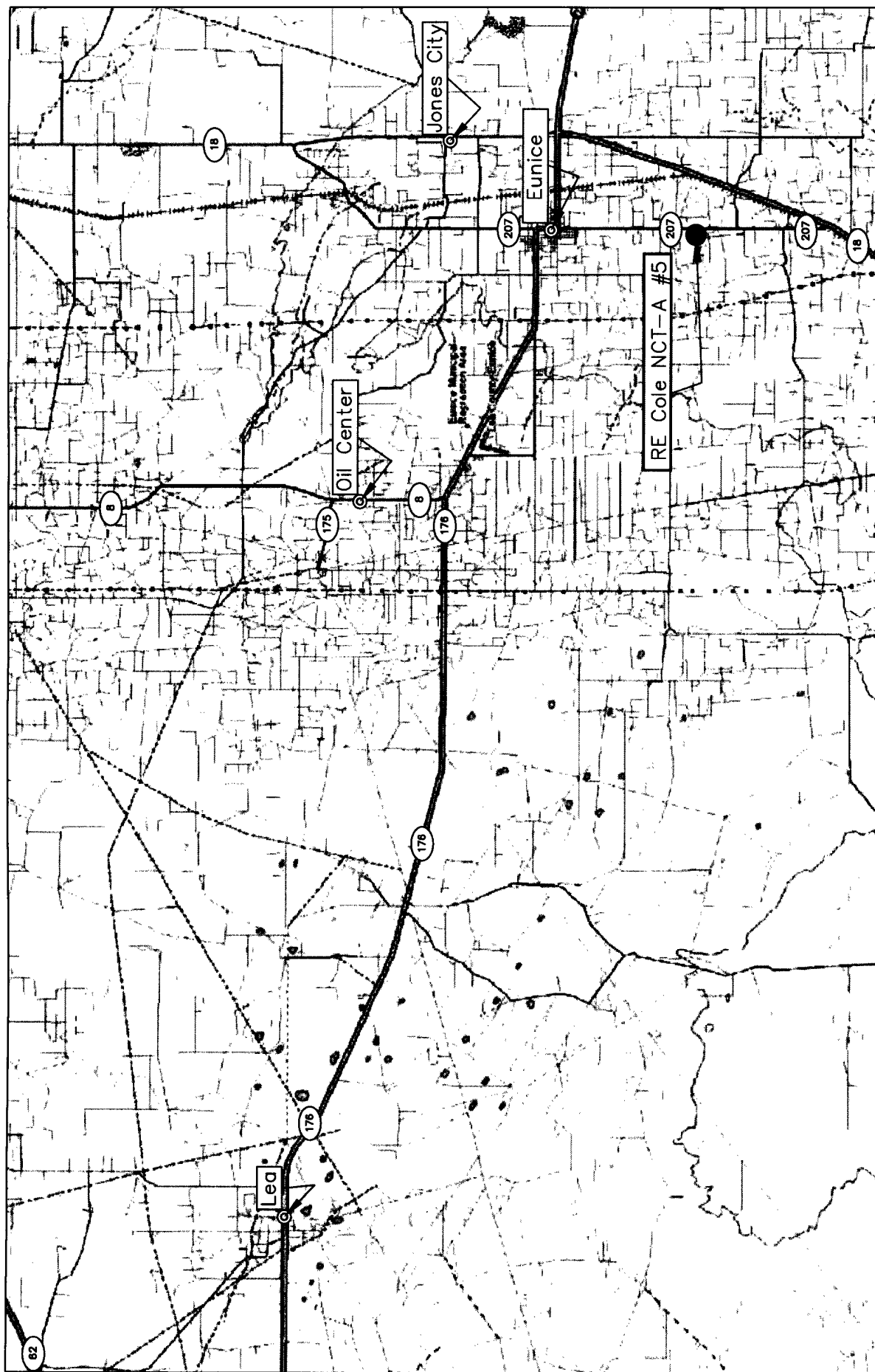
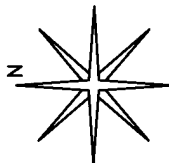
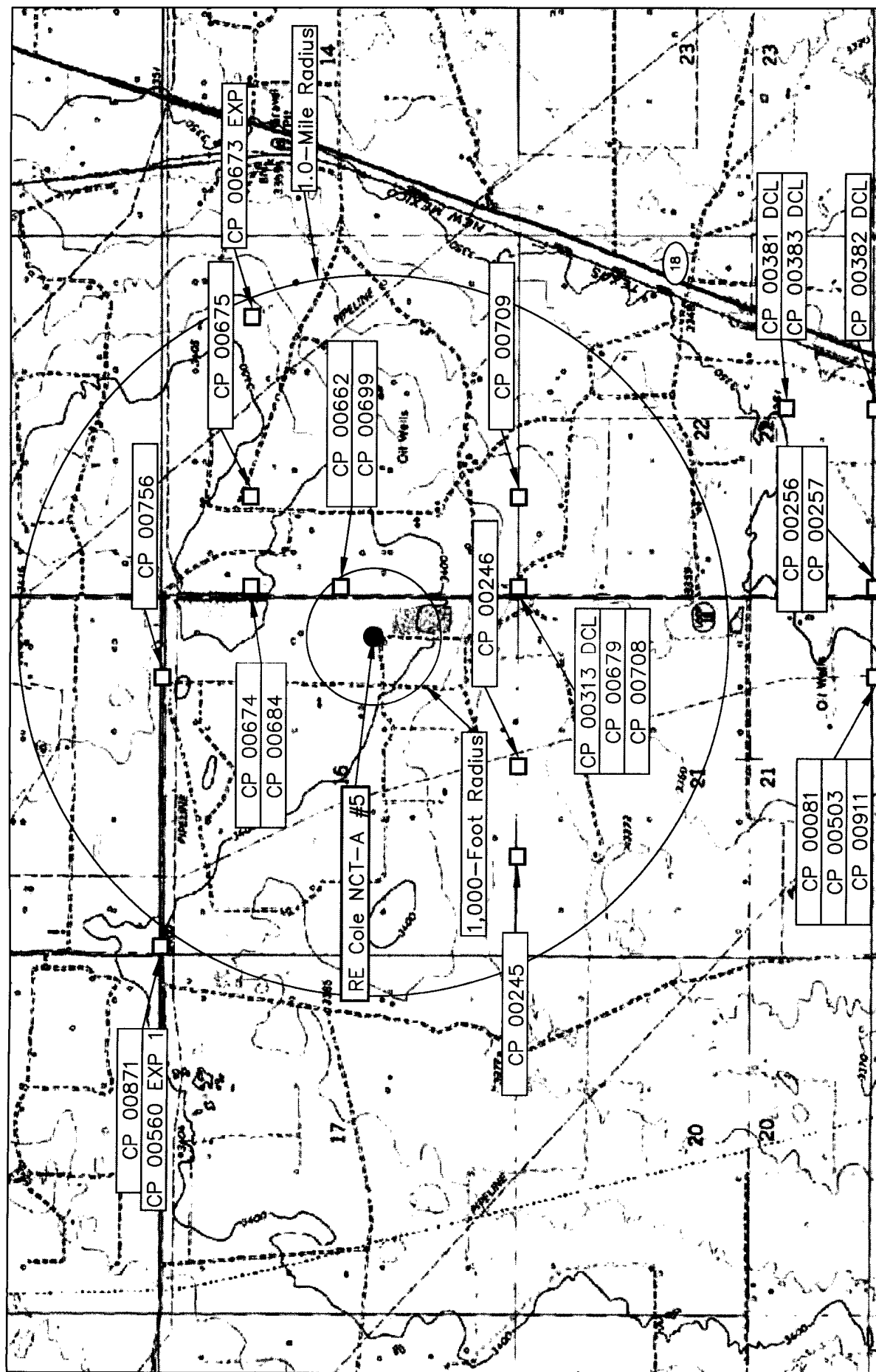


Figure 1 Area Map Chevron Corporation RE Cole NCT-A #5	Lea County, New Mexico NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Sec. 16, T22S, R37E N 32° 23' 25.2" W 103° 09' 40.5" Elevation: 3,406 feet amsl	DWG By: Daniel Dominguez October 2006 REvised: 0 3 6 Miles SHEET 1 of 1	
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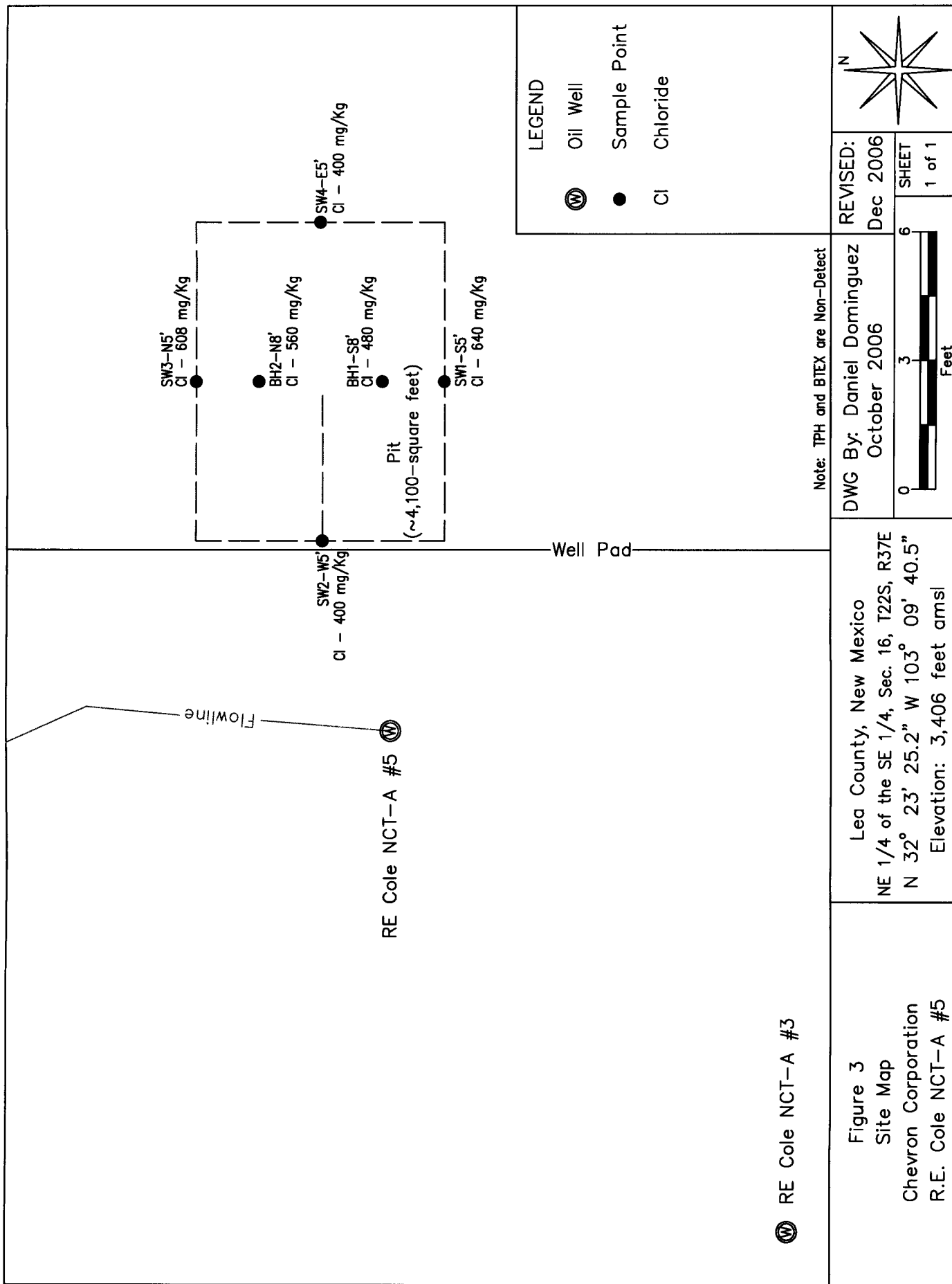


DWG By: Daniel Dominguez
October 2006

Lea County, New Mexico
NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Sec. 16, T22S, R37E
N 32° 23' 25.2" W 103° 09' 40.5"
Elevation: 3,406 feet amsl

Figure 2
Site Location Map
Chevron Corporation
RE Cole NCT-A #5

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Feet
SHEET
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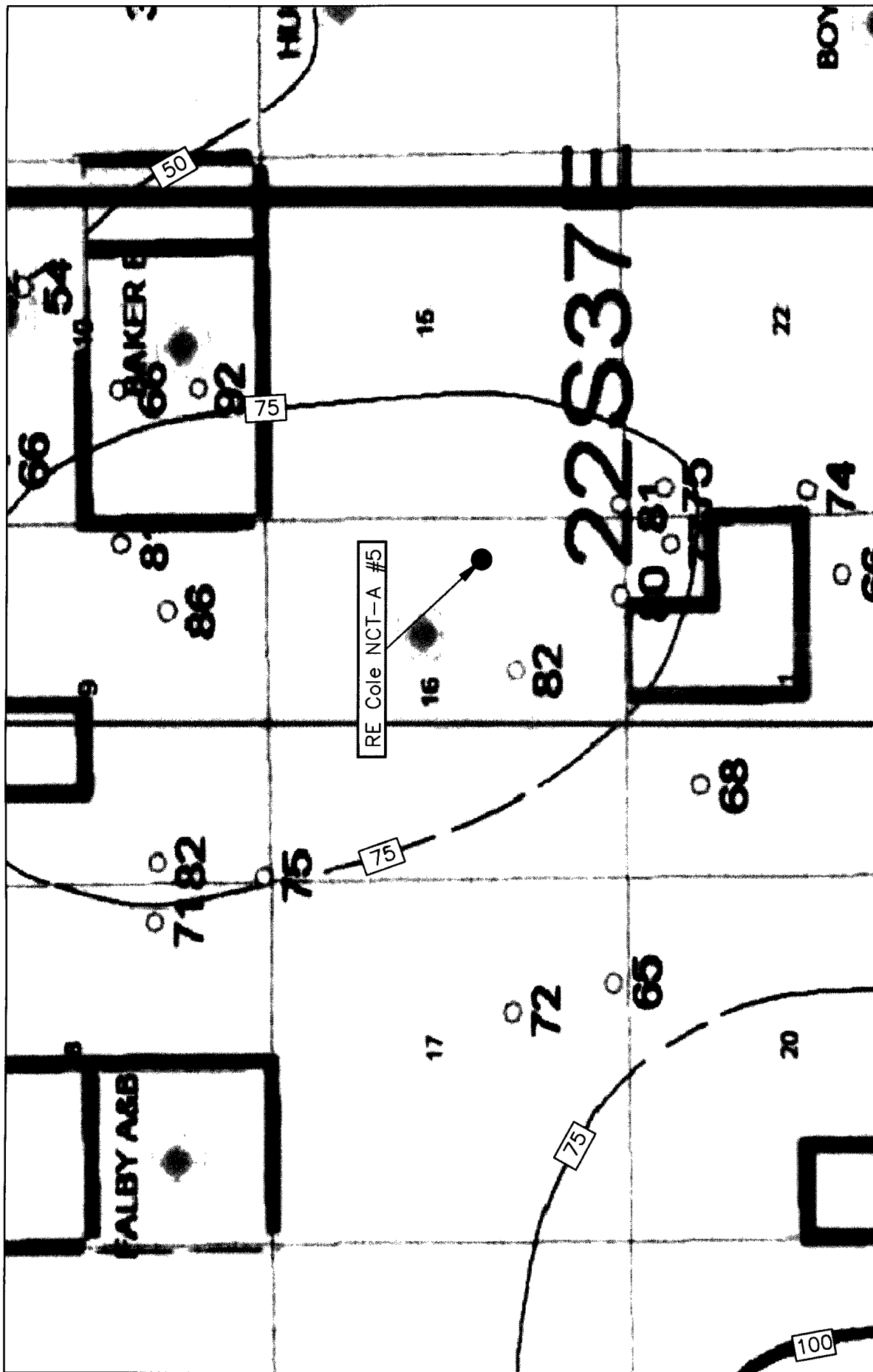


Figure 4 Groundwater Map Chevron Corporation RE Cole NCT-A #5	Lea County, New Mexico NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Sec. 16, T22S, R37E N 32° 23' 25.2" W 103° 09' 40.5" Elevation: 3,406 feet amsl		DWG By: Daniel Dominguez October 2006	REVISED:	SHEET 1 of 1
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TABLE 1

Well Data

Chesapeake Energy - RE Cole NCT-A #5 (Ref. #200105)

Well Number	Diversion ^A	Owner	Use	Twsp	Rng	Sec q q q	Latitude	Longitude	Date Measured	Surface Elevation ^B	Well Depth (ft bgs)	Depth to Water (ft bgs)
CP 00245	64	VERSADO GAS PROCESSORS, LLC	IND	22S	37E	16 3 4 3	N32° 23' 4.14"	W103° 10' 18.26"	28-Feb-47	3,382	136	
CP 00246	53	VERSADO GAS PROCESSORS, LLC	IND	22S	37E	16 4 3 2	N32° 23' 4.15"	W103° 10' 2.89"	31-May-49	3,379	135	
CP 00560 EXP 1	0	SKELLY OIL COMPANY	DOM	22S	37E	09 3 3 2	N32° 23' 56.30"	W103° 10' 33.67"		3,405		
CP 00756	3	CHARLIE BETTIS	DOM	22S	37E	09 4 4 2	N32° 23' 56.34"	W103° 09' 47.53"	30-Oct-90	3,411	125	85
CP 00871	3	BILL OR BARBARA TRULL	DOM	22S	37E	09 3	N32° 23' 56.30"	W103° 10' 33.67"	29-Sep-97	3,405	167	94
CP 00313 DCL	0	WILLIE P. SIMS	STK	22S	37E	15 3 3 3	N32° 23' 4.17"	W103° 09' 32.14"		3,385		
CP 00662	3	GEORGE SCHELLER	DOM	22S	37E	15 1 3 3	N32° 23' 30.26"	W103° 09' 32.15"	20-Jul-83	3,406	180	150
CP 00673 EXP	0	PAUL E. & MARY HUGHES	DOM	22S	37E	15 2 2	N32° 23' 43.32"	W103° 08' 46.04"		3,397		
CP 00674	3	WARREN & VERNA HUGHES	DOM	22S	37E	15 1 1	N32° 23' 43.31"	W103° 09' 32.15"	27-Mar-85	3,406	100	75
CP 00675	3	FRED FERBRACHE	DOM	22S	37E	15 1 2 2	N32° 23' 43.31"	W103° 09' 16.78"	12-Apr-85	3,402	100	
CP 00679	3	FRED FERBRACHE	DOM	22S	37E	15 3 3	N32° 23' 4.17"	W103° 09' 32.14"	20-May-85	3,385	164	98
CP 00684	3	WARREN & VUNA HUGHES	MUL	22S	37E	15 1 1	N32° 23' 43.31"	W103° 09' 32.15"	01-Aug-85	3,406	200	180
CP 00699	3	MARTIN CARRASCO	DOM	22S	37E	15 1	N32° 23' 30.26"	W103° 09' 32.15"	02-Jun-86	3,406	163	100
CP 00708	3	ROBERT A. CUETO	DOM	22S	37E	15	N32° 23' 4.17"	W103° 09' 32.14"	15-Apr-87	3,385	200	185
CP 00709	3	JAMES D. SMITH	DOM	22S	37E	15 3 4 2	N32° 23' 4.17"	W103° 09' 16.78"	29-Apr-87	3,389	200	87
CP 00081	115.6	WESLEY ABLE	COM	22S	37E	21 4 4 2	N32° 22' 11.98"	W103° 09' 47.49"		3,356	120	
CP 00503	3	TOMMY HENDERSON	DOM	22S	37E	21 4 4	N32° 22' 11.98"	W103° 09' 47.49"	15-Sep-72	3,356	115	65
CP 00911	3	WES ABLE	DOM	22S	37E	21 4 4 4	N32° 22' 11.98"	W103° 09' 47.49"		3,356	150	
CP 00256	31	EDWIN JOHNSTON	IND	22S	37E	22 3 3 1	N32° 22' 11.99"	W103° 09' 32.14"	31-Jul-49	3,349	145	
CP 00257	32	EDWIN JOHNSTON	IND	22S	37E	22 3 3 3	N32° 22' 11.99"	W103° 09' 32.14"	31-Jul-54	3,349	135	
CP 00381 DCL	0	WILLIAM E. JOHNSTON	DOM	22S	37E	22 4 1 3	N32° 22' 25.02"	W103° 09' 1.47"		3,353		
CP 00382 DCL	0	WILLIAM E. JOHNSTON	DOM	22S	37E	22 4 3 3	N32° 22' 11.97"	W103° 09' 1.49"		3,346		
CP 00383 DCL	0	WILLIAM E. JOHNSTON	DOM	22S	37E	22 4 1 3	N32° 22' 25.02"	W103° 09' 1.47"		3,353		

* = Data obtained from the New Mexico Office of the State Engineer Website (http://waters.ose.state.nm.us:7001/IWATERS/wr_RegisServlet) and the USGS website (<http://waterdata.usgs.gov/nwis/>).

Shaded areas indicate well locations not shown on Figure 2

^A = in acre feet per annum

^B = Elevation interpolated from USGS topographical map based on referenced location.

IND = Industrial

DOM = 72-12-1 Domestic One Household

STK = Livestock Watering

MUL = 72-12-1 Multiple Domestic Households

COM = Commercial

quarters are 1=NW, 2=NE, 3=SW, 4=SE; quarters are biggest to smallest

TABLE 2
Chevron USA
R.E. Cole NCT-A #5 Pit Analytical Results Summary

SAMPLE ID#	Sampling Interval (FT. BGS ¹)	Date	Status	GRO ³ mg/Kg	DRO ⁴ mg/Kg	TPH ⁵ mg/Kg	BTEX mg/Kg	Benzene mg/Kg	Toluene mg/Kg	Ethylbenzene mg/Kg	m,p-o Xylene mg/Kg	Chloride mg/Kg
SW1-S5'	5	10/27/2006	in-situ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	640
SW2-W5'	5	10/27/2006	in-situ	<10.0	<10.0	<10.0	<0.015	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.015	400
SW3-N5'	5	10/27/2006	in-situ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	608
SW4-E5'	5	10/27/2006	in-situ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	400
BH1-S8'	8	10/27/2006	in-situ	<10.0	<10.0	<10.0	<0.015	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.015	480
BH2-N8'	8	10/27/2006	in-situ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	560
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Remedial Goals						1,000	50	10				WQCC

¹VOC-Volatile Organic Contaminants/Constituents

³GRO-Gasoline Range Organics C₆-C₁₀

⁴DRO-Diesel Range Organics C₁₀-C₂₈

⁵TPH-Total Petroleum Hydrocarbon = GRO+DRO.

⁶Bolded values are in excess of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division guideline threshold for the parameter

⁷Italicized values are < the instrument detection limit.

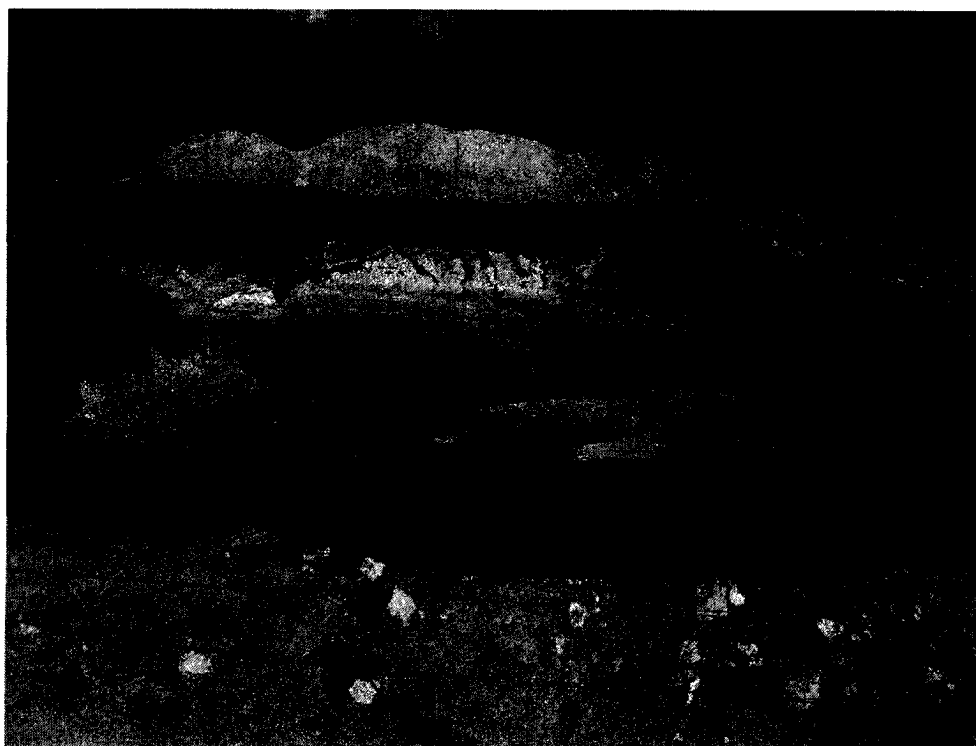
NA - indicates the sample was not analyzed.

Reported detection limits are considered "de minimus" values and are included in the GRO/DRO and BTEX summations.

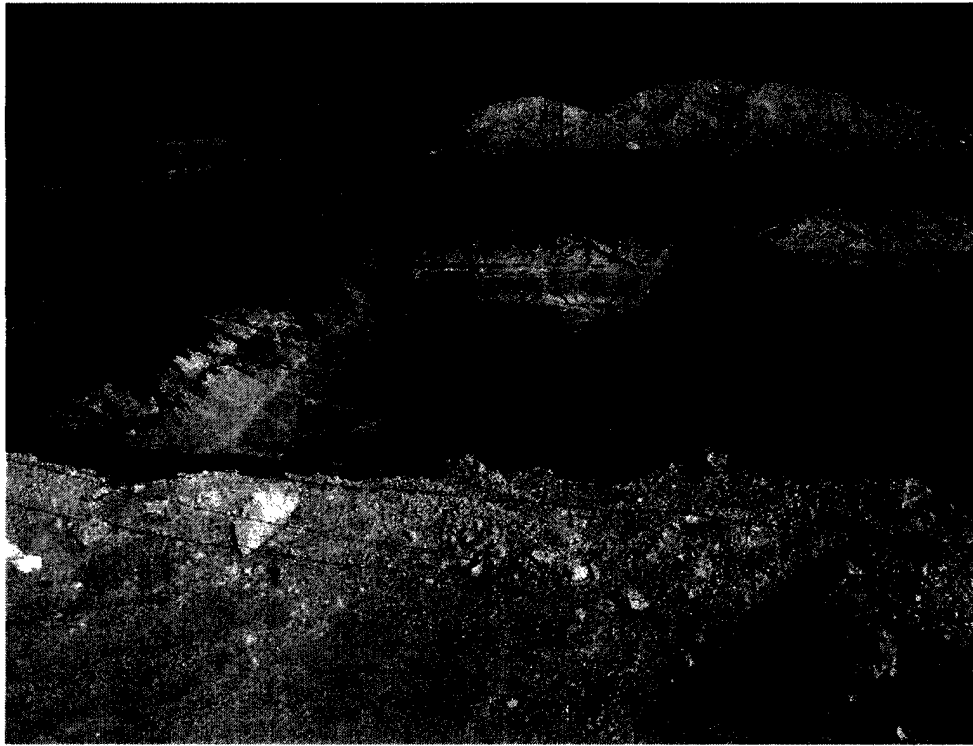
WQCC - (New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission) Chloride residuals cannot be capable of impacting local groundwater in excess of the 250 mg/L WQCC standard.



Photograph #1 – Lease sign.



Photograph #2 - Pit with berms, looking easterly.



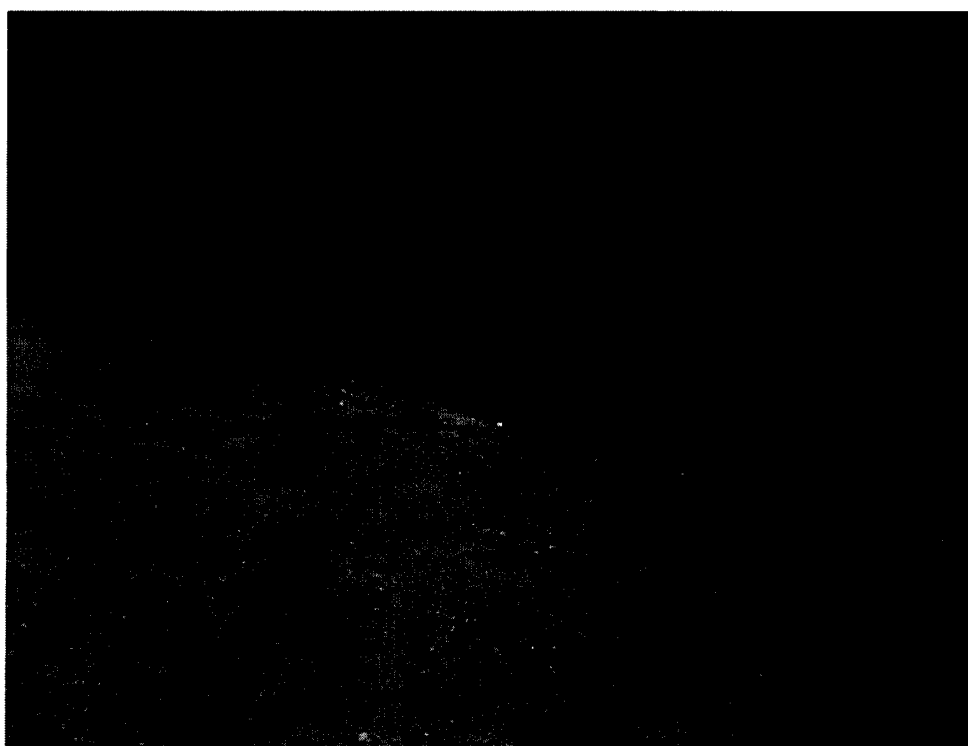
Photograph #3 - Pit with berms, looking easterly.



Photograph #4 – Pumping unit and pit with berms, looking northeasterly.



Photograph #5 – Excavating and hauling pit contents.



Photograph #6 – Closed pit.



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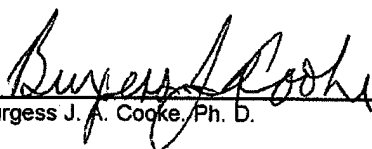
ANALYTICAL RESULTS FOR
ENVIRONMENTAL PLUS, INC.
ATTN: PAT McCASLAND
P.O. BOX 1558
EUNICE, NM 88231
FAX TO: (505) 394-2601

Receiving Date: 10/27/06
Reporting Date: 11/01/06
Project Owner: CHEVRON USA (#200105)
Project Name: R.E. COLE A-5
Project Location: NOT GIVEN

Sampling Date: 10/27/06
Sample Type: SOIL
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: HM
Analyzed By: BC

LAB NO.	SAMPLE ID	GRO (C ₆ -C ₁₀) (mg/Kg)	DRO (C ₁₀ -C ₂₈) (mg/Kg)	BENZENE (mg/Kg)	TOLUENE (mg/Kg)	ETHYL BENZENE (mg/Kg)	TOTAL XYLENES (mg/Kg)
ANALYSIS DATE:		10/31/06	10/31/06	10/31/06	10/31/06	10/31/06	10/31/06
H11718-1	BH1-S8'	<10.0	<10.0	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.015
H11718-4	SW2-W5'	<10.0	<10.0	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.015
Quality Control		767	778	0.102	0.103	0.100	0.294
True Value QC		800	800	0.100	0.100	0.100	0.300
% Recovery		95.8	97.2	102	103	100	98.1
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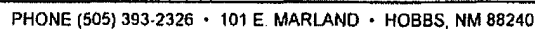
METHODS: TPH GRO & DRO - EPA SW-846 8015 M; BTEX - SW-846 8260.


Burgess J. A. Cooke, Ph. D.

11/01/06
Date

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Analysis Date: 10/30/06
Sampling Date: 10/27/06
Sample Type: SOIL
Sample Condition: COOL & INTACT
Sample Received By: HM
Analyzed By: AB

NOTE: Analyses performed on 1:4 w:v aqueous extracts.

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Company Name Environmental Plus, Inc. EPI Project Manager Pat McCasland Billing Address P.O. BOX 1558 City, State, Zip Eunice New Mexico 88231 EPI Phone#/Fax# 505-394-3481 / 505-394-2601 Client Company Chevron USA Facility Name R.E. Cole A-5 Project Reference #200105 EPI Sampler Name George Blackburn		Bill To Chevron USA P. O. Box 1949 Eunice, NM 88231 Attention: Mr. Bill Anderson		ANALYSIS REQUEST BTX 8021B ☐ TPH 8015M ☐ CHLORIDES (Cl) ☐ SULFATES (SO ₄) ☐ pH ☐ TCLP ☐ OTHER >> ☐											
LAB I.D.	SAMPLE I.D.	# CONTAINERS	MATRIX						PRESERV.			SAMPLING		DATE	TIME
			GROUND WATER	WASTEWATER	SOIL	CRUDE OIL	SLUDGE	OTHER:	ACID/BASE	ICE/COOL	OTHER				
11218	BH1-S8'	1	X		X							X		10/27/06	7:00
2	BH2-N8'	1	X		X							X		10/27/06	7:37
3	SW1-S5'	1	X		X							X		10/27/06	8:16
4	SW2-W5'	1	X		X							X		10/27/06	8:50
5	SW3-N5'	1	X		X							X		10/27/06	9:19
6	SW4-E5'	1	X		X							X		10/27/06	10:00
7															
8															
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10															

Sampler Relinquished: Relinquished by: <i>[Signature]</i> Delivered by: <i>[Signature]</i>		Date: 10-27-06 Time: 1:15 Received By: (lab staff) <i>[Signature]</i>	Date: 10-27-06 Time: 1:15 Received By: (lab staff) <i>[Signature]</i>
Sample Cool & Intact Yes ☒ No ☐		Checked By: <i>[Signature]</i>	

Fax Results To Pat McCasland - EPI @ 505-394-2601
 REMARKS: Chain of custody requested. Send original reports to Pat McCasland - EPI.

Mr. Johnson,

This email, being submitted by Environmental Plus, Inc. (EPI) on behalf of Chevron, documents our discussion and your verbal approval of the proposal to close the drill pit at the Chevron RE Cole #A-5 well location with elevated chloride concentrations in the sides and bottom, (i.e., 400 to 640 mg/Kg) of the excavated pit according to the rationale provided previously and presented below.

Below is the laboratory report from analysis of samples collected from the bottom and sides of the excavation after the pit contents had been disposed of off-site. A background sample was not collected prior to pit construction for comparison and the liner was intact.

The groundwater in the area is approximately 70-feet bgs and is not at risk. Two water wells located approximately 800-feet east and transverse and slightly up-gradient to the southeast groundwater flow cannot feasibly be impacted. These concentrations are probably from historical activities from drilling and workover activities at the RE Cole #3 located on the same location as the RE Cole #A5.

12/11/2006

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Analized By: AB

NOTE: Analyses performed on 1:4 w/v aqueous extracts.

John S. M. Jones
Chemist

10-31-06
Date

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12/11/2006

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November 13, 2006

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Re: **PIT CLOSURE, O&G LEASE # B03480-0001**
Chevron USA (O-Grid #4323)
1 - UL-I, SEC 16, T 22S, R 37E; R. E. Cole NCT-A #5 (Ref. 200105)

Dear Mr. Larry Williams:

The New Mexico State Land Office (Land Office) has reviewed the pit closure notification for the above referenced site. The Land Office has the following closure requirements.

- The corners of each pit be permanently staked with a min. of 2" diameter steel pipe set in concrete to a depth of 2', width 12" min. and protruding 4' above the ground surface;
- The longitude and latitude shall be taken in WGS 1984 coordinates of an indicated corner (such as SE corner) of the pit and reported;
- A single sign be placed at a corner of each pit with lettering not less than 2" high. The existing sign required by NMOCD Guidelines may be maintained, or post the following sign:
BELOW GRADE PIT
CLOSURE DATE: MONTH/YEAR
- Copy of the NMOCD closure approval letter; and,
- Photographs of the closed site.

New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) governing Oil and Gas Leases requires a reclamation plan for the closeout of operations [19.2.100.66 & 67 NMAC]. Please contact the Land Office for guidance on reclamation plan requirements if closeout is planned.

The Land Office appreciates the notification of pit closure and looks forward to continued cooperation with Chevron USA on this issue.

Sincerely,



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