



NFA for Government 34-1 ~ Pit Facility ID#119473 ~ API #05-077-08079 ~ SWSW S34-8S-104W ~ Rem #8338

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Andy,


While going through pit data, I found that at the above referenced facility, (Plugged and Abandoned 6/10/2014), a Sundry form requesting closure had been approved, but the pit and Remediation Project had not been closed in our system.

Based on review of data presented in Sundry Form 4 Document #[400687620](#), it appears that arsenic levels detected in the confirmation soil sample collected from the bottom of the pit excavation exceeded table 910-1 standards, but were below naturally occurring arsenic levels as detected in the background samples collected from undisturbed areas in the vicinity. Based on this, COGCC concurs that no further action is necessary at this time. However, it should be noted that this case could be re-opened in the future. Should conditions at the site indicate contaminant concentrations in soils exceeding COGCC standards, or, if ground water is found to be significantly impacted, further investigation and/or remediation activities may be required at the site.

Both the status of the pit (Facility ID #119473), and Remediation Project #8338 have been changed to a closed status in the Colorado Oil & Gas Information System (Document #[200438617](#)). Please maintain a copy of this email as verification of closure.

Thank you,

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