

**Fwd: XTO Tiffany C #1 Release**

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Thanks!

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Subject: XTO Tiffany C #1 Release

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Kent,

In accordance with our MOA for response to spills/releases to surface/ground water, the COGCC is notifying the CDPHE-WQCD of an incident at the following location:

La Plata County, Colorado (SWSE Section 2 Township 32N Range 7W N)

Operator: XTO, Operator #100264

COGCC Spill/Release Tracking #453212 (Document #401466487)

On November 21, 2017 an estimated ten barrels of produced water was released from a valve on a separator on the Tiffany C #1 location. A COGCC inspection (Document #674901980) conducted on 11/22/17 noted evidence of flow off of the location to the east. Irrigation overflow water was flowing through a low spot approximately fifty feet from the equipment and ultimately went into a flowing irrigation ditch. Based on field observations it appears that produced water mixed with this irrigation water and may have entered the ditch.

The Initial Spill/Release Report stated that "almost 10 bbls" of water were recovered.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Thanks,

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