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Gregory McCartney
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**RE: New Discharge Permit
Former Giant Bloomfield Refinery (GW-40) NW/4 of Section 27, and SW/4 of Section
22, Township 29 North, Range 12 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico**

Dear Mr. McCartney:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has received Marathon Petroleum Company LP's (Western) application and initial filing fee dated May 11, 2020, for a new discharge permit (GW-40) for the former Giant Bloomfield Refinery (GBR) located on the northeast corner of United States Highway 64 and County Road 3500, approximately five miles west of Bloomfield, New Mexico.

The initial submittal for an Abatement of Groundwater and Vadose Zone Contamination under 20.6.2.3114 NMAC Discharge Permit provided the required information in order to deem the application "**administratively complete.**"

Therefore, the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission regulations (WQCC) notice requirements of 20.6.2.3108 NMAC must be satisfied and demonstrated to the OCD. OCD will provide public notice pursuant to the WQCC notice requirements of 20.6.2.3108 NMAC to determine if there is any public interest.

If you have any questions or comments in this regard, please contact me at (505) 660-7923 or by email at carlj.chavez@state.nm.us. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Carl J. Chavez
Environmental Engineer