

PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Oil Conservation Division 19.15.30.15 New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC), the following Stage 2 Abatement Plan has been submitted to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) Environmental Bureau, 1220 S. Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, Telephone (505) 476-3441, OCD.environmental@emnrd.nm.gov.

Plains Marketing, L.P. (Plains) announces publication of a Stage 2 Abatement Plan for soil and groundwater impacts identified at the C.S. Caylor release site located at latitude 32.867769 and longitude -103.28804 in the NW ¼ NW ¼ of Section 6 of Township 17 South, Range 37 East in Lea County, approximately 7 miles southeast of Lovington, New Mexico.

The Stage 2 Abatement Plan summarizes environmental monitoring and investigations at C.S. Caylor (including analytical data and maps of the extent), describes current site conditions and need for abatement, and presents the proposed abatement plan to address subsurface hydrocarbon impacts caused by a crude oil pipeline release in September 2002.

The Director of the NMOCD has reviewed the Stage 2 Abatement Plan and determined the plan is administratively complete. The NMOCD will accept comments and statements of interest regarding this work plan and will create a facility-specific mailing list for persons who wish to receive future notices. Persons interested in obtaining further information, submitting comments, or requesting to be on a facility-specific mailing list may contact the NMOCD Environmental Bureau at the address given above.

The public may view a copy of the Stage 2 Abatement Plan online from NMOCD Permitting under incident ID# nAPP2109527803 at <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/>. Persons interested in obtaining a copy of the Stage 2 Abatement Plan may contact the NMOCD at the address given above. The NMOCD will accept written comments on the Stage 2 Abatement Plan if the Director receives them within 30 days of publication of this notice.

Additional information can be obtained from the Plains project contact:

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