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SUBJECT: Munitions and Explosives of Concern (MEC) within the 275 foot Kick-Out Area Boundary, PIKA PIRNIE Joint Venture, Project Number W912DY-10D-0025, Task Order DS02.

1. The purpose of this Memo is to inform the New Mexico Environment Department that there was MEC/UXO found by PIKA PIRNIE Joint Venture Teams within the 275 foot boundary of the Kick-Out Area.
2. The MEC/UXO items were; 2 each M83 and one 75mm white phosphorus (WP) round. The M83's were located at the bottom of a hill covered by 2 inches of soil. It is believed that these items originated as kick outs from the Hazardous Waste Management Unit (HWMU), landed on the hill side, and with erosion, ended up at the bottom of the hill base covered with soil.
3. The MEC/UXO 75mm WP round was found in the arroyo northwest of SWMU 15 and 14. It is believed that this item was washed out of the arroyo from high water flow.
4. After being notified by the contractor, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Ordnance and Explosive Safety Specialists (OESS) conducted step-out transects outside the Kickout Area boundary in the area near the locations of the MEC/UXO items. No munitions or munitions debris was found that would lead to extending the boundary of the Kick-Out Area.
5. Please contact Dennis J Myers, dennis.j.myers@usace.army.mil or 817-609-5014 with any questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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Ecl: Map, Kickout Boundary Distance

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**SWMU 15
OLD DEMOLITION AREA**

**PARCEL 3 BOUNDARY
FENCE
6' CHAINLINK
WITH 3 STRANDS
BARBED WIRE**

3

128.3 FT

75 mm WP

109.2 FT

M83 Submunition

199.2 FT

M83 Submunition

LEGEND

-  AOC/SWMU BOUNDARY
-  PARCEL BOUNDARY
-  ITEM LOCATION
-  KICKOUT BOUNDARY



Note: Aerial Photo from 2009
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Fort Wingate Depot Activity
KICKOUT CLEARANCE
KICKOUT BOUNDARY DISTANCE

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