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January 27, 2016

John Kieling, Bureau Chief
New Mexico Environmental Department
Hazardous Waste Bureau
2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6303

Re: Extension Request
2016 Financial Assurance Cost Estimate
Western Refining Southwest, Inc. – Gallup Refinery
EPA ID# NMD000333211

Dear Mr. Kieling:

Western Refining Southwest, Inc. – Gallup Refinery is requesting a 45-day extension for submittal of the referenced Financial Assurance Cost Estimate that is due on January 31, 2016. The estimate is being prepared for post-closure care of the Land Treatment Unit (LTU) and other requirements pursuant to the RCRA Post-Closure Care Permit (“RCRA Permit”) (effective date 12/2/2013).

If you have any questions or would like to discuss the Financial Assurance Cost Estimate, please contact Ed Riege at (505) 722-0217.

Sincerely,

William C. McClain Jr.
Vice President and Refinery Manager
Western Refining Southwest, Inc. – Gallup Refinery

cc: Allen Hains – Western Refining El Paso