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March 23, 2016

Kristen Van Horn
New Mexico Environment Department
Hazardous Waste Bureau
2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Bldg 1
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6303

RE: FACILITY WIDE GROUNDWATER MONITORING WORK PLAN – 2015 UPDATES
WESTERN REFINING SOUTHWEST, INC. GALLUP REFINERY
EPA ID # NMD000333211

Dear Kristen Van Horn:

This letter is a follow-up to our telephone conversation on March 22. Gallup would like to request a sixty day extension to complete and submit the Facility Wide Groundwater Monitoring Work Plan – 2015 Updates. Cheryl Johnson of our department has been the author of the report over the last few years. Cheryl has been off on medical leave for the past five weeks and is not expected to return for another three weeks. Cheryl has started the report but we have not determined the percent completion to date.

A sixty day extension of the April 1 deadline to complete and submit the report would be May 30, 2016.

Thank you for your consideration and please contact me at (505) 722-0217 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Ed Riege
Manager of Remediation and Environmental Special Projects
Western Refining Southwest, Inc. – Gallup Refinery