

NOTICE OF SUBMISSION OF FINAL REMEDIATION PLAN

Dates of Notice: July 15, 2022; July 22, 2022

Notice is hereby given by the Petroleum Storage Tank Bureau (PSTB) of the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) of the submission of a Final Remediation Plan, as follows:

1. The Remediation Plan proposes actions to remediate a release of petroleum products into the environment.
2. The release occurred at: Springer Auto Co. site, 501 Fourth Street, Springer, New Mexico. The remediation equipment will be located at this address.
3. The Remediation Plan proposes corrective action (clean up) consisting of the injection of ORC-A[®], an engineered oxygen-release compound designed to speed up the breakdown of petroleum products by microbes in groundwater. The remediation goal is to reduce petroleum hydrocarbon contaminants that have resisted treatment to concentrations to below New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission standards, eventually leading to a “No Further Action” status.
4. A copy of the Remediation Plan, including all data and modeling related to the Remediation Plan, can be viewed by interested parties at the NMED PSTB Santa Fe office at the address below, and at the NMED field office, 1277A S 2nd Street Raton, NM. Due to policies in place in response to the COVID- 19 pandemic, arrangements must be made 48 hours in advance for an in-person review of the Remediation Plan. Please contact the NMED PSTB project manager, Michael Leger, by telephone at 505-372-8337 or by email at michael.leger@state.nm.us to schedule a time during normal business hours. In addition, the Remediation Plan and all applicable data may be viewed at the following website: <https://cloud.env.nm.gov/waste/?c=5949&k=0ccb1c7550>
5. Services may be arranged for translation of documents, for interpreters, and for obtaining services for persons with disabilities by contacting the NMED PSTB Project Manager. TDD or TTY users, please access phone numbers using the New Mexico Relay Network, 1 (800) 659-1779 (voice) and 1 (800) 659-8331 (TTY users).
6. Comments on the plan may be submitted via: <https://nmed.commentinput.com/comment/search> or sent to the PSTB Project Manager, Michael Leger, by email to Michael.Leger@state.nm.us, by telephone at 505-372-8337, or at the following address: New Mexico Environment Department, Petroleum Storage Tank Bureau, 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Bldg. 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505. Comments sent to the project manager must also be mailed to the New Mexico Environment Department Secretary, Attn: Secretary Kenney, P.O. Box 5469, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502-5469. Please include the name of the site, “Springer Auto Co. State Lead Site,” to ensure comments are correctly assigned to the site.

7. Comments must be received on or before August 12, 2022.