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Re: Permit Expirations: Shoshone 66-77A and Shoshone 65-68

Dear Mr. Kittinger:

This letter is to notify you that your U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 8 Underground Injection Control (UIC) Permits for the following two wells have expired under the terms of the Permit conditions.

WELL NAME	API NUMBER	PERMIT NUMBER	WELL LOCATION
Shoshone 66-77A	49-013-21637	WY20521-02119	2074 ft FSL and 1444 ft FEL, NW SE, Section 36, Township 7 North, Range 3 West Fremont County, Wyoming
Shoshone 65-68	49-013-21497	WY20837-02175	1250 ft FSL and 2310 ft FWL, SE SW, Section 36, Township 7 North, Range 3 West, Fremont County, Wyoming

We have received documentation that the subject wells have been plugged and abandoned and no longer operate as UIC wells. Once expired, the complete permit process including opportunity for public comment, shall be required before authorization to construct and operate these wells for injection purposes may be reissued.

Please contact Benjamin D'Innocenzo regarding the release of financial assurance at (303) 312-6342 or

dinnocenzo.benjamin@epa.gov.

If you have any questions or comments about the above action, please contact Linda Bowling at (303) 312-6254 or bowling.linda@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

8/5/2022

X Sarah Bahrman

Signed by: Bahrman, Sarah

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