

Flush #1  
F-2-26N-13W

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT

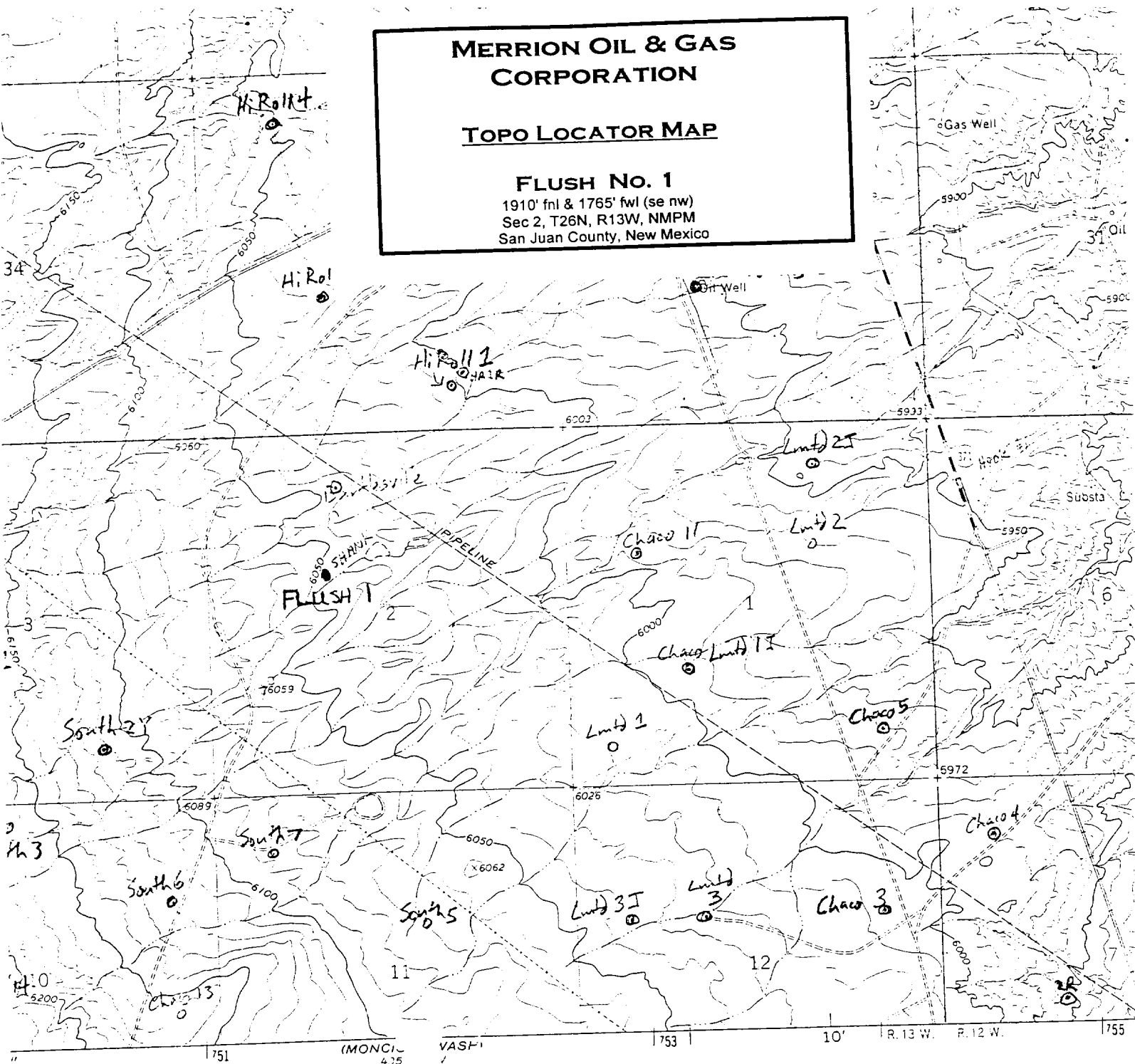
- I. Purpose: ☐ Secondary Recovery ☐ Pressure Maintenance ☒ Disposal ☐ Storage  
Application qualifies for administrative approval? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- II. Operator: Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation  
Address: 610 Reilly Avenue, Farmington, NM 87401  
Contact party: Connie Dinning Phone: 327-9801 x 126
- III. Well data: Complete the data required on the reverse side of this form for each well proposed for injection. Additional sheets may be attached if necessary.
- IV. Is this an expansion of an existing project? ☐ yes ☒ no NA  
If yes, give the Division order number authorizing the project \_\_\_\_\_.
- V. Attach a map that identifies all wells and leases within two miles of any proposed injection well with a one-half mile radius circle drawn around each proposed injection well. This circle identifies the well's area of review.
- \* VI. Attach a tabulation of data on all wells of public record within the area of review which penetrate the proposed injection zone. Such data shall include a description of each well's type, construction, date drilled, location, depth, record of completion, and a schematic of any plugged well illustrating all plugging detail.
- \* VII. Attach data on the proposed operation, including:
- 1. Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected;
  - 2. Whether the system is open or closed;
  - 3. Proposed average and maximum injection pressure;
  - 4. Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; and
  - 5. If injection is for disposal purposes into a zone not productive of oil or gas at or within one mile of the proposed well, attach a chemical analysis of the disposal zone formation water (may be measured or inferred from existing literature, studies, nearby wells, etc.).
- \* VIII. Attach appropriate geological data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geological name, thickness, and depth. Give the geologic name, and depth to bottom of all underground sources of drinking water (aquifers containing waters with total dissolved solids concentrations of 10,000 mg/l or less) overlying the proposed injection zone as well as any such source known to be immediately underlying the injection interval.
- IX. Describe the proposed stimulation program, if any.
- \* X. Attach appropriate logging and test data on the well. (If well logs have been filed with the Division they need not be resubmitted.)
- \* XI. Attach a chemical analysis of fresh water from two or more fresh water wells (if available and producing) within one mile of any injection or disposal well showing location of wells and dates samples were taken.
- XII. Applicants for disposal wells must make an affirmative statement that they have examined available geologic and engineering data and find no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground source of drinking water.
- XIII. Applicants must complete the "Proof of Notice" section on the reverse side of this form.
- XIV. Certification
- I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- Name: Connie S. Dinning Title Engineer  
Signature: [Signature] Date: June 1, 2000
- \* If the information required under Sections VI, VIII, X, and XI above has been previously submitted, it need not be duplicated and resubmitted. Please show the date and circumstance of the earlier submittal.

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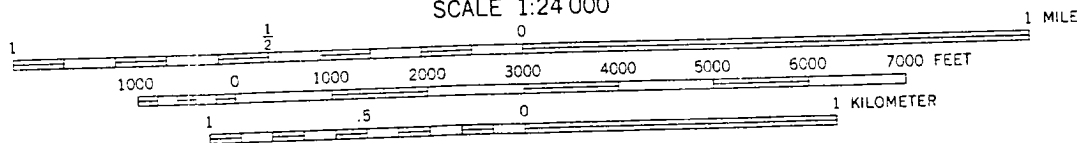
**TOPO LOCATOR MAP**

**FLUSH No. 1**

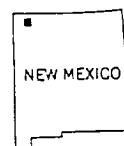
1910' fml & 1765' fml (se nw)  
Sec 2, T26N, R13W, NMPM  
San Juan County, New Mexico



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CONTOUR INTERVAL 10 FEET  
NATIONAL GEODETIC VERTICAL DATUM OF 1929



QUADRANGLE LOCATION

THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS  
FOR SALE BY U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, DENVER, COLORADO 80225, OR RESTON, VIRGINIA 22092  
A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT SECTION III - WELL DATA

Flush No. 1, New Drill, Salt Water Disposal Well					
<b>III. Well Data</b>					
<b>A.</b>					
1)	<b>Well :</b> Flush #1	<b>Location:</b> 1910' fnl & 1765' fwl, Sec 2, T26N, R13W San Juan County, New Mexico			
2)	<b>Casing:</b>				
	<i>Size</i>	<i>Depth Set</i>	<i>Hole Size</i>	<i>Cement</i>	<i>TOC</i>
	10 3/4"	280'	12 1/4"	88 sx	Circulate
	7"	3950'	8 7/8"	491 sx	Circulate
3)	<b>Tubing:</b>	3 1/2", 9.3#, EUE, Set @ approximately 2,000' KB, plastic lined			
4)	<b>Packer:</b>	Baker Lok Set (or equivalent), Retrievable Casing Packer Set @ approximately 2,000' KB			
<b>B.</b>					
1)	<b>Name of Pool/Formation:</b>	Undesignated Mesaverde			
2)	<b>Injection Interval:</b>	2110' - 3900', perforated w/ 0.34" shots, to be chosen after logging			
3)	<b>Original Purpose of Well:</b>	New Drill as SWD			
4)	<b>No other perforations in the well</b>				
5)	<b>The Fruitland Coal is productive in the area. The Mesaverde is about 1000' below the Coal we do not anticipate communication. There are a few Gallup producers to the northeast, but the Gallup is about 1000' below the injection interval and we do not anticipate communication.</b>				

# Merrion Oil & Gas Corporation

## Wellbore Schematic

Flush No. 1, SWD

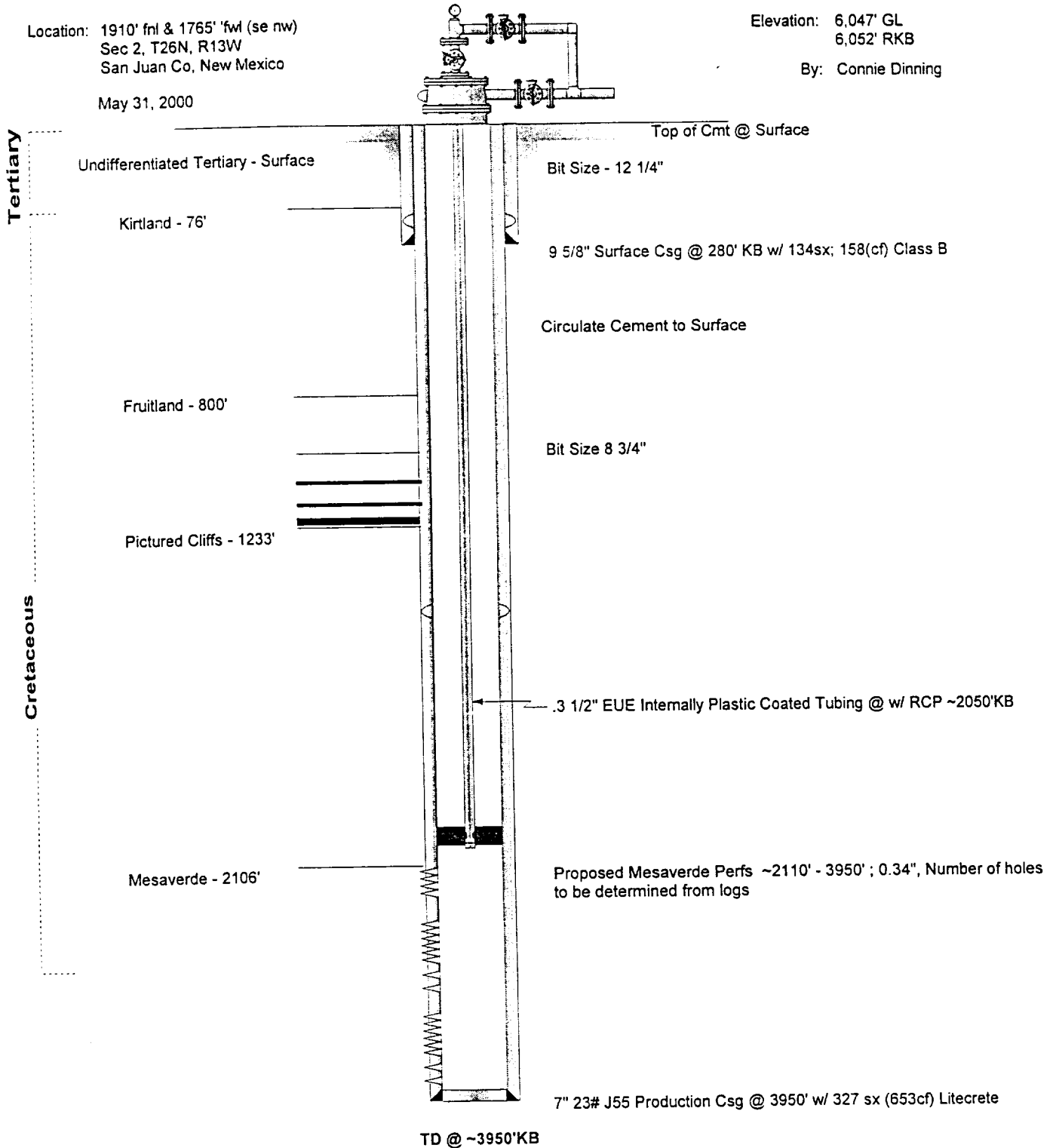
Proposed Wellbore Configuration

Location: 1910' fml & 1765' 'fwl (se nw)  
Sec 2, T26N, R13W  
San Juan Co, New Mexico

May 31, 2000

Elevation: 6,047' GL  
6,052' RKB

By: Connie Dinning



APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT, SECTION VI

Flush No. 1, New Drill, Salt Water Disposal Well		
Wells Within Area of Notification		
<i>The three well listed below are within a one half mile radius of the subject well.</i>		
<i>Copies of this permit application will be sent to these operators.</i>		
<i>These three wells do not penetrate the proposed injection formation.</i>		
Well Name	Operator	TD
Bartlesville No. 1	J.K Edwards	1350'
Shank Com No. 1	Merrion Oil & Gas	1385'
Kingfish Com No. 1	Dugan Production	1420'
<i>Note: This well is permitted, but has not been drilled to date.</i>		

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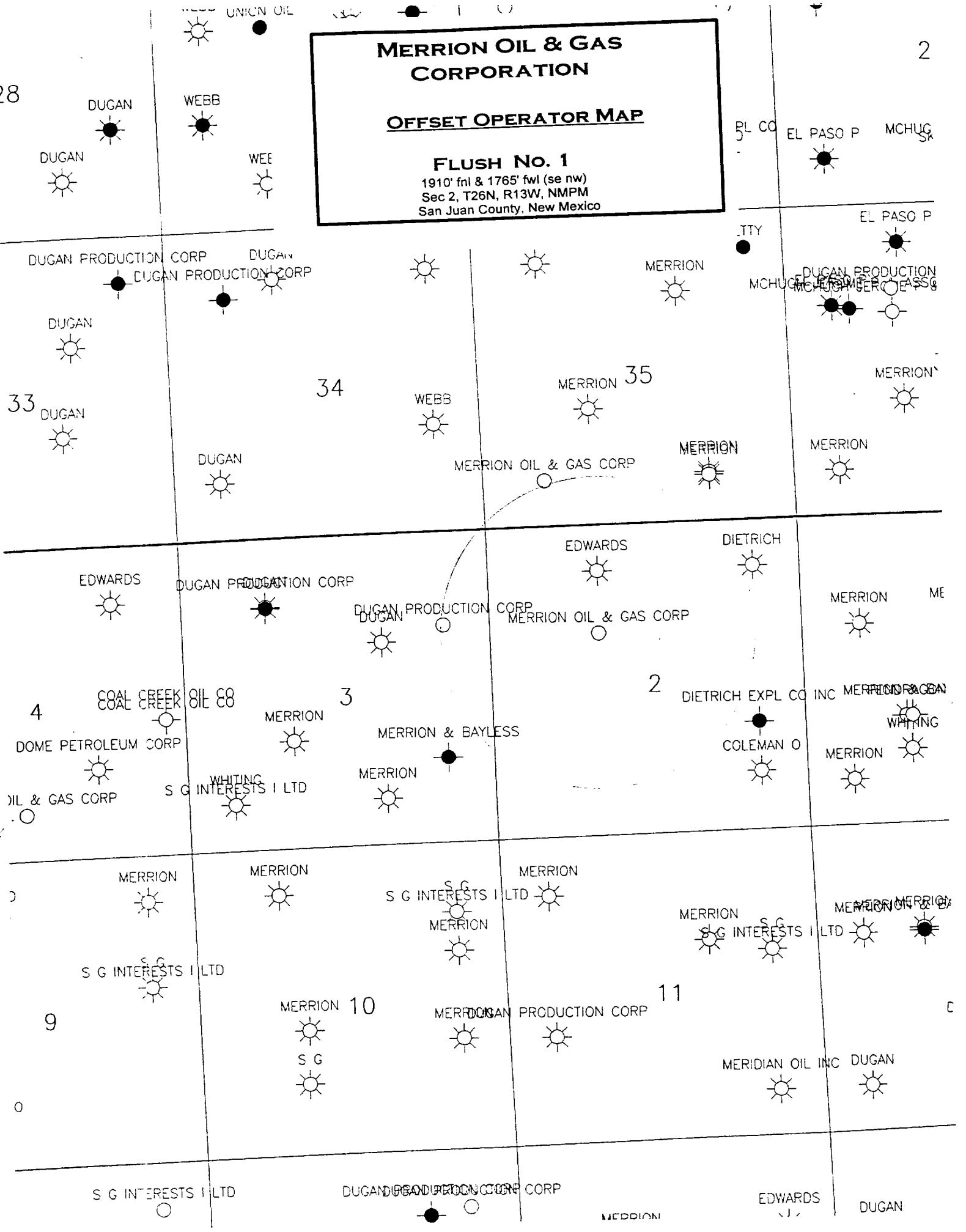
**OFFSET OPERATOR MAP**

**FLUSH No. 1**

1910' fwi & 1765' fwi (se nw)  
Sec 2, T26N, R13W, NMPM  
San Juan County, New Mexico

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<b>Flush No. 1, New Drill, Salt Water Disposal Well</b>					
<b>Wells Within Area of Review</b>					
<b>Well Data</b>					
There are no wells within the area of review which penetrate the subject formation.					

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**FLUSH No. 1**

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<b>Flush #1, New Drill, Salt Water Disposal Well</b>			
<b>VII. Operational Data</b>			
1)	<b>Ave Rate:</b> 2.75 - 3 BPM	<b>Daily Rate:</b>	4000 bpd (max)
2)	<b>Open System</b>		
3)	<b>Ave. Pressure:</b> 1800 psi	<b>Max Pressure:</b>	2000 psi
4)	<b>Injection water is produced from Fruitland Coal (Analysis attached)</b>		
5)	<b>Formation water salinity, gathered from Burlington Resources Study of Rw values. In this area the Mesaverde Rw is 0.2 ohms. This translates to about 25,000 ppm TDS.</b>		
<b>VIII. Geological Data</b>			
	<b>Injection Zone:</b>	Mesaverde	
	<b>Thickness:</b>	approx. = 1800'	
	<b>Top:</b>	+/- 2106' KB	
<b>IX. Stimulation Program</b>			
	The well will be fractured with slick water and about 100,000# of 20/40 sand to improve conductivity. (completion procedure/stimulation will be designed after drilling)		
<b>X. Logging and Test Data</b>			
	All offset logs are on file with the OCD office in Aztec		
	Gamma Ray, Porosity and Induction logs will be run to locate the injection zone.		
<b>XI. Fresh Water Analysis</b>			
	There are no known water zones <10,000 ppm in the area of review except the formation from which the water is produced.		
<b>XII. EGINEERING AND GEOLOGY REVIEW TO PROTECT FRESH WATER</b>			
According to engineering and geological review, there are no known formations in the area of review below the Mesaverde which contain water with < 10,000 ppm TDS. The Fruitland Coal produces water that has a TDS of about 20000 ppm. It is 1000' above the Mesaverde, and it is a producing gas zone. There is no reason to believe the injected water would migrate back up to the coal zone however if it did, it would be returning to its point of origin. According to logs in the area, the Rw of the Mesaverde is about 0.2 ohms, this translates to almost 25,000 ppm TDS. There are no domestic water wells in the area of review, according to the local State Engineer's Office.			

# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

Ad No. 42814

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## STATE OF NEW MEXICO County of San Juan:

ALETHIA ROTH LISBERGER, being duly sworn says: That she is the Classified Manager of THE DAILY TIMES, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in English at Farmington, said county and state, and that the hereto attached Legal Notice was published in a regular and entire issue of the said DAILY TIMES, a daily newspaper duly qualified for the purpose within the meeting of Chapter 167 of the 1937 Session Laws of the State of New Mexico for publication on the following day(s):

Sunday, May 21, 2000

And the cost of the publication is: \$22.72

Alethia Rothlisberger

ON 6/15/2000 ALETHIA ROTH LISBERGER appeared before me, whom I know personally to be the person who signed the above document.

Danney L. Stader  
My Commission Expires April 10, 2004

### 918 Legals PUBLIC NOTICE

Merrion Oil & Gas  
610 Reilly Avenue  
Farmington, NM 87401  
Attention: Connie Dinning

Merrion Oil & Gas proposes to drill a new water injection well to dispose of produced water from the Fruitland Coal formation.

Injection Well Location: 1910' fml & 1770' fwl, Section 2, T26N, R13W, San Juan County, New Mexico

Injection Formation:  
Mesaverde  
Depth of Injection Zone:  
3815'  
Maximum Pressure:  
1000 psi.  
Maximum Rate:  
2000 bpd

Interested parties must file objections or request for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, 2040 S. Pacheco St., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 within 15 days of this notice.

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