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**NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
 - Geological & Engineering Bureau -  
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505

**ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND  
 REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

**Applicant:** Mewbourne Oil Company**OGRID Number:** 14744**Well Name:** Delaware Ranch 12 WINC Fed Com #2H**API:** 30-015-49908**Pool:** Purple Sage Wolfcamp (Gas)**Pool Code:** 98220

**SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION  
 INDICATED BELOW**

**1) TYPE OF APPLICATION:** Check those which apply for [A]

A. Location – Spacing Unit – Simultaneous Dedication

☒ NSL☐ NSP (PROJECT AREA)☐ NSP (PRORATION UNIT)☐ SD

B. Check one only for [ I ] or [ II ]

[ I ] Commingling – Storage – Measurement

☐ DHC☐ CTB☐ PLC☐ PC☐ OLS☐ OLM

[ II ] Injection – Disposal – Pressure Increase – Enhanced Oil Recovery

☐ WFX☐ PMX☐ SWD☐ IPI☐ EOR☐ PPR**2) NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** Check those which apply.A. ☒ Offset operators or lease holdersB. ☐ Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue ownersC. ☐ Application requires published noticeD. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by SLOE. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by BLMF. ☐ Surface ownerG. ☒ For all of the above, proof of notification or publication is attached, and/or,H. ☐ No notice required**FOR OCD ONLY**☐

Notice Complete

☐Application  
Content  
Complete

- 3) CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

**Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.**

Mitch Robb

Print or Type Name

Signature

03/13/2023

Date

432-682-3715

Phone Number

mrobb@mewbourne.com

e-mail Address

**MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY**

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Midland, Texas 79701  
Phone (432) 682-3715

March 13, 2023

Via Certified Mail

New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
1220 S. St. Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505  
Attn: Mr. Leonard Lowe  
OCD Engineer

Re: Application for Unorthodox Well Location  
Delaware Ranch 12 W1NC Fed Com #2H (API #30-015-49908)  
Surface Location: 330 FSL & 1110 FWL (Unit N) (Sec. 12)  
Proposed First Perf: 100 FSL & 2315 FWL (Unit N) (Sec. 12) - **unorthodox**  
Bottomhole Location: 330 FNL & 2315 FWL (Unit C) (Sec. 12)  
Proposed Last Perf: 330 FNL & 2315 FWL (Unit C) (Sec. 12)

Section 12 - T26S- R28E, NMPM  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Lowe:

Pursuant to Division Rule 19.15.15.13, Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne") respectfully requests administrative approval of an unorthodox gas well location for the above captioned Delaware Ranch 12 W1NC Fed Com #2H well. This well will be drilled as a horizontal gas well in the Purple Sage Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool (98220).

The above well will be dedicated to a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit comprising the W/2 of Section 12.

The Purple Sage Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool is currently governed by Special Pool Rules, Hearing Order No. R-14262 which requires standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration units with wells to be located no closer than 330 feet to the outer boundary of the spacing unit, nor closer than 10 feet to any interior quarter-quarter section line or subdivision inner boundary, or in the case of a horizontal well, no closer than 330 feet to the outer boundary of the producing area.

The unorthodox location is necessary in order to maximize the recovery of oil and gas reserves from the Wolfcamp formation underlying the W/2 of Section 12.

The affected offset acreage comprises the NW/4 of Section 13, T26S- R28E NMPM (See Attached Map), which is operated by Mewbourne Oil Company.

Attached is a Form C-102 showing the surface, first take point, and bottomhole locations for the above captioned wells. Also, attached is a map showing the affected offset acreage, a horizontal well plan, and notice list.

In summary, approval of the application will provide Mewbourne Oil Company the opportunity to recover additional oil and gas reserves from the Purple Sage Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool underlying Sections 12 that may otherwise not be recovered, thereby preventing waste, and will not violate correlative rights.

Should you have any questions regarding the above, please email me at [mrobb@mewbourne.com](mailto:mrobb@mewbourne.com) or call me at (432) 682-3715.

Sincerely,

**MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY**

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. Robb', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mitch Robb  
Landman

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State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
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Form C-102  
Revised August 1, 2011  
Submit one copy to appropriate  
District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

## WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

1 API Number		2 Pool Code		3 Pool Name	
4 Property Code		5 Property Name <b>DELAWARE RANCH 12 W1NC FED COM</b>			6 Well Number <b>2H</b>
7 OGRID NO.		8 Operator Name <b>MEWBORNE OIL COMPANY</b>			9 Elevation <b>2947'</b>

<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

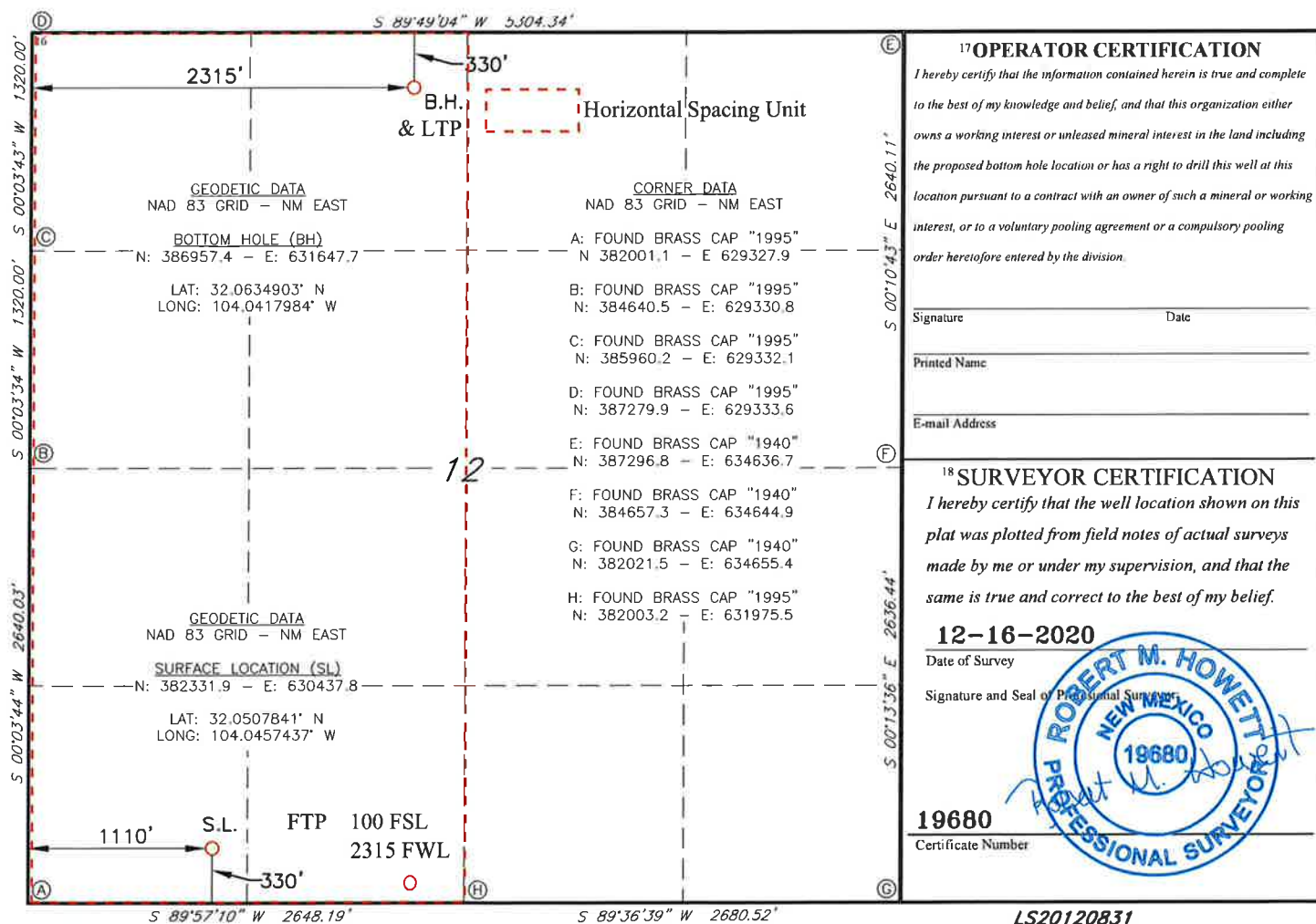
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet From the	East/West line	County
<b>M</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>26S</b>	<b>28E</b>		<b>330</b>	<b>SOUTH</b>	<b>1110</b>	<b>WEST</b>	<b>EDDY</b>

<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
<b>C</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>26S</b>	<b>28E</b>		<b>330</b>	<b>NORTH</b>	<b>2315</b>	<b>WEST</b>	<b>EDDY</b>

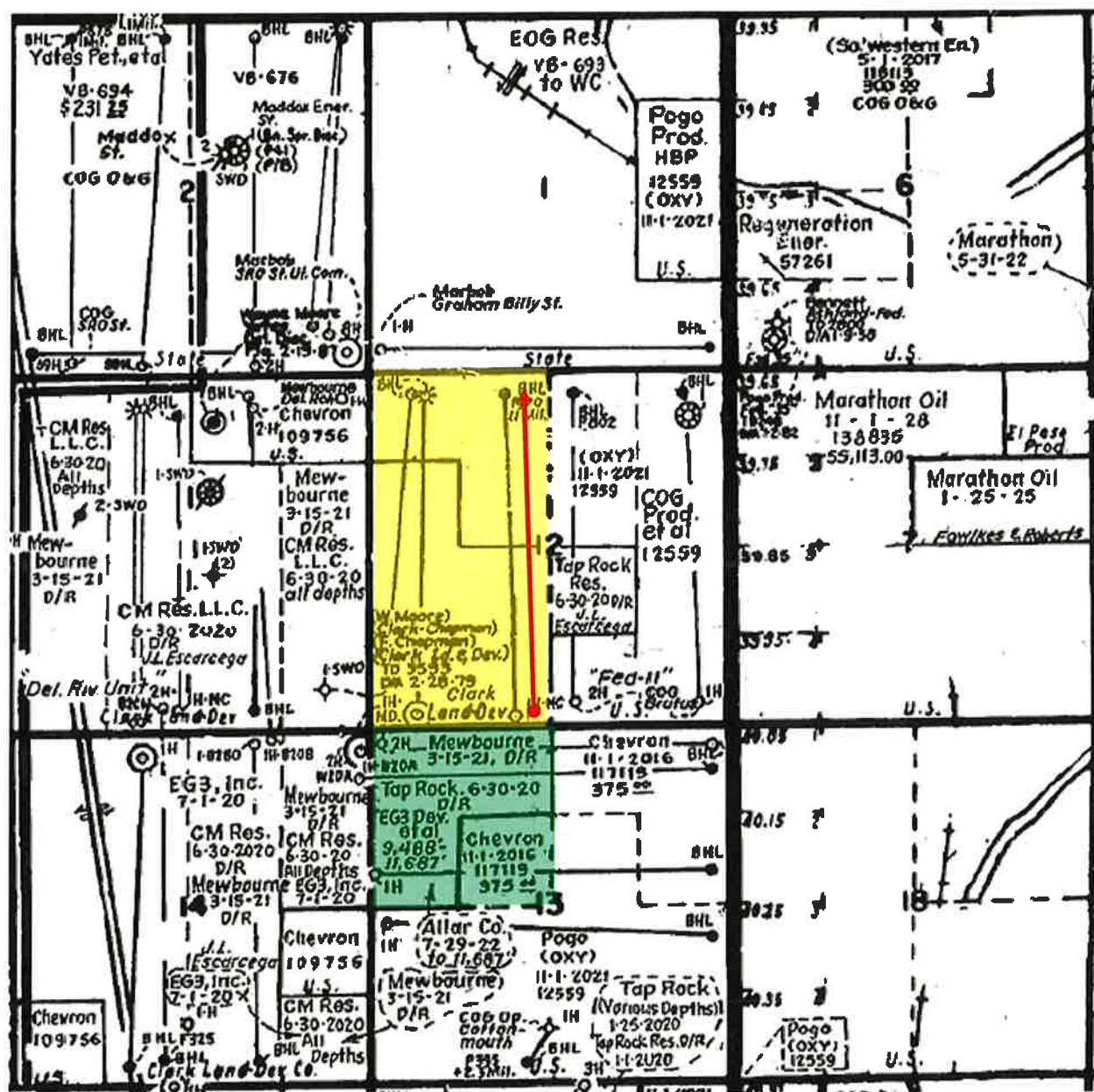
12 Dedicated Acres	13 Joint or Infill	14 Consolidation Code	15 Order No.
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No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interest have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.





## Offset Plat



Horizontal Spacing Unit

Offset Owner – Mewbourne Oil Company (Operator)

→ Wellbore

## List of Affected Parties

<b>Operator &amp; Affected Party</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Date Letter Sent</b>	<b>Tracking Number</b>
Mewbourne Oil Company 500 West Texas Avenue, Suite 1020 Midland, TX 79701	NW Sec. 13 T26S R28E		All owners in NW of Sec. 13 have designated Mewbourne as Operator of the Wolfcamp Formation

**From:** [Mitch Robb](#)  
**To:** [Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD](#)  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: [EXT] NSL - Delaware Ranch 12 W1NC Fed Com Well No. 2H - Eastern Edge Public Notice  
**Date:** Monday, April 10, 2023 1:01:36 PM

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Oh, sorry. I use the BHL to calculate the FTP, but the BHL will need to be changed to 2310 FWL, which will adjust our FTP to 100 FSL and 2310 FWL.

**Mitch Robb**

Landman  
Mewbourne Oil Company  
Office: (432) 682-3715  
Cell: (918) 200-4242  
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**From:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <Leonard.Lowe@emnrd.nm.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 10, 2023 1:58 PM  
**To:** Mitch Robb <mrobb@mewbourne.com>  
**Subject:** RE: [EXTERNAL] Re: [EXT] NSL - Delaware Ranch 12 W1NC Fed Com Well No. 2H - Eastern Edge Public Notice

Mr. Mitch Robb,

My inquiry pertained to the FTP and the LTP, not the BHL.

**Leonard R. Lowe**

Engineering Bureau  
OCD - EMNRD  
8801 Horizon Blvd NE  
Albuquerque, N.M. 87113  
CELL NUMBER: 505-930-6717  
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**From:** Mitch Robb <mrobb@mewbourne.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 10, 2023 12:53 PM  
**To:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <Leonard.Lowe@emnrd.nm.gov>  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Re: [EXT] NSL - Delaware Ranch 12 W1NC Fed Com Well No. 2H - Eastern Edge Public Notice

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Leonard,

This one is a typo on our permit, where the BHL should have been 2310 feet from the western edge.

Will an email suffice on this one or will you need revised Exhibits? We will be filing to amend the permits as well.

Just let me know the best way to tackle this and I'll get on it.

Thanks,

**Mitch Robb**

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**From:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <[Leonard.Lowe@emnrd.nm.gov](mailto:Leonard.Lowe@emnrd.nm.gov)>

**Sent:** Monday, April 10, 2023 11:13 AM

**To:** Mitch Robb <[mrobb@mewbourne.com](mailto:mrobb@mewbourne.com)>

**Subject:** [EXT] NSL - Delaware Ranch 12 W1NC Fed Com Well No. 2H - Eastern Edge Public Notice

Mitch Robb,

The NSL application for the about subject well shows that the FTP and the LTP is 2315 feet from the western edge. Which places the take points 325 feet towards the eastern edge. Less than 330 feet to be orthodox. This application cannot be approved unless all the Affected Persons were notified by the Operator of the unorthodox location.

OCD will need to reject this NSL application until all affected parties are given proper notice.

**Leonard R. Lowe**

Engineering Bureau

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CONDITIONS

Action 197303

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Operator: MEWBOURNE OIL CO P.O. Box 5270 Hobbs, NM 88241	OGRID: 14744
	Action Number: 197303
	Action Type: [UF-NSL] Non-Standard Location (NSL)

CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
llowe	None	3/16/2023