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Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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ADMINISTRATIVE NON-STANDARD LOCATION

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Administrative Order NSL – 9281

**Chevron U.S.A., Inc. [OGRID 4323]
CO 3 34 Federal Well No. 631H
API No. 30-025-54207**

Reference is made to your application received on February 17th, 2026.

Proposed Location

	<u>Footages</u>	<u>Unit/Lot</u>	<u>Sec.</u>	<u>Twsp</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>County</u>
Surface	784 FNL & 1614 FWL	C	10	25S	32E	Lea
First Take Point	25 FSL & 2530 FWL	N	03	25S	32E	Lea
Last Take Point	100 FNL & 2530 FWL	C	34	24S	32E	Lea
Terminus	25 FNL & 2530 FWL	C	34	24S	32E	Lea

Proposed Horizontal Spacing Unit

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
W/2 Section 03, T25S, R32E W/2 Section 34, T24S, R32E	642.85	Wildcat; Upper Wolfcamp	98270

You have requested to drill this horizontal well at an unorthodox well location described above in the referenced pool or formation. 19.15.16.15(B)(1)(a) NMAC governs this proposed well and provides that the operator dedicate a horizontal well at a standard horizontal spacing unit that comprises of one or more contiguous tracts that the horizontal well's completed interval penetrates, each of which consists of a governmental quarter - quarter section or equivalent.

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19.15.16.15(C)(1)(a) NMAC governs the distance in the horizontal plane from any point in the completed interval to any outer boundary of the horizontal spacing unit, measured along a line perpendicular to the completed interval or to the tangent thereof, shall be a minimum of 330 feet for an **oil** well. 19.15.16.15(C)(1)(b) NMAC governs the first and last take point of a horizontal well shall be no closer than 100 feet for a well within the horizontal plane, to any outer boundary of the horizontal spacing unit.

The request to deviate from an orthodox location has met all requirements of 19.15.16.15 (C)(5)(a) NMAC. It is understood that you are seeking this exception in order to create a non-standard location, comprised of Take Points referenced above, within the described Horizontal Spacing Unit.

This well’s completed interval is as close as 25 feet to the southern edge and 110 feet to the eastern edge of the horizontal spacing unit. Encroachment will impact the following tracts.

- Section 10, T25S, R32E encroachment to the NW/4
- Section 03, T25S, R32E, encroachment to the W/2 E/2
- Section 34, T24S, R32E, encroachment to the W/2 E/2

The Division understands you have given notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in 19.15.2.7(A)(8) NMAC, in all adjoining units towards which the proposed location encroaches.

The Division understands you are seeking this unorthodox location to allow for efficient development of acreage within the Wolfcamp formation underlying the W/2 of Section 03, T25S, R32E and the W/2 Section 34, T24S, R32E.

Your application has been filed under 19.15.16.15(C)(6) NMAC, 19.15.15.13 NMAC and 19.15.4.12 (A)(2) NMAC.

Per 19.15.15.13 (B) NMAC, **Division approves this unorthodox location.**

Reference this NSL order number on the As Drilled C-102 submitted with the Authorization to Transport, to place this well into production.

The above approvals are subject to your following all other applicable Division rules.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of further orders as the Division deems necessary.



Albert C.S. Chang
Division Director
AC/lrl

Date: 04/10/2026

ID NO. 554833

NSL - 9281

Revised March 23, 2017

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 - 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: Chevron U.S.A. Inc. **OGRID Number:** 4323
Well Name: CO 3 34 Federal 631H **API:** 30-025-54207
Pool: WC-025 G-08 S253216D; UPR Wolfcamp **Pool Code:** 98270

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 holders
 B. Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue owners
 C. Application requires published notice
 D. Notification and/or concurrent approval by SLO
 E. Notification and/or concurrent approval by BLM
 F. Surface owner
 G. For all of the above, proof of notification or publication is attached, and/or,
 H. No notice required

FOR OCD ONLY	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Notice Complete
<input type="checkbox"/>	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.

Deana M. Bennett

Print or Type Name

Signature

February 13, 2026

Date

505-848-1834

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February 13, 2026

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Director Albert Chang
And
OCD Engineering Bureau
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Department of Energy,
Minerals and Natural Resources
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
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RE: Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its CO 3 34 Federal 631H well located in a 642.85-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Director Chang /OCD Engineering Bureau:

Pursuant to Division rules 19.15.16.15(C)(6) and 19.15.15.13 NMAC, Chevron U.S.A. Inc. (“Chevron”) (OGRID No. 4323) seeks administrative approval of an unorthodox well location (“NSL”) for its CO 3 34 Federal 631H well (API No. 30-025-54207) (the “Well”) located in a 642.85-acre, more or less, standard¹ horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico, and will be in the WC-025 G-08 S253216D; UPR Wolfcamp pool (Pool Code 98270). A C-102 for the Well is attached as Exhibit A.

Chevron is requesting this NSL to allow for full and efficient development of this acreage.

The horizontal spacing unit to which the Well will be dedicated is described as:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
W/2 Section 34, T24S, R32E, and W/2 Section 3, T25S, R32E	642.85	WC-025 G-08 S253216D	98270

The WC-025 G-08 S253216D; UPR Wolfcamp Pool is an oil pool subject to the state-wide rules, which establish a 100’ setback requirement for the first and last take points of a well to the outer boundary of the spacing unit. The Well’s **first take point** will be closer than 100’ from the outer boundary of the spacing unit and the Well’s completed lateral will be closer than 330’ from the outer boundary of the spacing unit, which requires an NSL approval. As shown on Exhibit A, this is a horizontal well that will be drilled as follows:

¹ The 642.85-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit in which the Well will be located is standard because there is a proximity tract well within the unit, which is the CO Panther 3 34 Fed P604 605H well (API 30-025-53502), with a completed lateral closer than 330’ from the quarter quarter section lines in the W/2 of Sections 34 and 3.

- Surface Hole Location: 784' FNL & 1614' FWL (Unit C) of Section 10-T25S-R32E;
- Bottom Hole Location: 25' FNL & 2530' FWL (Unit C) of Section 34-T24S-R32E;
- First Take Point: 25' FSL & 2530' FWL (Unit N) of Section 3-T25S-R32E;
- Last Take Point: 100' FNL & 2530' FWL (Unit C) of Section 34-T24S-R32E.

Chevron has provided a map of the area, attached as Exhibit B, which shows the tracts upon which the unorthodox location will encroach.

As discussed above, the Well's **first take point** will be closer than 100' from the outer boundary of the spacing unit. *See* Exhibit A (C-102). The unorthodox location will encroach towards the NW/4 of Section 10, Township 25 South, Range 32 East. In addition, the Well's completed lateral will be closer than 330' from the outer boundary and will encroach towards the E/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East and E/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East.

Chevron is the operator and owns 100% of the working interest in the NW/4 of Section 10, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, the E/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, and the E/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East. To the extent applicable, Chevron also is the operator and owns 100% of the working interest in the NE/4 of Section 10, Township 25 South, Range 32 East. Pursuant to Rule 19.15.4.12(A)(2) and Rule 19.15.2.7(A)(3), Chevron is thus only providing notice to the Bureau of Land Management. Proof of mailing along with a copy of the letter sent to the Bureau of Land Management are included in Exhibit C. Chevron's landman has provided a letter confirming the ownership in the offsetting tracts, which is included in Exhibit D. Chevron has included as Exhibit E a letter explaining why this application is needed.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Deana M. Bennett

Attorney for Chevron U.S.A. Inc.

C-102 Submit Electronically Via OCD Permitting	State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	Revised July 9, 2024
		Submittal Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial Submittal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amended Report <input type="checkbox"/> As Drilled

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

API Number 30-025-54207	Pool Code 98270	Pool Name WC-025 G-08 S253216D; UPPER WOLFCAMP
Property Code 336509	Property Name CO 3 34 FEDERAL	Well Number 631H
OGRID No. 4323	Operator Name CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.	Ground Level Elevation 3467'
Surface Owner: <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Fee <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal		Mineral Owner: <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Fee <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal

Surface Location

UL	Section	Township	Range	Lot	Ft. from North	Ft. from West	Latitude	Longitude	County
C	10	25S	32E	N/A	784	1614	32.150075° N	103.666231° W	LEA

Bottom Hole Location

UL	Section	Township	Range	Lot	Ft. from North	Ft. from West	Latitude	Longitude	County
C	34	24S	32E	N/A	25	2530	32.181223° N	103.662881° W	LEA

Dedicated Acres 642.85	Infill or Defining Well INFILL	Defining Well API	Overlapping Spacing Unit (Y/N) NO	Consolidation Code N/A
Order Numbers. N/A		Well setbacks are under Common Ownership: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		

Kick Off Point (KOP)

UL	Section	Township	Range	Lot	Ft. from North	Ft. from West	Latitude	Longitude	County
C	10	25S	32E	N/A	572	2530	32.150655° N	103.663272° W	LEA

First Take Point (FTP)

UL	Section	Township	Range	Lot	Ft. from South	Ft. from West	Latitude	Longitude	County
N	3	25S	32E	N/A	25	2530	32.152296° N	103.663275° W	LEA

Last Take Point (LTP)

UL	Section	Township	Range	Lot	Ft. from North	Ft. from West	Latitude	Longitude	County
C	34	24S	32E	N/A	100	2530	32.181017° N	103.662881° W	LEA

Unitized Area or Area of Uniform Interest N/A	Spacing Unit Type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Horizontal <input type="checkbox"/> Vertical	Ground Floor Elevation: 3467'
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<p>OPERATOR CERTIFICATIONS</p> <p>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and, if the well is a vertical or directional well, that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of a working interest or unleased mineral interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.</p> <p>If this well is a horizontal well, I further certify that this organization has received the consent of at least one lessee or owner of a working interest or unleased mineral interest in each tract (in the target pool or formation) in which any part of the well's completed interval will be located or obtained a compulsory pooling order from the division.</p>	<p>SURVEYOR CERTIFICATIONS</p> <p>I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p><i>Chad Harcrow</i></p> </div>
Signature _____ Date _____	Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor CHAD HARCROW
Printed Name _____	Certificate Number 17777 Date of Survey _____
Email Address _____	Surveyed date of 06/24/23 obtained from initial submittal C102.



Note: No allowable will be assigned if the well is a horizontal well and the well has been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.

ACREAGE DEDICATION PLATS

This grid represents a standard section. You may superimpose a non-standard section, or larger area, over this grid. Operators must outline the dedicated acreage in a red box, clearly show the well surface location and bottom hole location, if it is directionally drilled, with the dimensions from the section lines in the cardinal directions. If this is a horizontal wellbore show on this plat the location of the First Take Point and Last Take Point, and the point within the Completed interval (other than the First Take Point or Last Take Point) that is closest to any outer boundary of the tract.

Surveyors shall use the latest United States government survey or dependent resurvey. Well locations will be in reference to the New Mexico Principal Meridian. If the land is not surveyed, contact the OCD Engineering Bureau. Independent subdivision surveys will not be acceptable.

CO 3 34 FEDERAL NO. 631H WELL
 X=706,610.35
 Y=418,913.96
 LAT.32.149950°N
 LONG.103.665755°W

PROPOSED KICK OFF POINT
 X=707,524.97
 Y=419,130.65
 LAT.32.150530°N
 LONG.103.662795°W

PROPOSED FIRST TAKE POINT
 X=707,520.39
 Y=419,727.64
 LAT.32.152172°N
 LONG.103.662798°W

PROPOSED MID POINT
 X=707,611.44
 Y=424,997.33
 LAT.32.166656°N
 LONG.103.662398°W

PROPOSED LAST TAKE POINT
 X=707,577.62
 Y=430,176.49
 LAT.32.180893°N
 LONG.103.662403°W

PROPOSED BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION
 X=707,577.11
 Y=430,251.49
 LAT.32.181099°N
 LONG.103.662403°W

CO 3 34 FEDERAL NO. 631H WELL
 X=747,795.69
 Y=418,972.17
 LAT.32.150075°N
 LONG.103.666231°W

PROPOSED KICK OFF POINT
 X=748,710.31
 Y=419,188.86
 LAT.32.150655°N
 LONG.103.663272°W

PROPOSED FIRST TAKE POINT
 X=748,705.70
 Y=419,785.86
 LAT.32.152296°N
 LONG.103.663275°W

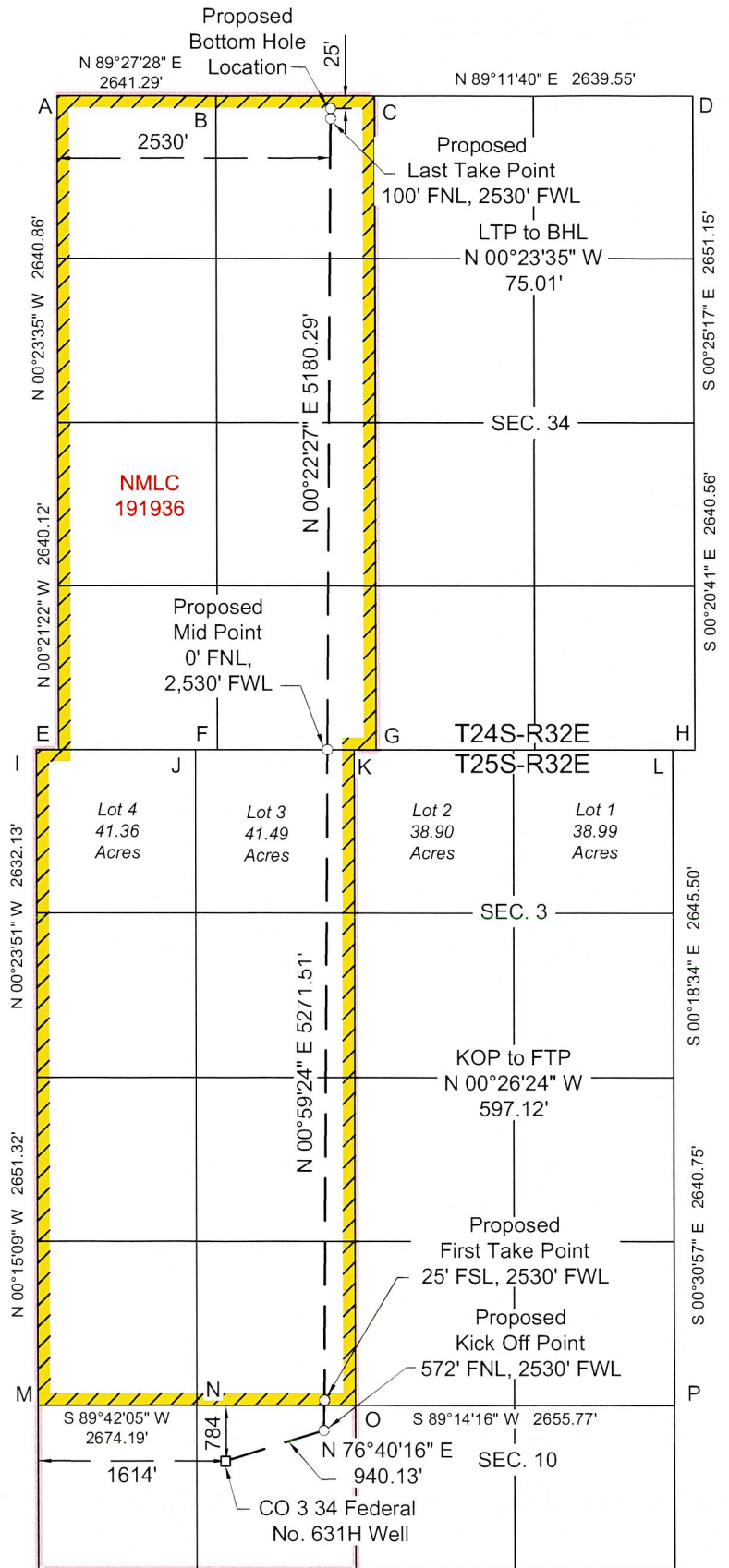
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 LONG.103.662875°W

PROPOSED LAST TAKE POINT
 X=748,762.49
 Y=430,234.97
 LAT.32.181017°N
 LONG.103.662881°W

PROPOSED BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION
 X=748,761.97
 Y=430,309.97
 LAT.32.181223°N
 LONG.103.662881°W

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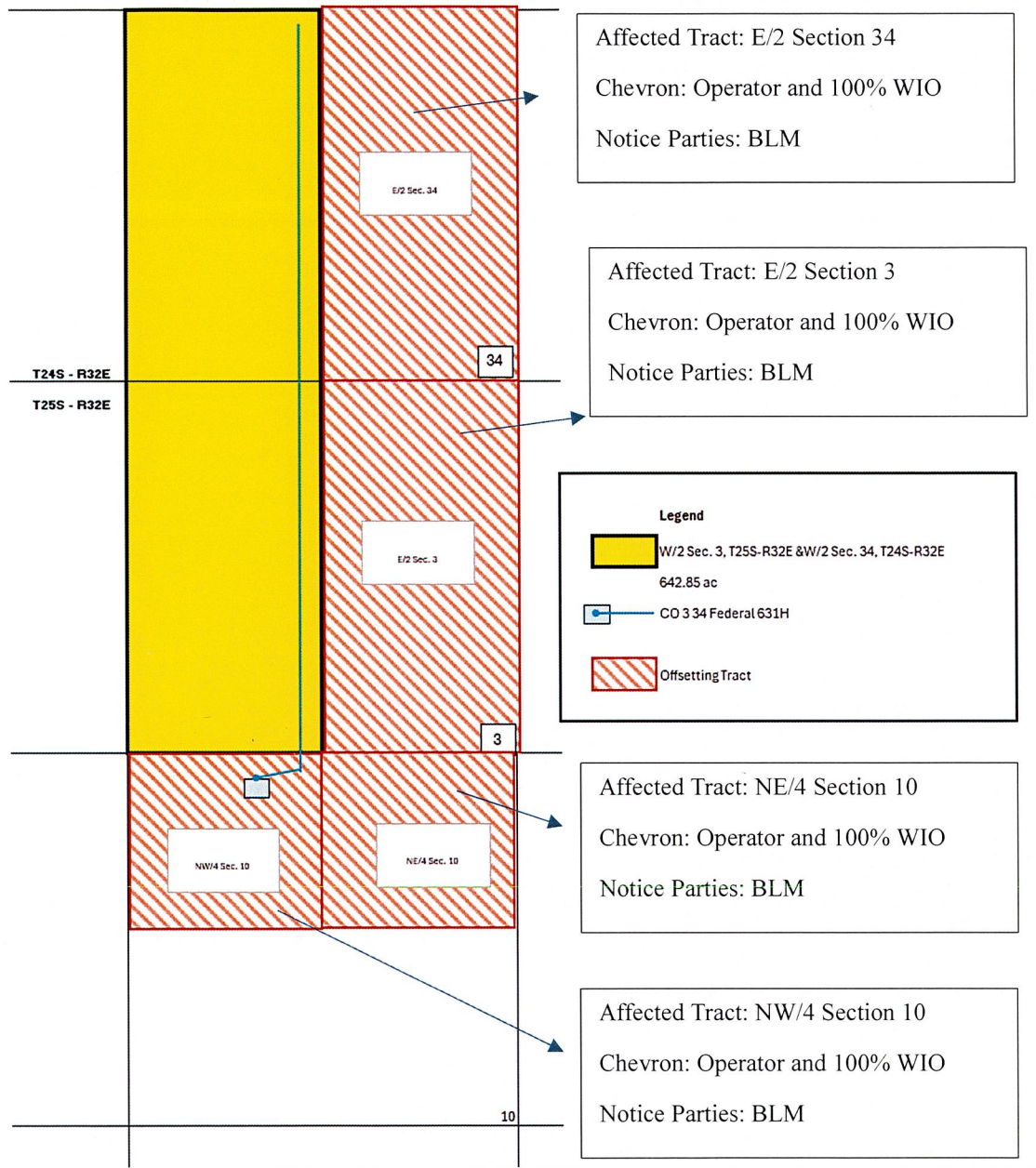
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- D - X=710326.46, Y=430314.64 IP w/ CAP "1916"
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- G - X=707721.70, Y=424998.40 IP w/ CAP "1916"
- H - X=710361.83, Y=425024.09 IP w/ CAP "1916"
- I - X=704960.59, Y=424971.78 IP w/ CAP "1916"
- J - X=706290.60, Y=424984.85
- K - X=707620.61, Y=424997.91
- L - X=710281.12, Y=425023.77 IP w/ CAP "1916"
- M - X=704990.53, Y=419689.45 IP w/ CAP "1939"
- N - X=706327.35, Y=419696.42
- O - X=707664.16, Y=419703.39 IP w/ CAP "1939"
- P - X=710319.17, Y=419738.70 IP w/ CAP "1939"



Offset Operators and WI Owners

NSL Well: CO 3 10 FEDERAL 631H (30-025-54207)

Pool Code: [98270]WC-025 G-08 S253216D; UPPER WOLFCAMP



Offsetting Tract 1 in Township 24 South, Range 32 East:

E/2 Section 34:

Operator/Working Interest Owner:	Chevron U.S.A. Inc. (100% WI)
Federal/State Mineral Interest Owner:	Bureau of Land Management

Offsetting Tract 2 in Township 25 South, Range 32 East:

E/2 Section 15:

Operator/Working Interest Owner:	Chevron U.S.A. Inc. (100% WI)
Federal/State Mineral Interest Owner:	Bureau of Land Management



Offsetting Tract 3 in Township 25 South, Range 32 East:

NW/4 Section 10:

Operator/Working Interest Owner:	Chevron U.S.A. Inc. (100% WI)
Federal/State Mineral Interest Owner:	Bureau of Land Management

Offsetting Tract 4 in Township 25 South, Range 32 East:

NE/4 Section 10:

Operator/Working Interest Owner:	Chevron U.S.A. Inc. (100% WI)
Federal/State Mineral Interest Owner:	Bureau of Land Management



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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

TO AFFECTED PARTIES

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RE: Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its CO 3 34 Federal 627H well located in a 642.85-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico

Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its CO 3 34 Federal 629H well located in a 642.85-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico

Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its CO 3 34 Federal 631H well located in a 642.85-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is a copy of the above referenced applications filed with the New Mexico Conservation Division on this date. Any objections that you have to these applications must be filed in writing with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within twenty (20) days from the date the Division receives the above-referenced applications. If no objection is received within this twenty-day period, the applications may be approved administratively by the Division.

Sincerely,

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Nicholas Angelle
Land Representative

February 13, 2026

VIA EMAIL

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Re: Non-Standard Location Application
CO 3 34 FEDERAL 627H
Lea County, New Mexico

Non-Standard Location Application
CO 3 10 FEDERAL 629H
Lea County, New Mexico

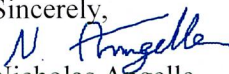
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Dear OCD Engineering Bureau:

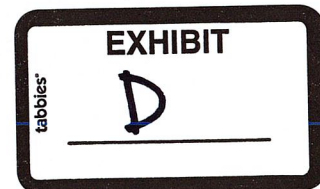
I am a landman for Chevron U.S.A. Inc. ("Chevron"). Chevron has requested administrative approval of non-standard locations ("NSL") for the CO 3 34 FEDERAL 627H; CO 3 34 FEDERAL 629H; and CO 3 34 FEDERAL 631H wells (the "Wells"). As noted in the NSL application materials for these Wells, the Wells unorthodox location for the first take point will encroach towards the NW/4 of Section 10, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, and the unorthodox location for the completed lateral of CO 3 34 Federal 631H will encroach towards the E/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East and E/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East.

As a landman for Chevron, I have knowledge of the ownership of the NW/4 of Section 10, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, the E/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, and the E/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East. I confirm that Chevron is the operator and owns 100% of the working interest in the NW/4 of Section 10, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, which are the tracts upon which the Wells will encroach. I confirm that Chevron is the operator and owns 100% of the working interest in the E/2 of Section 3, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, and the E/2 of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, which are the tracts upon which the completed lateral of the 631H well will encroach. To the extent applicable, Chevron also is the operator and owns 100% of the working interest in the NE/4 of Section 10, Township 25 South, Range 32 East.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Angelle
Land Representative

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Reservoir Engineer

February 13, 2026

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Re: Non-Standard Location Application
CO 3 34 FEDERAL 631H
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Director /OCD Engineering Bureau:

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. ("Chevron"), OGRID No. 4323, respectfully requests administrative approval of a non-standard location ("NSL") for the following wells (the "Well"):

- CO 3 34 FEDERAL 631H (API No. 30-025-54207)

The Well will be completed within the WC-025 G-08 S253216D; Upper Wolfcamp (Pool Code: 98270).

Chevron is requesting non-standard location approval for the Well because the first take point will be less than 100', and the completed interval will be less than 330', from the outer boundary of the horizontal spacing unit. Allowing Chevron to complete the well at this non-standard location will result in the greatest recovery of reserves from the unit and will reduce waste.

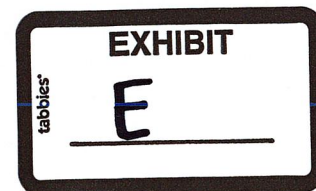
Thank you for your consideration. Should you have any questions. please contact me at michaelchen@chevron.com or (661) 859-8991.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Michael Chen
Reservoir Engineer

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[Application - Chevron CO 3 34 Fed 629H NSL Application \(W5566733x7A92D\).PDF](#)

Thanks again for agreeing to accept the applications via email today. Attached are three applications. I have three more to email you that I will send you in a moment.

Thanks much!

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D.B.,

If you're going to mail the Affected parties today, send me the applications via e-mail. OCD will use today's date to start the 20 day Public Notice (PN).

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Hi Leonard,

I hope your Friday is going well. I had a question for you. I was about to file some NSL applications

for Chevron but somehow my credentials got changed and I can't file on their behalf for the moment. I have emailed Chevron but I am not sure if I will hear back from them today. Is it possible for me to email them to you today (since they are all ready to go and ready to be mailed and all dated for today) and then I could file them on Tuesday, recognizing that the filing date would be after the mailing date? Or would it just be better for me to redate everything and just wait and file and mail on Tuesday?

Thanks,

Deana



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