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ADMINISTRATIVE NON-STANDARD LOCATION

Administrative Order NSL – 9428

Chevron U.S.A., Inc. [OGRID 4323]
ZN 33 21 Federal Com Well No. 402H
API No. 30-025-54893

Reference is made to your application received on July 23rd, 2026.

Proposed Location

	Footages	Unit/Lot	Sec.	Twsp	Range	County
Surface	1761 FSL & 2227 FWL	K	33	23S	34E	Lea
First Take Point	2615 FNL & 1430 FWL	F	33	23S	34E	Lea
Last Take Point	2539 FSL & 1430 FWL	L	21	23S	34E	Lea
Terminus	2614 FSL & 1430 FWL	K	21	23S	34E	Lea

Proposed Horizontal Units

Description	Acres	Pool	Pool Code
E/2 NW/4 Section 33	240	Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, SW	97621
E/2 W/2 Section 28			

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. 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

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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 First and Last 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 132 feet to the western edge of the horizontal spacing unit. Encroachment will impact the following tracts.

Section 33, encroachment to the NW/4 SW/4 & W/2 NW/4

Section 28, encroachment to the W/2 W/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.

Division understands you are seeking this unorthodox location for the greatest recovery of reserves within the unit therefore preventing waste within the Bonespring formation underlying E/2 NW/4 Section 33, and E/2 W/2 Section 28.

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 Division deems necessary.



Albert C.S. Chang

Division Director

AC/lrl

Date: 8/28/2026

ID NO. 607663

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RECEIVED: 07/23/26	REVIEWER:	TYPE:	APP NO:
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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: <u>Chevron U.S.A. Inc.</u>	OGRID Number: <u>4323</u>
Well Name: <u>ZN 33 21 Federal Com 402H</u>	API: <u>30-025-54893</u>
Pool: <u>Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, SW</u>	Pool Code: <u>97621</u>

**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

- ☐ 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.

Deana M. Bennett

Print or Type Name

July 23, 2026

Date

505-848-1834

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July 23, 2026

VIA E-FILING

Director Albert Chang
 And
 OCD Engineering Bureau
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 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 ZN 33 21 Federal Com 402H well located in a 480-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2NW/4 of Section 33, the E/2W/2 of Section 28, and the E/2SW/4 and the SE/4 of Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 34 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 ZN 33 21 Federal Com 402H well (API No. 30-025-54893) (the "Well") located in a 480-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit¹ comprised of the E/2NW/4 of Section 33, the E/2W/2 of Section 28, and the E/2SW/4 and the SE/4 of Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico. As the C-102s demonstrate, the Well will traverse Sections 33 and 28, and Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 34 East. The Well's **first take point**, in the W/2NW/4 of Section 33, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, will be closer than 100' from the outer boundary of the spacing unit **and the completed interval** will be closer than 330' from the quarter quarter section lines, which requires a NSL approval. The pool and pool code for Sections 33 and 28 is Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, SW pool (Pool Codes 97621). This application pertains to the Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, SW pool only. C-102s for the Well are attached as Exhibit A.

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

Description	Acres	Pool	Pool Code
E/2NW/4 of Section 33; E/2W/2 of Section 28	240	Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, SW	97621
E/2SW/4 and the SE/4 of Section 21	240	Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, West	2209

The Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, SW 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 completed interval** will be closer than 330' from the quarter quarter section lines, which requires an NSL approval. As shown on Exhibit A, this is a horizontal well that will be drilled as follows:

- Surface Hole Location: 1761' FSL & 2227' FWL (Unit K) of Section 33-T23S-R34E;

¹ The spacing unit is non-standard and Chevron has filed for a non-standard unit in Case 26241.

- Bottom Hole Location: 2614' FSL & 1430' FWL (Unit K) of Section 21-T23S-R34E;
- First Take Point: 2615' FNL & 1430' FWL (Unit F) of Section 33-T23S-R34E;
- Last Take Point: 2539' FSL & 1430' FWL (Unit K) of Section 21-T23S-R34E.

Chevron has included as Exhibit B a letter explaining why this application is needed. Chevron also provides a map of the area, attached as Exhibit C, 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-102s)*. This unorthodox location will encroach towards the SW/4 of Section 33, Township 23 South, Range 34 East. Additionally, **the completed interval** will be closer than 330' from the quarter quarter section lines in the E/2NW/4 of Section 33 and the E/2W/2 of Section 28. *See Exhibit A (C-102s)*. This unorthodox location will encroach toward the W/2NW/4 of Section 33 and the W/2W/2 of Section 28, Township 23 South, Range 34 East.

Chevron is the operator and owns 100% of the working interest in SW/4, W/2NW/4 of Section 33, and the W/2W/2 of Section 28, Township 23 South, Range 34 East. Pursuant to Rule 19.15.4.12(A)(2) and Rule 19.15.2.7(A)(3), Chevron is thus providing notice to the New Mexico State Land Office ("SLO") and the Bureau of Land Management ("BLM"). Proof of mailing along with a copy of the letter sent to the SLO and the BLM are included in Exhibit D. Chevron's landman has provided a letter confirming the ownership in the SW/4, W/2NW/4 of Section 33, and the W/2W/2 of Section 28, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, which is included as Exhibit E.

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:	☐ Initial Submittal
			☒ Amended Report
		☐ As Drilled	

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

API Number 30-025-54893	Pool Code 97621	Pool Name ANTELOPE RIDGE; BONE SPRING, SW
Property Code PENDING	Property Name ZN 33 21 FEDERAL COM	Well Number 402H
OGRID No. 4323	Operator Name CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.	Ground Level Elevation 3523'
Surface Owner: ☐ State ☒ Fee ☐ Tribal ☐ Federal		Mineral Owner: ☐ State ☐ Fee ☐ Tribal ☒ Federal

Surface Location

UL K	Section 33	Township 23S	Range 34E	Lot N/A	Ft. from South 1761	Ft. from West 2227	Latitude 32.258683° N	Longitude 103.476320° W	County LEA
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Bottom Hole Location

UL K	Section 21	Township 23S	Range 34E	Lot N/A	Ft. from South 2614	Ft. from West 1430	Latitude 32.290042° N	Longitude 103.478922° W	County LEA
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Dedicated Acres 240	Infill or Defining Well INFILL	Defining Well API 30-025-54931	Overlapping Spacing Unit (Y/N) YES	Consolidation Code P
Order Numbers. NSL-PENDING, NSP-PENDING			Well setbacks are under Common Ownership: ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A	

Kick Off Point (KOP)

UL F	Section 33	Township 23S	Range 34E	Lot N/A	Ft. from North 2615	Ft. from West 1430	Latitude 32.261149° N	Longitude 103.478882° W	County LEA
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Unitized Area or Area of Uniform Interest N/A	Spacing Unit Type ☒ Horizontal ☐ Vertical	Ground Floor Elevation: 3523'
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OPERATOR CERTIFICATIONS

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.

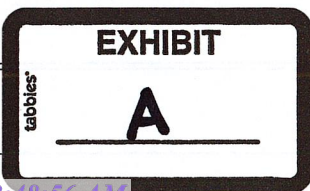
If this well is a horizontal well, I further certify that this organization has received the consent of at least one lessee or owner of a working interest or unleased mineral interest in each tract (in the target pool or formation) in which any part of the well's completed interval will be located or obtained a compulsory pooling order from the division.

Signature

Date

Printed Name

Email Address



SURVEYOR CERTIFICATIONS

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys.

*Chad Harcrow*

Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor

CHAD HARCROW

Certificate Number

17777

Date of Survey

Surveyed date of 04/23/24 obtained from initial submittal C102.

ACREAGE DEDICATION PLATS

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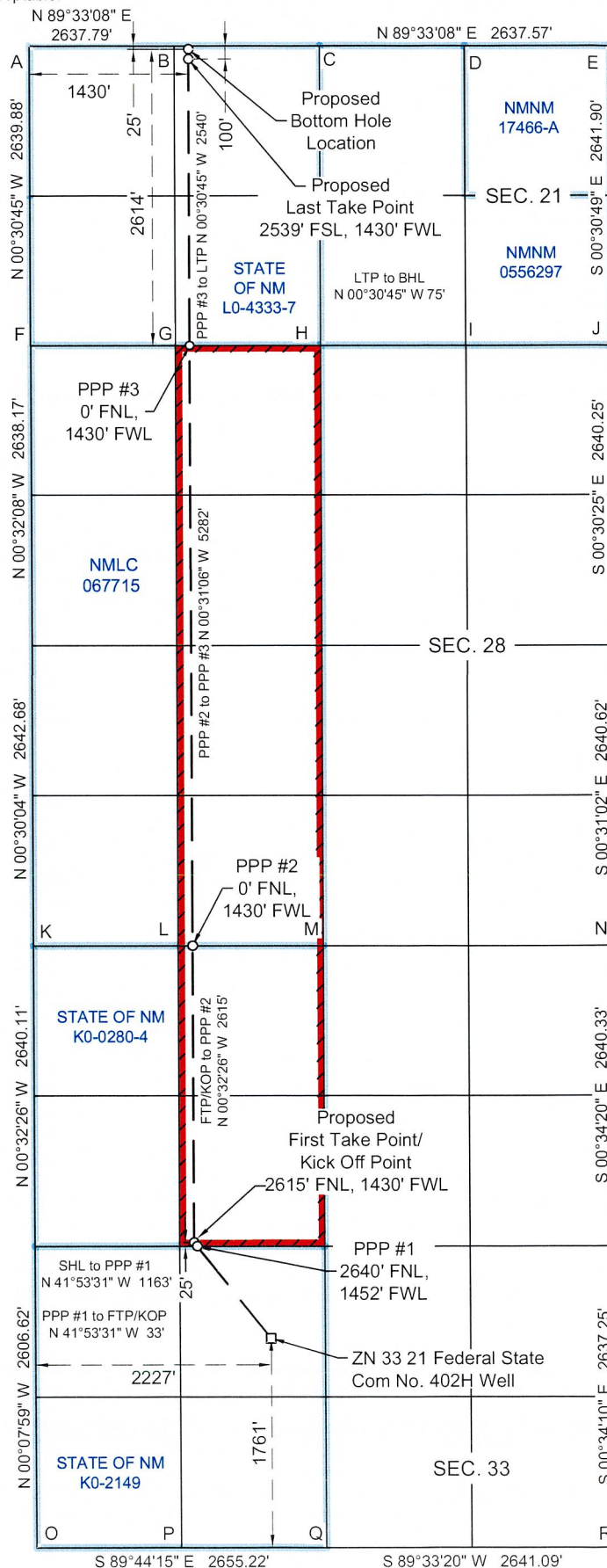
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E - X=768023.15 Y=470297.97 1913 GLO BC
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I - X=766728.13 Y=467647.27
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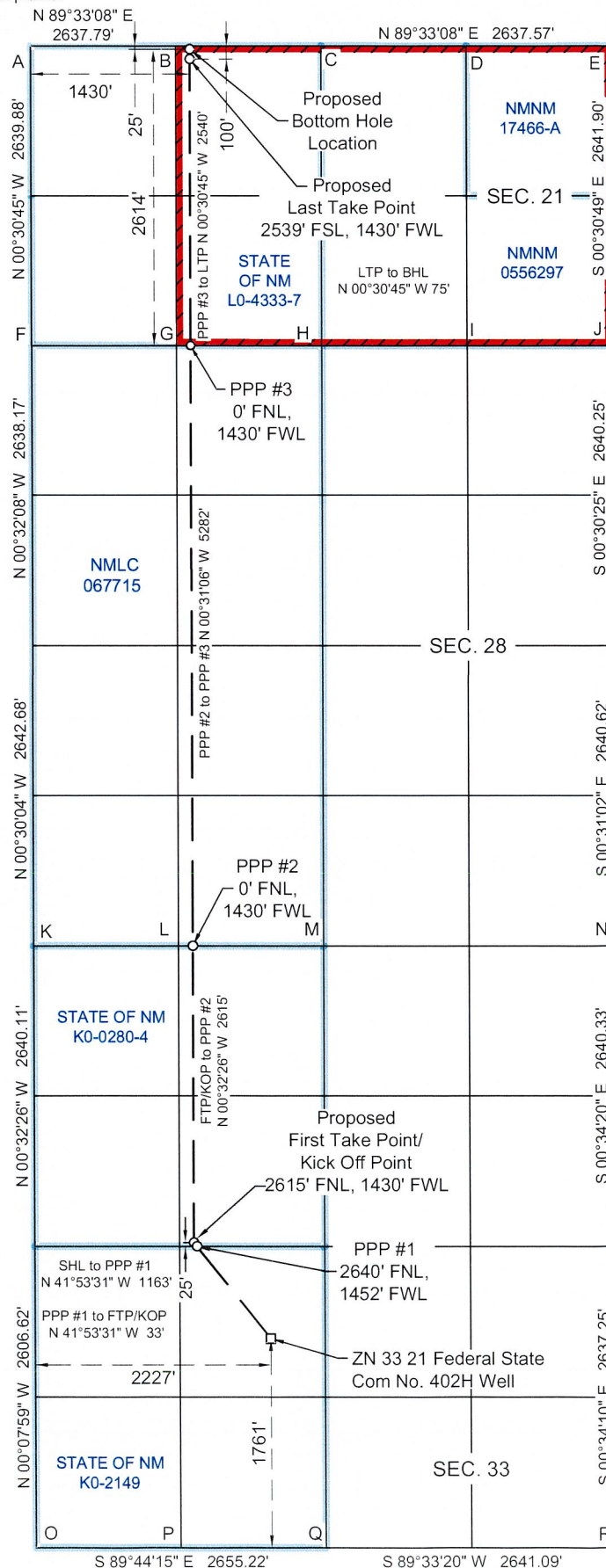
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Michael Chen
Reservoir Engineer

July 23, 2026

VIA E-FILING

Director Albert Chang
and OCD Engineering Bureau
Oil Conservation Division
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resource Department
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Non-Standard Location Application
ZN 33 21 FEDERAL COM 402H
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Director Chang/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 well (the "Well"):

- ZN 33 21 FEDERAL COM 402H well (API No. 30-025-54893)

The Well will traverse Sections 33 and 28, and Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 34 East. The pool and pool code for Sections 33 and 28 is Antelope Ridge; Bone Spring, SW pool (Pool Codes 97621).

Chevron is requesting non-standard location approval for the Well because the first take point of the Well will be less than 100' from the outer boundary of the horizontal spacing unit. Additionally, the completed interval will be closer than 330' from the outer boundary of the spacing unit. The last take point for the Well is standard. 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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TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH – RANGE 34 EAST **LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

E/2 NW/4 Sec. 33, E/2
W/2 Sec. 28, E/2 SW/4
and SE/4 Sec. 21 HSU
480 ac +/-

ZN 33 21 FEDERAL COM 402H

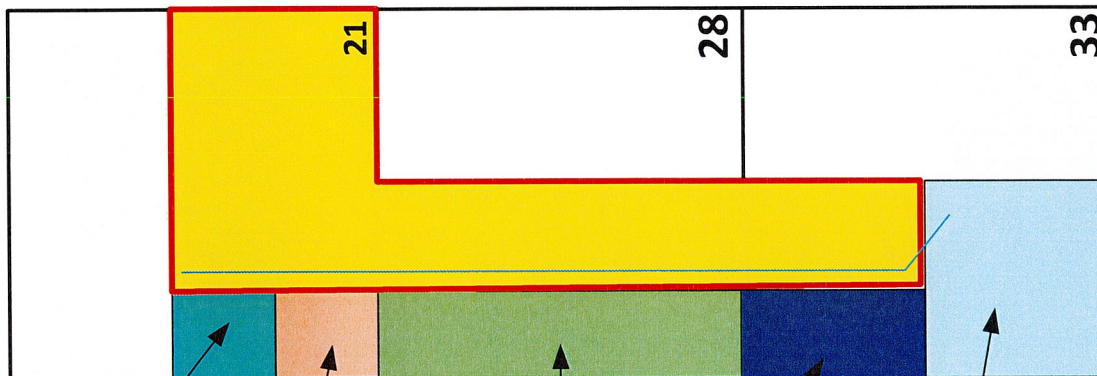
Encroachment Tract
NW/4 SW/4 Section 21, 40 acres

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Encroachment Tract
W/2 W/2 Section 28, 160 acres

Encroachment Tract
W/2 NW/4 Section 33, 80 acres

Encroachment Tract
SW/4 Section 33, 160 acres



OFFSET TRACT 4:
OPERATOR: CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. and MEWBOURNE OIL
COMPANY
MINERAL: STATE OF NEW MEXICO;
LEASE LO-4333-7
DESCRIPTION: NW/4 SW/4 SECTION 21, 40 acres

OFFSET TRACT 3:
OPERATOR: CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.
MINERAL: STATE OF NEW MEXICO;
LEASE LO-4333-7
DESCRIPTION: SW/4 SW/4 SECTION 21, 40 acres

OFFSET TRACT 2:
OPERATOR: CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.
MINERAL: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA;
LEASE NMIC 067715
DESCRIPTION: W/2 W/2 SECTION 28, 160 acres

OFFSET TRACT 1:
OPERATOR: CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.
MINERAL: STATE OF NEW MEXICO;
LEASE KO-280-4
DESCRIPTION: W/2 NW/4 SECTION 33, 80 acres

OFFSET TRACT 5:
OPERATOR: CHEVRON U.S.A. INC.
MINERAL: STATE OF NEW MEXICO;
LEASE KO-2149-3
DESCRIPTION: SW/4 SECTION 33, 160 acres

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July 23, 2026

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL**TO AFFECTED PARTIES**

Deana M. Bennett
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RE: Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its ZN 33 21 Federal Com 401H well located in a 320-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2NW/4 of Section 33, the W/2W/2 of Section 28, and the W/2SW/4 of Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico

Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its ZN 33 21 Federal Com 402H well located in a 480-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2NW/4 of Section 33, the E/2W/2 of Section 28, and the E/2SW/4 and the SE/4 of Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico

Application of Chevron U.S.A. Inc. for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its ZN 33 21 Federal Com 403H well located in a 480-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2NW/4 of Section 33, the E/2W/2 of Section 28, and the E/2SW/4 and the SE/4 of Section 21, Township 23 South, Range 34 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.

If you have any questions concerning this application, please contact:

Michael Chen
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Chevron U.S.A. Inc.
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Sincerely,

Deana M. Bennett
Attorney for Chevron U.S.A. Inc.

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Re: Non-Standard Location Application
ZN 33 21 FEDERAL COM 402H
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear OCD Engineering Bureau:

I am a landman for Chevron U.S.A. Inc. ("Chevron"). Chevron has requested administrative approval of a non-standard location ("NSL") for the ZN 33 21 FEDERAL COM 402H well (the "Well"). As noted in the NSL application materials for the Well, the Well's unorthodox location for the first take point will encroach towards the SW/4 of Section 33, Township 23 South, Range 34 East. The Well's unorthodox location for the completed interval will encroach toward the W/2NW/4 of Section 33 and the W/2W/2 of Section 28, Township 23 South, Range 34 East.

As a landman for Chevron, I have knowledge of the ownership of the SW/4, the W/2NW/4 of Section 33, and the W/2W/2 of Section 28, Township 23 South, Range 34 East. I confirm that Chevron is the operator and owns 100% of the working interest in the SW/4, the W/2NW/4 of Section 33, and the W/2W/2 of Section 28, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, which are the tracts upon which the Well will encroach.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "N. Angelle".

Nicholas Angelle
Land Representative

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CONDITIONS

Action 607663

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Operator: CHEVRON U S A INC 6301 Deauville Blvd Midland, TX 79706	OGRID: 4323
	Action Number: 607663
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