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IN REPLY REFER TO: NM138621 3105.2 (P0220)

API No. 30-015-42700

07/30/2018

Reference: Communitization Agreement Norris-Thornton Com 2 Section 23: S2 T. 23 S., R. 27 E. Eddy County, NM

Matador Production Co. 5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1500 Dallas, TX 75240

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is an approved copy of Communitization Agreement NM138621 involving 280 acres of Fee land and 40 acres of Unleased Federal land, unleased lands account Serial Number NMNM138620, Eddy County, New Mexico, which comprise a 320 acre well spacing unit.

The agreement communitizes all rights to all gas and producible hydrocarbons from the Morrow formation beneath the S2 of Sec. 23, T. 23 S., R. 27 E., NMPM, Eddy County, NM, and is effective 01/02/2018. Approval of this agreement does not warrant or certify that the operator, thereof, and other working interest owners hold legal or equitable title to the leases which are committed hereto.

Approval of this agreement does not constitute an adjudication of any state, local government, or private interests, and does not constitute a warranty or certification that the information supplied by the party submitting this agreement regarding any private, state, or local government interests is accurate.

Copies of this approval letter are being distributed to the appropriate Federal agencies. You are requested to furnish all interested parties with the appropriate evidence of this approval. Any production royalties that are due must be reported and paid according to regulations set up by the Office of Natural Resources Revenue at 1-800-525-9167 or 303-231-3504.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact Chris Walls at (575) 234-2234 or Deborah Ham at (575) 234-5965.

Please furnish all interested principals with appropriate evidence of this approval.

Sincerely,

Cody R. Layton

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1 Enclosure:

1 - Communitization Agreement

cc:

ONRR, Denver NM Taxation & Revenue Dept. (Revenue Processing Div.) **NMOCD** NM (9200) NM (P0220-CFO, File Room) NM State Land Comm.

Determination - Approval - Certification

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior under Section 17(j) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (74 Stat. 784; 30 U.S.C. 226(j)), and delegated to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management, I do hereby:

- A. Determine that the Federal lease or leases as to the lands committed to the attached agreement cannot be independently developed and operated in conformity with the well-spacing program established for the field or area in which said lands are located, and that consummation and approval of the agreement will be in the public interest. Approval of this agreement does not warrant or certify that the operator thereof and other holders of operating rights hold legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject leases which are committed hereto.
- B. Approve the attached Communitization Agreement covering the S2 of sec. 23, T. 23 S., R. 27 E., NMPM, as to all producible gas and hydrocarbons from the Morrow formation. This approval will become invalid if the public interest requirements under section 3105.2-3 (c) are not met.
 - Approval also requires operator to submit copies of sundries or any other documentation regarding activity with this well to the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Carlsbad Field Office pursuant to Item 9 of the approved Communitization Agreement.
- C. Certify and determine that the drilling, producing, rental, minimum royalty and royalty requirements of the Federal lease or leases committed to said agreement are hereby established, altered, changed, or revoked to conform with the terms and conditions of the agreement.

Approved: 07/30/2018

Cody R. Layton
Assistant Field Manager,
Lands and Minerals

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Effective: 01/02/2018

Contract No.: Com. Agr. NM138621

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In Reply Refer to NM138621 3107 (P0220)

Memorandum

To: State Director (9210)

From: Land Law Examiner (P0220)

Subject: First Production, Communitization Agreement NM138621

Date of Completion: 03/03/2018

Date of First Production: 03/03/2018

Field: Carlsbad

Operator, Well Name & No, API Number: Matador Production Co.; Norris-Thornton Com 2;

30-015-42700

Surface Location: sec. 23, NESE, T.23 S., R.27 E.

Total Depth: 12,700'/12,961' MD; TVD

Surface Elevation: 3,135 GL

Producing Formation: Morrow (12,080 – 12,297)

Well Capable of Production in Paying Quantities: Yes

Initial Daily Production: Oil 5 BBL; Gas 4206 MCF; Water 11 BBL

Current Status: Producing Gas Well

Remarks: CA NM138621, effective 01/02/2018, communitizes production of all gas and fluid hydrocarbons in the Morrow formation beneath sec. 23, S2, T. 23 S., R. 27 E., NMPM, and comprises 280 acres of Fee land and 40 acres of <u>Unleased Federal land</u> in <u>unleased lands account, Serial Number NMNM138620 for</u> a 320 acre well spacing unit. Unleased account, NM138620 is held by allocated production.

If you have any questions regarding this memorandum, please call Deborah Ham at (575) 234-5965.

/S/ Deborah Ham 07/30/2018

cc:

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