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Application Part I

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Applicant	Legacy Reserves L	Р		OGRID N	umber:
Well Name	E Lea Unit #10D			API: 30-025-	20506
Pool: Propos	ed: Lea: Devonian			Pool Cod	e: 37590
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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.

Matthew Dickson

Print or Type Name



12/16/2020 Date

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APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT

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I.	PURPOSE: Secondary Recovery Pressure Maintenance XDisposal Storage Application qualifies for administrative approval? XYes No
II.	OPERATOR:Legacy Reserves LP
	ADDRESS:303 W. Wall Street, Suite 1800, Midland, Texas 79701
	CONTACT PARTY:Randall Hicks (agent)PHONE: _202 266 5004
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? YesYesNo If yes, give the Division order number authorizing the project:No
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:
	 Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected; Whether the system is open or closed; Proposed average and maximum injection pressure; Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; and, 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 geologic data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geologic 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 sources 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 sources 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: Matthew Dickson TITLE:

E-MAIL ADDRESS: ____mdickson@legacyreserves.com_

SIGNATURE:

* If the information required under Sections VI, VIII, X, and XI above has been previously submitted, it need not be resubmitted. Please show the date and circumstances of the earlier submittal:

_DATE: _Dec. 16, 2020____

Side 2

III. WELL DATA

- A. The following well data must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. The data must be both in tabular and schematic form and shall include:
 - (1) Lease name; Well No.; Location by Section, Township and Range; and footage location within the section.
 - (2) Each casing string used with its size, setting depth, sacks of cement used, hole size, top of cement, and how such top was determined.
 - (3) A description of the tubing to be used including its size, lining material, and setting depth.

(4) The name, model, and setting depth of the packer used or a description of any other seal system or assembly used.

Division District Offices have supplies of Well Data Sheets which may be used or which may be used as models for this purpose. Applicants for several identical wells may submit a "typical data sheet" rather than submitting the data for each well.

- B. The following must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. All items must be addressed for the initial well. Responses for additional wells need be shown only when different. Information shown on schematics need not be repeated.
 - (1) The name of the injection formation and, if applicable, the field or pool name.
 - (2) The injection interval and whether it is perforated or open-hole.
 - (3) State if the well was drilled for injection or, if not, the original purpose of the well.
 - (4) Give the depths of any other perforated intervals and detail on the sacks of cement or bridge plugs used to seal off such perforations.
 - (5) Give the depth to and the name of the next higher and next lower oil or gas zone in the area of the well, if any.

XIV. PROOF OF NOTICE

All applicants must furnish proof that a copy of the application has been furnished, by certified or registered mail, to the owner of the surface of the land on which the well is to be located and to each leasehold operator within one-half mile of the well location.

Where an application is subject to administrative approval, a proof of publication must be submitted. Such proof shall consist of a copy of the legal advertisement which was published in the county in which the well is located. The contents of such advertisement must include:

- (1) The name, address, phone number, and contact party for the applicant;
- (2) The intended purpose of the injection well; with the exact location of single wells or the Section, Township, and Range location of multiple wells;
- (3) The formation name and depth with expected maximum injection rates and pressures; and,

(4) A notation that interested parties must file objections or requests for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within 15 days.

NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN ON THE APPLICATION UNTIL PROPER PROOF OF NOTICE HAS BEEN SUBMITTED.

NOTICE: Surface owners or offset operators must file any objections or requests for hearing of administrative applications within 15 days from the date this application was mailed to them.

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III. WELL DATA

A. The following well data must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. The data must be both in tabular and schematic form and shall include

1. Lease name; Well No.; Location by Section, Township and Range; and footage location within the section

Lease Name: Lea Unit #10 Unit Letter F, Section 13, T20S R34E, 1,980 FNL, 1,980 FWL

Kenneth Smith, Inc. owns the surface upon which the SWD is located

2. Each casing string used with its size, setting depth, sacks of cement used, hole size, top of cement, and how such top was determined

The attached Wellbore Data Sheet provides all of the design specifics required and a tabulation of these data are shown on the diagram. The well was originally drilled in 1963. Well boring diagrams are provided showings both its current status and with modifications to convert it to an SWD.

The formation tops for the Lea Unit #10 SWD were established during the drilling of the well and were provided by Geologist Mark McGraw.

3. A description of the tubing to be used including its size, lining material, and setting depth

3-1/2" internal plastic coated tubing with setting depth of 14,308'.

4. The name, model, and setting depth of the packer used or a description of any other seal system or assembly used

An Arrowset 1-X Nickel Coated Injection Packer will be set at 14,280'.

B. The following must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. All items must be addressed for the initial well.

Lea Unit #10 Sec13 Twp 20S Rge 34E						
	GL	3654				
Geologist	КВ	3677				
Mark McGraw						
	MD	SS				
Rustler	1703	1974				
Salt	2059	1618				
Salt Base	3299	378				
Yates	3494	183				
Seven Rivers	3626	51				
Capitan Reef	3900	-223				
Delaware	5198	-1521				
Bell Canyon	5539	-1862				
Cherry Canyon	6508	-2831				
Brushy Canyon	7115	-3438				
Bone Spring	8241	-4564				
Avalon	8818	-5141				
1st Bone Spring	9486	-5809				
2nd Bone Spring	10044	-6367				
3rd Bone Spring	10763	-7086				
Wolfcamp	11024	-7347				
Strawn	11993	-8316				
Atoka	12279	-8602				
Morrow	12663	-8986				
Mississippian	13506	-9829				
Woodford	14098	-10421				
Devonian	14278	-10601				

Responses for additional wells need be shown only when different. Information shown on schematics need not be repeated.

(1) The name of the injection formation and, if applicable, the field or pool name

The proposed injection interval is the Devonian formation in an open-hole interval.

(2) The injection interval and whether it is perforated or open-hole.

The depth interval of the open-hole injection is 14,308-14,438 (130 feet).

(3) State if the well was drilled for injection or, if not, the original purpose of the well.

The well was originally drilled for oil production.

(4) Give the depths of any other perforated intervals and detail on the sacks of cement or bridge plugs used to seal off such perforations

The Bone Spring perforated intervals are: 9519'-9.606'; 9,625'-9,657'; 10,181'-10,186'; and 10,192-10,212. They will be Isolated and squeezed off in the redevelopment of the well. This will be done in two stages using 100 sacks of cement for each stage.

The Pennsylvanian perforated intervals are: 12,880'-12,897'; 12,908'-12,913'; and 13,100'-13,114'. They were squeezed off in August 1974. 80 sacks of Class"H" cement with 0.8% Halad 9 were used in the interval. W.O.C. was for 24 hours with the perfs then tested for 30 minutes at 3,000 psi successfully. The cement was drilled through the interval of 12,749 – 13,119'. An earlier Marathon Oil Company well boring diagram and the Sundry Notice for the squeeze of the Pennsylvanian perforated intervals are included as OCD attachments.

(5) Give the depth to and the name of the next higher and next lower oil or gas zone in the area of the well, if any.

Overlying Oil & Gas Zone (Using KB of 3627'):

Brushy	7115
Canyon	
Avalon	8818
1st Bone	9486
Spring	20. V
2nd Bone	10044
Spring	
3rd Bone	10763
Spring	
Wolfcamp	11024
Morrow	12663

Underlying Oil & Gas Zones:

There are no underlying oil and gas zones.

IV. Is this an expansion of an existing project No.

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

Plate 1a identifies all OCD listed wells and API numbers and shows circles with radii of 0.5 (2640'), 1.0 (5280'), and 2.0 miles (10,560'). Note that where numerous wells are closely spaced, the API number may not be labeled for clarity. New wells, active wells, plugged wells, and canceled wells have color-coded symbols. Plate 1b shows only new and active wells and circles with radii of 0.5 (2640') and 1.0 miles (5280').

Plate 2 identifies the leases within a 1-mile radius of the proposed SWD as well as leases within the 0.5-mile radius area of review.

- Plate 2a presents the lease numbers for the SLO and BLM oil and gas leases. Also shown is mineral rights owned by the U.S. that are unleased at this time.
- Plate 2b presents land ownership for the same area and identifies the oil and gas mineral rights ownership.

Table 1 and Table 2 identify all affected persons within a 1 mile radius

- Table 1 lists all of the Oil and Gas Well Operators shown on Plate 1a within the circle having a 0.5-mile radius.
- Table 2 lists all lease numbers, lessees, lessors/mineral interests and surface owners (affected persons) within the 1.0-mile radius shown on Plate 2a.
- 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

Table 1 shows that there are no wells that penetrate the proposed injection zone within the 0.5-mile radius AOR.

VII. Attach data on the proposed operation, including:

1. Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected

Proposed Maximum Injection Rate: 20,000 bbl/day Proposed Average Injection Rate: 9,000 bbl/day

2. Whether the system is open or closed

This will be a closed system. The Lea Unit #10 will receive produced water only from closed containments which are registered or permitted under Rule 34.

3. Proposed average and maximum injection pressure

Proposed Maximum Injection Pressure: 2,800 psi Proposed Average Injection Pressure: 1,850 psi

4. Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water

The attached Table 3 "Produced Water Chemistry of Nearby Wells" provides the requisite analyses from all wells within T 20S, R 34E. The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Bone Spring Formations will provide most of the produced water to the proposed SWD. At the time of writing, we are unaware of any problems associated with disposal of produced water derived from any of these formations into the Devonian injection zone.

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.).

Table 4 presents formational water quality data from the Go-Tech site for Devonian-Fusselman-Montoya producing wells. As stated above, we are unaware of any problems associated with disposal of produced water derived from the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Bone Spring Formations into the Devonian injection zone.

*VIII. Attach appropriate geologic data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geologic name, thickness, and depth.

The proposed injection interval is the Devonian Formation in an open-hole interval. The proposed injection interval in the Pre-Mississippian Carbonates is well cemented and will provide the necessary open hole integrity while allowing salt water to be injected. Because of the competency of the rock, the open hole section has very little chance of collapsing.

As indicated in Section III.A.2, the depth to the top of the Devonian is 14,278. The injection interval is 14,308-14,438 (130 feet), within the Devonian.

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 sources known to be immediately underlying the injection interval.

The locations of all water supply wells listed in public databases are shown in Plate 3b.

In this area of Lea County, the Chinle and/or Alluvium yield water to wells from 100-200 feet below the ground surface (bgs) to a depth of about 600 feet. The upper portion of the Rustler Formation yields fresh water to wells in Lea County and in the area of the Lea Unit #10. The depth interval of this potential source of fresh water is about 1700 to 1975 feet.

The OSE database contains no well information (e.g. driller's logs) for nearby wells. The closest wells with reported depths to water around the Lea Unit #10 are described below.

- The closest well is the Nate Well, about 0.56 miles to the east-northeast. Elevation of the water table was reported as 3,610' in 1968. Hence, the depth to water is about 48' as the Nate Well is at an elevation of 3,657'.
- Wells MISC-119 and USGS-15524 are about 1.7 miles east—northeast of the Lea Unit #10. Water elevations were reported as 3,636' and 3,659 feet respectively. Corresponding depths to water are 47' and about 37'.
- The Linam Well (USGS-15838) is about 1.75 miles to the northeast. A water table elevation of 3,622 feet was reported in 1996. Given the elevation of 3,679 feet, the depth to water is about 52'.
- USGS-15487 is 1.32 miles west of the Lea Unit #10.. The water table elevation was reported as 3,503 in 1996. With the elevation of 3,648', the depth to water is about 55'.
- The North Well (MISC-112) is located 1.68 miles southwest of Lea Unit #10. The water table elevation was reported as 3,441' in 1971. The depth to water is 214' given the well's elevation of 3,655'.
- The Herman Well (USGS-15973) is 2.77 miles to the southeast at an elevation of 3,730'. Elevation of the water table was reported as 3,663.71' in 1996. Hence, the depth to water is about 67 feet.

With the exception of The North Well, the five relatively shallow wells may access water in reworked Ogallala material mapped as eolian or older alluvial deposits on top of the Chinle formation (Plate 3b). The North Well's depth to water is consistent with accessing water from the Chinle formation.

At the Lea Unit #10, the Capitan Reef is at a depth of 3,900' to 5,198'. There are no wells accessing it for water within the area of review.

The location of nearby mapped surface water bodies are shown in Plate 4. The closest surface water bodies are intermittent ponds located about 1,300 feet to the southeast and about 3,700 feet to the north-northeast immediately south of a tank battery. The closest mapped water course is 2.5 miles to the south. More than 3 miles to the south, playas are present in a density of several per section.

IX. Describe the proposed stimulation program, if any

A cleanup acid job may be used to remove residual mud and drill cuttings from the formation. However, no other formation stimulation is currently planned.

*X. Attach appropriate logging and test data on the well. (If well logs have been filed with the Division, they need not be resubmitted)

Logs will be submitted to OCD upon redevelopment of the well.

*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

No active water supply wells with water chemistry data were identified within one mile of the proposed SWD. Data from various sources permit a conclusion that groundwater from the Alluvium and within the Chinle Formation is potable. In this area, groundwater in the underlying Rustler formation may be relatively brackish.

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 sources of drinking water

Randall T. Hicks, a Professional Geologist with decades of experience in hydrogeology, affirms, on behalf of Legacy Reserves LLC, that

- The USGS has mapped quaternary faults in New Mexico and no such faults are mapped in the area of the proposed Lea Unit #10 SWD¹ (Plate 5).
- The Texas Bureau of Economic Geology has mapped older faults (e.g. basement and Woodford) in New Mexico and the closest mapped fault is about 1.25-miles to the southwest² with another north-south oriented fault about 6.4 miles to the east (Plate 6).
- With respect to migration of produced water from the injection zone to underground sources of drinking water via faults or other natural conduits, the following conditions were considered
 - The lowest underground source of drinking water is the middle and upper Rustler Formation. The Rustler Formation is encountered from 1,680' below ground level to 2,036' feet below ground level.
 - While there are no wells accessing the Capitan Reef, the Lea Unit #10 passes through the Reef in the depth interval of 3,900'- 5,198'
 - More than 12,000 feet of sedimentary rock separates the bottom of the Rustler Formation and the top of the injection zone. More than 9000' feet of sedimentary rock separates the bottom of the Capitan Reef from the top

¹ https://usgs.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=5a6038b3a1684561a9b0aadf88412fcf

² Bureau of Economic Geology (Accessed April 2019). University of Texas at Austin. Basement Faults (Ewing 1990, Tectonic Map of Texas); Precambrian Faults (Frenzel et al. 1988, Figure 6); Woodord Faults (Comer 1991, plate 1). <u>Http://www.beg.utexas.edu/resprog/permianbasin/gis.htm</u>

of the injection zone. Many of the formations that lie between the injection zone and the bottom of the Capitan Reef and the lowermost aquifer (above the Reef) are permeable and contain oil, gas or water at various pressures. Any excursion of injected fluids from the Devonian disposal zone would undoubtedly enter these permeable formations prior to moving into the Capitan Reef or the Rustler Formation.

- There is no evidence that the pressure regime in the oil and gas reservoirs is sufficient to cause the upward migration of formation water through the overlying oil and gas zones into the Capitan Reef or further through the bedded salt and into the Rustler or Chinle aquifers.
- There is no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground sources of drinking water

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AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number				³ Pool Code ³ Pool Name 37570 LEA: BONE SPRING						
4 Property	Code			³ Property Name					• Well Number	
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No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interests have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.

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			I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the
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Lea Unit #10





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On 24-hour test 5-10-74, well produced 220 BO and 1,185 BW by gas lift. Prior to workover to abandon Penn gas perfs and single well as Devonian completion with 3 1/2" tubing, well was producing 98 BOPD and 714 BWPD.

18. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct SIGNED	TITLE	Operations Superintendent	DATE August 27, 1974
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Additional information can be obtained by contacting Mr. Randall Hicks, agent for Legacy Reserves LP, at 505-238-9515.

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NOTIFICATION TO INTERESTED PARTIES Via U.S. Certified Mail – Return Receipt Requested

To Whom It May Concern:

Legacy Reserves LP, Midland, Texas, has made application to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to modify for salt water disposal, the Lea Unit #10 SWD. The proposed operation will be for produced water disposal from Legacy Reserves LP operations. As indicated in the notice below, the well is in Section 13, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico.

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You have been identified as a party who may be interested as an offset lessee or operator. IF YOU WOULD LIKE AN ELECTRONIC COPY OF THE ENTIRE PERMIT PACKAGE, PLEASE SEND YOUR REQUEST TO r@rthicksconsult.com (request a read receipt to avoid your email becoming stuck in spam).

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely, R.T. Hicks Consultants

Randall Hicks Principal

Legacy Reserves Operating, LP Lea Unit #10 SWD 303 W. Wall St. Suite 1800 Midland, TX 79701

Marathon Oil Permian LLC Lea Unit #10 SWD 5555 San Felipe St. Houston, TX 77056

Kenneth Smith Inc. Lea Unit #10 SWD 267 Smith Ranch Rd. Hobbs, NM 88240

Bureau of Land Management Lea Unit #10 SWD 620 E. Greene Street Carlsbad, NM 88220-6292

New Mexico State Land Office Lea Unit #10 SWD 310 Old Santa Fe Trail Santa Fe, NM 87501



Table 1 New Mexico Oil and Gas Producers within 0.5 miles radius of Lea Unit #10

PoolID	[37570] LEA, BONE SPRING; [37584] LEA, DELAWARE, NORTHEAST; [80040] LEA, PENN (GAS)		[37570] LEA, BONE SPRING	[37570] LEA, BONE SPRING; [37590] LEA, DEVONIAN	[37570] LEA, BONE SPRING; [37584] LEA, DELAWARE, NORTHEAST; [37590] LEA, DEVONIAN	[37570] LEA, BONE SPRING	[37570] LEA, BONE SPRING
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Well Name	LEA UNIT #011	LEA FEDERAL UNIT #026C	LEA UNIT #031H	LEA UNIT #003	LEA UNIT #009	LEA UNIT #030H	LEA UNIT #033H
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Table 2 Oil and Gas Mineral Interests and Affected Persons within 1-mile Radius

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Table 4 - Chemistry of Produced Water from Formations

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RE: Legacy Reserves LP; Lea Unit #10 SWD Unit Letter F, Section 13, T20S R34E, Lea County

Dear Sir or Madam:

On behalf of Legacy Reserves LP, R.T. Hicks Consultants is providing data and an opinion regarding the probability that injection of wastewater in the above referenced well at the proposed rates will cause seismic events of sufficient magnitude to create damage. We are in the process of developing an evaluation of the nature of the confining layers and nearby faults that are not shown in public databases. One key point that is not emphasized sufficiently in the application is the base of the proposed injection zone is 1900 feet above the top of the Ellenburger. Thus, the thickness of the underlying confining layer is significantly greater than other Devonian SWDs. Another important element of the proposed supplemental information is the nature of the 130-foot injection zone at the top of the Devonian. The injection zone is the reservoir from which oil wells have produced crude, natural gas, and water. In part, Legacy will be re-filling the depleted production zone with injected water from their production elsewhere.

We believe presentation of data and interpretations in the forthcoming supplemental submission is critical to determining the utility of employing the Stanford FSP tool to predict the potential of induced seismicity.

We relied upon the following data to develop our opinions presented herein:

- Data on the thickness and lithology of the Simpson Group from the Texas Bureau of Economic Geology¹
- State of stress in the Permian Basin, Texas and New Mexico: Implications for induced seismicity, Jens-Erik Lund Snee and Mark D. Zoback, The Leading Edge, February 2018²
- Plate 5, which is reproduced from the Snee and Zoback publication, which uses the following references
 - Crone, A. J., and R. L. Wheeler, 2000, Data for Quaternary faults, liquefaction features, and possible tectonic features in the Central and Eastern United States, east of the Rocky Mountain front; U.S. Geological Survey Open-File Report.

¹ <u>http://www.beg.utexas.edu/resprog/permianbasin/PBGSP_members/writ_synth/Simpson.pdf</u>

² <u>https://scits.stanford.edu/sites/default/files/3702_tss_lundsnee_v2.pdf</u>

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- NMOCD database of oil and gas wells
- Plate 5, which shows the distribution of active and new SWD wells in the area of the proposed AWR Disposal SWD well
- Stratigraphic and lithologic information from two deep wells in the Delaware Basin
- The USGS database of quaternary faults in New Mexico³.

The USGS database did not identify any Quaternary faults in southern Lea County.

Plate 5 reproduces Figure 3 of the 2018 publication of Snee and Zoback and shows

- 1. Fault traces based upon the references provided above for which Dr. Snee and Dr. Zoback provide a value of the fault slip potential (FSP)
- 2. The closest areas of documented seismic activity include a magnitude 3.0-3.9 earthquake that occurred since 2005 about 28 miles southwest of the proposed Lea Unit #10. There was an event of magnitude 2.0 2.9 reported about 35 miles south of the Lea Unit #10 between 1970 and 2004. There was an event of magnitude 2.0 2.9 and an event of magnitude 3.0-3.9 reported about 31 miles to the south between 1970 and 2004. Figure 5 also shows two seismic events about 35 miles southeast.
- 3. Although Plate 5 does not show faults that may be identified in confidential seismic data owned by oil and gas operators, the closest mapped basement fault that was re-activated during Woodford time is about 8 miles to the east and southeast of the Lea Unit #10. This fault exhibits a low FSP (less than 10% to the east and less than 15% to the southeast) based upon the modeling and analysis of Snee and Zoback referenced above (also see Plate 6)
- 4. Other mapped faults in southern Lea County shown on Plate 5 also show a low FSP.

Plate 6 reproduces the major elements of Plate 5 in the inset map and also shows additional faulting information. Along with the more recent faulting shown on Plate 5, it also includes Pre-Cambrian and basement faulting. As can be seen, the Lea Unit #10 is about 1.25 miles northeast of a northwest to southeast oriented Precambrian fault and is 6.4 miles southwest of a similar parallel Precambrian fault. These faults were not re-activated during Woodford time according to the work of Snee and Zoback.

Within T 20S, R 34E and T 20S R35E, T19 S R 34E, T19S R 35E, T21S R34E and T21S R35E, the OCD database shows ten (10) Devonian SWD wells. The closest of these wells is about 9,000 feet southwest of the Lea Unit #10. Ten wells within 144 square miles is not a high injection density.

³ https://usgs.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=5a6038b3a1684561a9b0aadf88412fcf

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Figure 4 from the referenced Bureau of Economic Geology (The Middle-Upper Ordovician Simpson Group of the Permian Basin: Deposition, Diagenesis, And Reservoir Development) is attached to this letter and the portion of that figure for the Delaware Basin is shown to the right. In southern Lea County the mapped thickness appears to be 500-1500 feet thick (note one contour line appears to be missing on the map). This unit, which is clay-rich carbonate interbedded with shale and sandstone, provides an excellent permeability/pressure barrier between the injection zone and the basement faults that were re-activated during Woodford time.



Data from the Amoco Federal CW Com 1 (30-025-28119) show that the thickness of the Simpson in the Antelope Ridge area of Lea County (Section 3 24S 34E) is about 450 feet thick with. This is consistent with Figure 4 of the BEG paper (probably because this well was used to produce the isopach map).

We contend that the data permit conclusion that faults near the Lea Unit #10 would be dominantly north-south normal faults, as is common in Lea County. The data on Plate 6 permit a conclusion that faults near the Lea Unit #10 SWD are also most likely to exhibit a low FSP, like the mapped faults shown on Plate 5.

Given the density of active Devonian SWDs near the proposed Lea Unit #10 SWD well and the high likelihood that any unmapped faults in the area would exhibit a low FSP, the probability that injection into the Lea Unit #10 SWD would cause an increase in pore pressure to trigger a seismic event of sufficient magnitude to cause damage is very low.

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The users of this letter should recognize the uncertainties of using seismic maps of the Permian Basin to determine probability that injection of wastewater into a single SWD well could cause seismic events of sufficient magnitude to cause damage. However, on a regional basis injection by numerous wells into the Devonian interval will raise the hydrostatic pressure. If pressure increases sufficiently, fluid could migrate from the injection zone along fault planes, up and down. Downward fluid migration will be intercepted first by the sandstone units of the Simpson Group. After fluid pressure increases in these sandstones, fluid would migrate downward into the Ellenberger Formation, which lies beneath the Simpson Group. This downward migration will next enter the permeable units of the Ellenberger and, over time, increase the fluid pressure. After fluid pressure in the Ellenberger is sufficiently large to cause downward migration along fault planes or other conduits, the migrating fluid will, in some areas, enter a thinner horizon of granite wash. Downward migrating fluids from the injection zone could then enter basement fault planes if the pressure in the granite wash horizon is sufficient and reduce the frictional resistance (lubricate the faults). Reduction in the frictional force in faults due to fluid invasion can and has caused seismic events.

In my opinion, the probability that injection into the Lea Unit #10 SWD will measurably contribute to the events described above and will cause a seismic event resulting in damage is so low as to be nil. Nevertheless, additional data and interpretation regarding the Simpson and Ellenburger Groups will be useful to OCD in the evaluation of the findings in this letter.

Sincerely, R.T. Hicks Consultants

Randall T. Hicks Principal

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- A Salt Water Injection, New
- A Salt Water Injection, Plugged
- A Salt Water Injection, Temporarily Abandoned



Seismic and Fault Slip Potential-Ewing et al. (1990), Green and Jones (1997), Ruppel et al. (2005), and the USGS Quaternary Faults and Folds Database (Crone and Wheeler, 2000).





Figure 4. Thickness map of Simpson Group modified from Texas Water Development Board (1972), Frenzel and others (1988), and Northcutt and Johnson (1997). Thousand-foot contour lines and locations of figure 5 cross sections shown in heavy red and blue lines, respectively. Note that contour interval is 100 ft for Oklahoma and 250 ft for Texas and New Mexico.

Lea Unit #10

API #3002520506

Lat 32.574585 Lon -103.515465 1980 FNL & 1980 FWL Sec 13, T20S, R34E, Lea, NM

TD: 14,438' KB 23' Surface: 13 3/8", 48#, H-40 @ 853' Intermediate: 9 5/8", 36/40#, J-55/N-80 @ 5,161' Production: 7", 26#, N-80 @ 14,308'

Perfs: 9,519' – 9,606' Bone Spring 9,625' – 9,657' Bone Spring 10,181' – 10,186' Bone Spring 10,192' – 10,212' Bone Spring CIBP @ 12,850' w/35' cmt. on top = 12,815' 12,890' – 13,114' Penn 14,308' – 14,438' Devonian (Squeezed w/80 sx Class H)

Issue: Squeeze off Bone Spring perfs and drill out. Then open up Devonian open hole to get inj. rate.

Proposal:

- 1. Hot oil well 48 hrs. before rigging up.
- 2. MIRU PU
- 3. POH LD rods and pump.
- 4. POH LD production tbg.
- 5. Pick up work string w/BP perf. sub on btm. Hydrotest tbg. to 6,000 PSI. RIH to btm. Needs to be at least 10,212' in order to squeeze btm. perfs.
- 6. POH w/tbg.
- 7. RIH w/packer to 9,519'. Load annulus and test to 500 PSI. If it doesn't hold, find leak and notify Midland.
- 8. If casing tests good, POH w/pkr.
- 9. RIH w/threaded 7" cement retainer w/3 jts. FG tbg. on btm. to 10,130'. Pump 70 BW dn. tbg. and set retainer @ 10,130'. End of FG should be 10,222'. Sting out and back into retainer.
- 10. RU WTC equipment.
- 11. Attempt to load annulus and monitor. Squeeze perfs 10,181' 10,212' w/400 sx as per WTC procedure.
- 12. Reverse to clean fluid if possible. If not, pump 20 bbls dn. tbg. and POH, LD stinger.
- 13. RIH w/threaded 7" cement retainer w/6 jts. FG tbg. on btm. to 9,460'. Reverse 20 bbls. through retainer. Shut in BOP and est. rate into perfs. Set retainer @ 9,460'. End of FG should be 9,646'. Sting out and back into retainer. Pressure annulus to 300 PSI and monitor.
- 14. Squeeze perfs 9,519 9,657 w/200 sx as per WTC procedure.
- 15. Reverse to clean fluid. POH, LD stinger.
- 16. WOC 24 hrs.
- 17. RIH w/6 1/8" bit w/6 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " DCs and WS.
- 18. Drill out CR @ 9,460' and cmt. down below 9,657'. Test to 500 PSI. Notify Midland and resqueeze if needed.
- 19. Drill out CR @ 10,130' and cmt. down below 10,212'. Test to 500 PSI. Notify Midland and resqueeze if needed.
- 20. Drill cement from 12,815' to CIBP @ 12,850'. Drill out CIBP.
- 21. Run bit through perfs. 12,890' 13,114'.
- 22. Press test Penn squeezed perfs 12,890' 13,114' to 300 PSI. Contact Midland with results.
- 23. Drill cement out of open hole to 14,438'.
- 24. POH LD bit and DC's.
- 25. RIH w/7" pkr. & set @ 14,210'. Perform step rate test to est. rate (10 BPM). Contact Midland with results.
- 26. RU acid pump and perform 15% NEFE acid job according to results.
- 27. POOH & laid down work string and tools.
- 28. PU and RIH w/3 ½" nickel coated AS1 pkr. w/2.81" profile nipple and on/off tool on 3 ½" L-80 IPC tbg.

- 29. Set pkr. @ 14,210'.
- 30. Test annulus to 500 PSI f/30 mins.
- 31. Release on/off tool.
- 32. Circulate packer fluid.
- 33. Reset on/off tool and retest.
- 34. RDMO PU.
- 35. Turn over to production.