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- Engineering Bureau -  
1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



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**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

**Application Acronyms:**

[NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]  
[DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]  
[PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]  
[WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]  
[SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]  
[EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

[1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION** - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

[A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication  
☒ NSL ☐ NSP ☐ SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

[B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement  
☐ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☐ OLM

[C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery  
☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

[D] Other: Specify \_\_\_\_\_

[2] **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** - Check Those Which Apply, or Does Not Apply

- [A] ☐ Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
- [B] ☐ Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
- [C] ☐ Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
- [D] ☐ Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO  
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
- [E] ☐ For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,
- [F] ☐ Waivers are Attached

[3] **SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.**

[4] **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.

Print or Type Name	Signature	Title	Date
		e-mail Address	



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December 21, 2006

**FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Mr. Mark Fesmire  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
1220 S St Francis Dr  
Santa Fe NM 87504

Re: Application for Approval of Unorthodox Location  
XTO Energy Inc.'s Pipkin Gas Com A No. 1G Well  
2,140' FNL and 1,430' FWL, Section 7, T27N, R10W  
San Juan County, New Mexico  
Mancos Formation

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

XTO Energy Inc. hereby requests approval for an unorthodox location for the above referenced well. Attached for your reference are the following exhibits:

1. Well location plat (NMOCD Form C-102)
2. Topographic map
3. Ownership map
4. Production map showing offsetting Mancos Formation Gas Production

The location for the above referenced well was picked due to topographic issues and to obtain the greatest distance from the Pipkin Gas Com A No. 1E well (existing Dakota producer in the quarter section). The Mancos is a 166.61-acre unit and resulted in the well being non-standard to the south 160 feet.

The well has been recompleted in the Mancos Formation. Through oversight, the NSL application was not submitted prior to the recompletion operation. XTO hereby requests approval of the unorthodox location so that the existing wellbore may be used to produce gas from the Mancos Formation.

Burlington Resources Oil and Gas Company LP, ConocoPhillips Company, and Petrohawk Energy Corporation are working interest owners in the NW/4 as to the Mancos Formation and have been notified via Federal Express.

*Mr. Mark Fesmire  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
Pipkin Gas Com A No. 1G  
December 21, 2006  
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XTO Energy Inc. requests your administrative approval for the unorthodox location based on the above information. Should you need any additional information, please contact me at (817) 885-3091.

Yours truly,

  
Ryan O'Kelley  
Associate Landman

/rmo

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Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Santa Fe, NM 87505

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☐ AMENDED REPORT

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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, N.M. 88240

DISTRICT II  
1301 W. Grand Ave., Artesia, N.M. 88210

DISTRICT III  
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Artec, N.M. 87410

DISTRICT IV  
1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

# WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

*API Number 30-045-33445		*Pool Code 71599	*Pool Name Basin Dakota
*Property Code 22630	*Property Name PIPKIN GAS COM A		*Well Number 1G
*OGRIID No. 167067	*Operator Name XTO ENERGY INC.		*Elevation 5816'

## 10 Surface Location

UL or lot no. F	Section 7	Township 27-N	Range 10-W	Lot Idn	Feet from the 2140	North/South line NORTH	Feet from the 1430	East/West line WEST	County SAN JUAN
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## 11 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
*Dedicated Acres 166.31 W1/2 332.92					*Joint or Int'l		*Consolidation Code	*Order No	

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

<p>FD. 2 1/2" B.C. 1913 U.S.G.L.O. WIT. CORNER 19.8' SOUTH OF CORNER POSITION</p> <p>LOT 1</p> <p>S 0-05-04 W 2643.2' (C)</p> <p>LOT 2</p> <p>1430'</p> <p>FD. 2 1/2" B.C. 1913 U.S.G.L.O.</p> <p>LOT 3</p> <p>LOT 4</p>	<p>S 89-36-41 E 2742.2' (C)</p> <p>LOT 36'35'28.3" N (NAD 27) LONG. 107°56'26.7" W (NAD 27)</p>	<p>FD. 2 1/2" B.C. 1913 U.S.G.L.O.</p>	<p>17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief</p> <p>Signature Kelly L. Small</p> <p>Printed Name Kelly L. Small</p> <p>Date 9/29/09</p> <p>18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</p> <p>I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.</p> <p>Date of Survey JUNE 16, 2005</p> <p>Signature JOHNA VUKOBRA</p> <p>Surveyor JOHNA VUKOBRA</p> <p>1483</p> <p>REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR</p>
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[ ] AMENDED REPORT

### WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

1. Well Number <b>30-045-33445</b>		2. Pool Code <b>97232</b>		3. Pool Name <b>WCBasin mancos</b>	
4. Property Code <b>22630</b>		5. Property Name <b>PIPKIN GAS COM A</b>		6. Well Number <b>1G</b>	
7. TGRID No. <b>167067</b>		8. Operator Name <b>XTO ENERGY INC.</b>		9. Elevation <b>5816'</b>	

#### 10 Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
F	7	27-N	10-W		2140	NORTH	1430	WEST	SAN JUAN

#### 11 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
12 Dedicated Acres <b>N.W. 1/4 1666.61</b>		13 Joint or Infill		14 Consolidation Code		15 Order No.			

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		18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION	
		<p>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</p> <p><i>Harry K. Small</i> Signature <b>Harry K. Small</b> Printed Name Regulatory Compliance Tech Title Date <b>9/29/09</b></p> <p>I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.</p> <p>Date of Survey <b>JUNE 16, 2005</b> Signature <b>JOHN A. VUKOBRA</b> Surveyor <b>NEW MEXICO</b> <b>1483</b> <b>REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR</b> Certificate No. <b>1483</b></p>	



107°57'00" W

NAD27 107°56'00" W

**XTO ENERGY INC.**

**PIPKIN GAS COM A No. 1G**

**NW/4 SEC. 7. T27N. R10W. N.M.P.M.**

**SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**2140 FNL 1430 FWL**

**150 FT. NEW ACCESS**

36°37'00" N

36°37'00" N

36°36'00" N

36°36'00" N

36°35'00" N

36°35'00" N

**PIPKIN GAS COM A No. 1G**

**LAT. 36.35.28.3 N (NAD 27)**

**LONG. 107.56.26.7 W (NAD 27)**

**150 FT. NEW ACCESS**

107°57'00" W

NAD27 107°56'00" W

0 1000 FEET 0 500 1000 METERS

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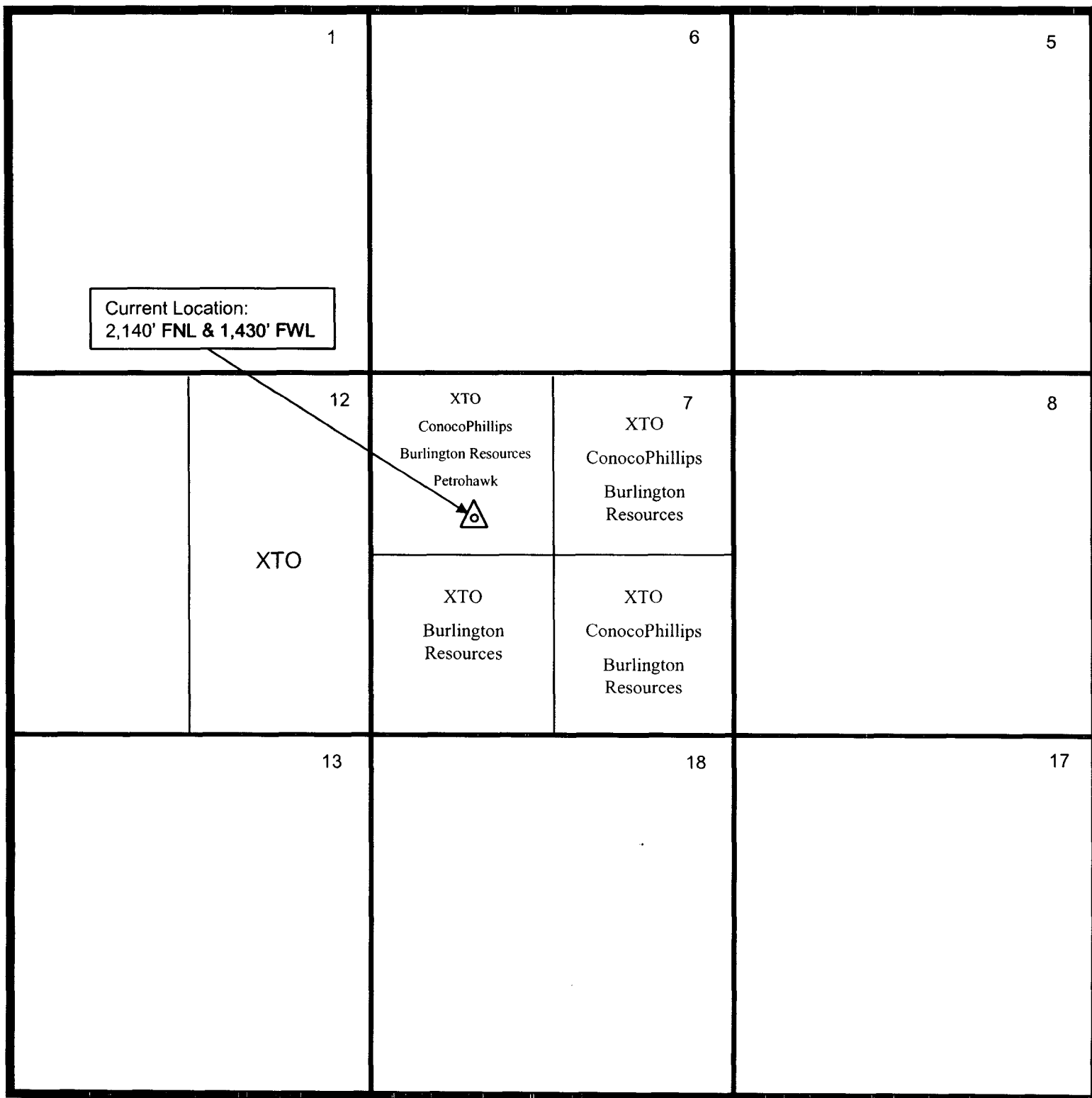




## SECTION PLAT OF 9 SQUARE MILES

STATE: New Mexico COUNTY: San Juan  
PROSPECT: Pipkin Gas Com A #1G DATE: December 21, 2006  
SECTION: 7 TOWNSHIP: 27 North RANGE: 10 West

SCALE: 1'=2000'









December 21, 2006

**FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Petrohawk Energy Corporation  
1100 Louisiana Ste 4400  
Houston, TX 77002

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XTO Energy Inc.'s Pipkin Gas Com A No. 1G  
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San Juan County, New Mexico  
Mancos Formation

Dear Working Interest Owner:

Enclosed is a copy of an Application for Administrative Approval of Unorthodox Location for the Pipkin Gas Com A No. 1G Well that has been sent to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission for administrative approval. If you have no objection to the proposed non-standard location, please so indicate by signing and returning one copy of this letter to me at the address on shown at the bottom of this letter as soon as possible.

Should you have any questions or need more information, please contact me at (817) 885-3091. Your prompt attention to this matter will be very much appreciated.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ryan O'Kelley', written over a horizontal line.

Ryan O'Kelley  
Associate Landman

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Mark Fesmire, NMOCD

\_\_\_\_\_ hereby waives notice of hearing and objection to the application by XTO Energy Inc. for the non-standard location for the Pipkin Gas Com A No. 1G Well, as depicted on the enclosed plat.

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_



December 21, 2006

**FEDERAL EXPRESS**

ConocoPhillips Company  
Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP  
Attn: Linda Dean  
3401 East 30<sup>th</sup> St.  
Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289

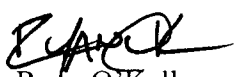
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Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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