

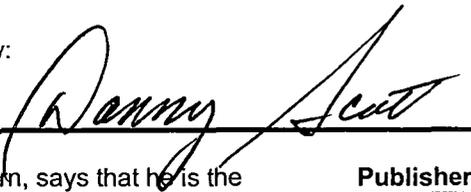
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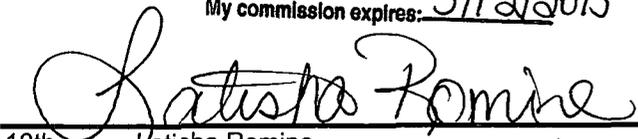
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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The State of New Mexico through its Oil Conservation Division hereby gives notice pursuant to law and the Rules and Regulations of the Division of the following public hearing to be held at 8:15 A.M. on September 15, 2011, in the Oil Conservation Division Hearing Room at 1220 South St. Francis, Santa Fe, New Mexico, before an examiner duly appoint for the hearing. If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing, please contact Florene Davidson at 505-476-3458 or through the New Mexico Relay Network, 1-800-659-1779 by September 05, 2011. Public documents including the agenda and minutes, can be provided in various accessible forms. Please contact Florene Davidson if a summary or other type of accessible form is needed.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:
All named parties and persons
having any right, title, interest
or claim in the following cases
and notice to the public:

(NOTE: All land descriptions herein refer to the New Mexico Principal Meridian whether or not so stated.)

CASE 14732:

Application of Southwest Royalties for Approval of a Remediation Plan Pursuant to 19-15-29.11 NMAC for the Arco Federal Well No. 1 Tank Battery, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause seeks approval of a remediation plan to address a release of produced water at the ARCO Federal Well No. 1, Section 17, Township 17 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Said area is located approximately 1 mile north of Loco Hills, New Mexico.

Given under the Seal of the State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this 22nd day of August 2011.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
Jami Bailey, Division Director

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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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Submitted by:

SOUTHWEST ROYALTIES, INC.

Hearing Date: September 29, 2011