

**Affidavit of Publication**

State of New Mexico,  
County of Eddy, ss.

Danny Fletcher, being first duly  
sworn, on oath says:

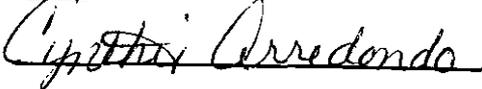
That he is the Publisher of the  
Carlsbad Current-Argus, a  
newspaper published daily at the  
City of Carlsbad, in said county of  
Eddy, state of New Mexico and of  
general paid circulation in said  
county; that the same is a duly  
qualified newspaper under the laws  
of the State wherein legal notices  
and advertisements may be  
published; that the printed notice  
attached hereto was published in the  
regular and entire edition of said  
newspaper and not in supplement  
thereof on the date as follows, to wit:

August 18 2016

That the cost of publication is  
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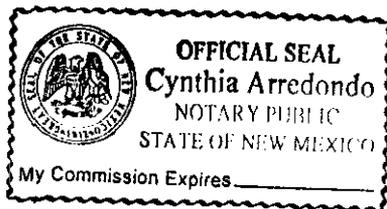


Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 24 day of August,  
2016



My commission Expires  
2/13/17

Notary Public



August 18, 2016

**NOTICE**

To: Maria H. Vasquez, Ralph V. Robinson, Childs & Bishop Law Office, Inc., Charles L. Reitenger, John Edward Hall, Jonathan D. Knoerdel, Helen Beeman, Peter A. Panagopoulos, Martha J. Stribling, George O. Stribling, individually and as Personal Representative of the Estate of Martha Stribling, John D. Stribling, George P. McGonagill, Celia F. Houglund, LBD, a limited partnership, Virginia Lee Davis, Mary Jo Dickerson, Tommy W. Gregory, Sue Osborn, Powell, Esperanza F. Larez, and Kathy Gregory, or your heirs, devisees, or successors. Mewbourne Oil Company has filed an application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking an order approving a 479.80 acre non-standard spacing and proration unit in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the SE/4 of Section 33, Township 23, South, Range 28, East, NMMP, and Lots 1, 2, S/2NE/4, and

SE/4 (the E/2) of Section 4, Township 24, South, Range 28, East, NMMP, pooling, all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the non-standard spacing and proration unit, and approving an unorthodox gas well location. The unit is to be dedicated to the Foreigner 33/4 W2/4 Fee Com Well No. 14, a horizontal well with a surface location 2450 feet from the south line and 2310 feet from the east line of Section 33, and a terminus 330 feet from the south line and 2310 feet from the east line of Section 4. The producing interval will be unorthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well. The application is scheduled to

be heard at 8:15 a.m. on September 1, 2016 at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. As an interest owner in the well unit you have the right to enter an appearance and participate in the case. Failure to appear will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date. The attorney for applicant is James Bruce, P.O. Box 1056, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504. The unit is located approximately 2 miles northwest of Malaga, New Mexico.

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