

Read & Stevens, Inc.
Attn: Derik Smith
P.O. Box 1518
Roswell, NM 88202

*Preserved @
9-29-16
Hearing*

Re: Proposed creation of Wolfcamp Gas Pool for Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Derik,

Matador Production Company and Mewbourne Oil Company are preparing to file an application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to establish a new Wolfcamp pool for Eddy County, New Mexico and adopt special pool rules and regulations for the new pool that provide for 320-acre spacing and proration units and the creation special well location requirements to establish a minimum setback of 330 feet from the outer boundary of each spacing unit.

The current Wolfcamp wells will not be affected by this application other than a change to the name of the designated pool. Our records show that you currently have a well producing from one of the current Wolfcamp wells described on the list enclosed as Exhibit "A". Matador and Mewbourne are seeking the support of Operators within the pools and of Operators within a one mile radius of each pool for the proposed change prior to filing its application. Please indicate your support by signing and returning this letter to Matador in the space provided below. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at ccarleton@matadorresources.com or directly at (972) 371-5430.

Respectfully,



Chris Carleton

Landman

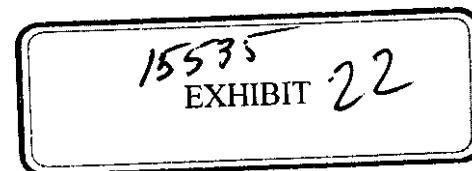
Company: Read & Stevens, Inc.

Name:

Betty R. Young
Betty R. Young

Title:

Vice President



Hereby supports the creation of a Wolfcamp Gas Pool for Eddy County, New Mexico.

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

APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION
COMPANY AND MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY
TO ESTABLISH THE DOWNEY GAS POOL IN THE
WOLFCAMP FORMATION FOR TOWNSHIPS 22
THROUGH 26 SOUTH AND RANGES 25 EAST
THROUGH 31 EAST, NMPM, EDDY COUNTY,
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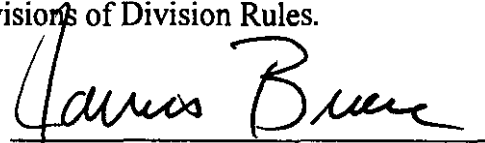
Case No. 15,535

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COUNTY OF SANTA FE)
) ss.
STATE OF NEW MEXICO)

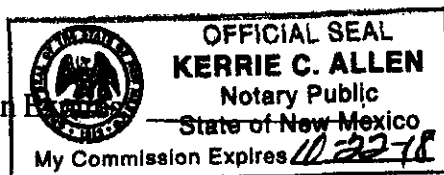
James Bruce, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.
2. I am an attorney for Matador Production Company and Mewbourne Oil Company.
3. Matador Production Company and Mewbourne Oil Company has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the operators entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein.
4. Notice of the application was provided to the operators, at their last known addresses, by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Attachment A.
5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules.


James Bruce

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 16th day of August, 2016 by James Bruce.

My Commission Expires



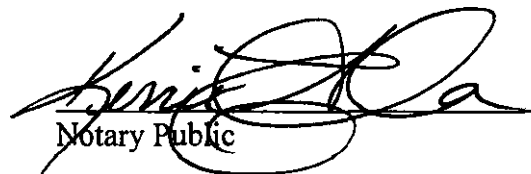

Notary Public

EXHIBIT 23

JAMES BRUCE
ATTORNEY AT LAW

POST OFFICE BOX 1056
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

369 MONTEZUMA, NO. 213
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

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jamesbruce@aol.com

July 27, 2016

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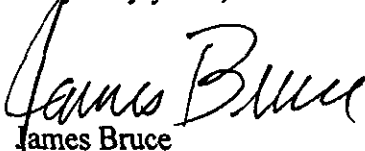
Ladies and gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for pool creation and special pool rules, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Matador Production Company and Mewbourne Oil Company, regarding a proposed Wolfcamp pool in Eddy County, New Mexico.

This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, August 18, 2016, at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting the matter at a later date.

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Very truly yours,


James Bruce

Attorney for Applicants

Attachment

A

EXHIBIT A

EOG Resources Inc.
P.O. Box 2267
Midland, TX 79702

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado
Cimarex Energy Co.
Suite 600
600 North Marienfeld Street
Midland, TX 79701

Finley Resources Inc.
P.O. Box 2200
Fort Worth, TX 76113

Read & Stevens Inc.
P.O. Box 1518
Roswell, NM 88202

Legacy Reserves Operating, LP
P.O. Box 10848
Midland, TX 79702

Westbrook Oil Corp.
P.O. Box 2264
Hobbs, NM 88241

Lanexco Inc.
P.O. Box 2730
Midland, TX 79702

Guardian Operating Corp.
6824 Island Circle
Midland, TX 79707

COG Operating LLC
COG Production LLC
One Concho Center
600 West Illinois Ave
Midland, TX 79701

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.
333 West Sheridan Avenue
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

BC Operating, Inc.
P.O. Box 50820
Midland, TX 79710

Caza Operating, LLC
Suite 1550
200 North Lorraine
Midland, TX 79701

Yates Petroleum Corporation
105 South 4th Street
Artesia, NM 88210

RKI Exploration & Production, LLC
3500 One Williams Tower
Tulsa, OK 74172

XTO Energy, Inc.
Suite 2000
810 Houston Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102

Wildcat Energy LLC
P.O. Box 13323
Odessa, TX 79768

Chevron Midcontinent, L.P.
Chevron USA Inc (4323)
1400 Smith
Houston, TX 77002

Chi Operating Inc.
P.O. Box 1799
Midland, TX 79702

Linn Operating, Inc.
Suite 5100
600 Travis Street
Houston, TX 77002

Murchison Oil & Gas Inc.
Legacy Tower One
Suite 1400
7250 Dallas Parkway
Plano, TX 75024

Mack Energy Corp.
P.O. Box 960
Artesia, NM 88211

BOPCO, LP
Suite 2900
201 Main Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102

BTA Oil Producers, LLC
104 South Pecos
Midland, TX 79701

ConocoPhillips Company
600 North Dairy Ashford
Houston, TX 77079

Lynx Petroleum Consultants, Inc.
P.O. Box 1708
Hobbs, NM 88241-1708

H. L. Brown Operating, LLC
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Midland, TX 79702

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City, State, ZIP+4	Houston, TX 77002

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 Chevron USA Inc (4323)
 1400 Smith
 Houston, TX 77002

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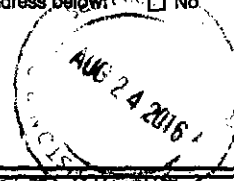
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☐ Addressee

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James Bruce
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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

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Affidavit of Publication

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

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City of Carlsbad, in said county of
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and advertisements may be
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attached hereto was published in the
regular and entire edition of said
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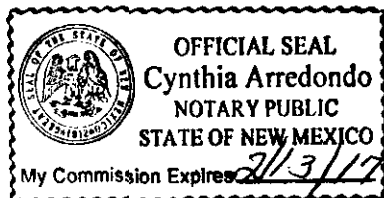
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 13 day of September,
2016

Cynthia Arredondo

My commission Expires

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Notary Public



September 14, 2016

NOTICE

To: Lanexco Inc.,
Chevron Midcontinent
L.P., and Chevron
U.S.A. Inc., or your
successors or assigns:
Matador Production
Company and
Mewbourne Oil Com-
pany have filed an ap-
plication with the New
Mexico Oil Conserva-
tion Division seeking
an order creating a
new pool, designated
the Downey-
Wolfcamp Gas Pool,
covering the
Wolfcamp formation
in Townships 22

through 26 South, and
Ranges 25 East
Through 31 East,
NMPM, Eddy County,
and instituting special
rules and regulations
for the pool including
320 acre spacing and
special well location
requirements. All ex-
isting Wolfcamp
pools, and wells with-
in the existing pools,
shall be re-classified
as being within the
Downey-Wolfcamp
Gas Pool. The applica-
tion is scheduled to be
heard at 8:15 a.m. on
September 29, 2016
at the Division's offi-
ces at 1220 South St.
Francis Drive, Santa
Fe, New Mexico
87505. As an operator
within the proposed
pool you have the
right to enter an ap-
pearance and partici-
pate in the case. Fail-
ure to appear will pre-
clude you from con-
testing this matter at
a later date. The attor-
ney for applicant is
James Bruce, P.O. Box
1056, Santa Fe, New
Mexico 87504. The
proposed pool is cen-
tered by the town of
Malaga, New Mexico.

EXHIBIT 24

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

**APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION
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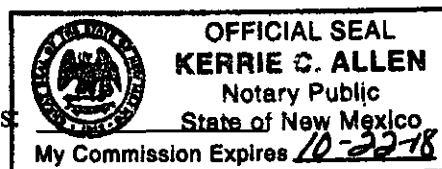
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5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules.


James Bruce

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 28th day of September, 2016 by
James Bruce.

My Commission Expires




Notary Public

EXHIBIT 25

JAMES BRUCE
ATTORNEY AT LAW

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369 MONTEZUMA, NO. 213
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August 23, 2016

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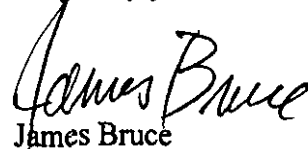
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Very truly yours,



James Bruce

Attorney for Applicants

Attachment A

EXHIBIT A

Unit Petroleum Company
P.O. Box 702500
Tulsa, OK 74170

JKM Energy, LLC
26E Compress Road
Artesia, NM 88210

OXY USA Inc.
OXY USA WTP L.P.
P.O. Box 50250
Midland, TX 79710

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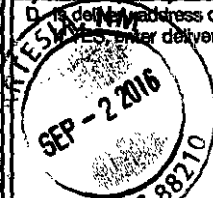
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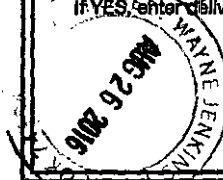
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