
MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 28, 1998
TO: OCD HEARING COMMITTEE
FROM: Tweeti Blancett
RE: 80 acre Spacing on Mesa Verde Wells

Please accept this memo and attachments as our intent to present evidence at this hearing on October 29th under NMSA 70-2-2 (Waste prohibited)

70-2-12 Enumeration of powers (7) to require wells to be drilled operated and produced in such manner as to prevent injury to neighboring leases or properties;

The evidence will reference Sections 15 and 22 in Township 32 Range 10 W

Enclosed are the following:

- I. Aerial Photo of the fore mentioned sections
- II. Oil and Gas Map of all areas requesting the 80 acre spacing by Burlington

NMSA 70-2-2 Prohibits waste from occurring. In both sections 15 and 22 the number of wells have not been drilled that are presently allowed. The east half of 15 and 22 have been documented as inaccessible so the west side of 15 and 22 are draining these pools.

One should note that the federal lands in east half of Section 15 constitutes 240 acres the federal lands in constitutes 280 acres in the east half of Section 22.

There is only 2 wells in the east half of Section 22 both are Mesa Verdes and the first was drilled in 1954 with no access

There is 1 Mesa Verde and 1 coal seam in the east half of 15 both of these were offset wells.

1. Detail Map of the Sections 15 and 22 in Township 32d Range 10 W
2. Aerial Photo of the fore mentioned sections
3. Production records for the Heizer, Bonds, And Sullivan
4. Please reference the notes from the Oil and Gas Conservation Office:

