GW - 280

# GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE

2007 - 1997

#### Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

Sent: Monday, April 09, 2007 11:13 AM

To: 'Klein, Elisabeth A'

Subject: FW: Discharge Renewal Applications

Ms. Klein:

Oops! I have the attached discharge plan application, etc. Please disregard you previous e-mail with the attached GW-280 application. Thanks.

From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

Sent: Monday, April 09, 2007 11:12 AM

To: 'Klein, Elisabeth A'

Subject: RE: Discharge Renewal Applications

Ms. Klein:

Good morning. I have confirmation of receipt of the \$100 filing fee; however, I regret that I cannot find the application with information that accompanied the filing fee. Please fee free to remit the application form with information to me via e-mail if this is preferred to mail so I may begin my evaluation. Please contact me if you have questions. Thank you.

**From:** Klein, Elisabeth A [mailto:EAKlein@dcpmidstream.com]

Sent: Monday, April 09, 2007 9:23 AM

To: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD

Subject: RE: Discharge Renewal Applications

Sorry for the delayed response...I was on vacation. I received a letter from you dated March 23, 2007 regarding Carlsbad Gas Plant (GW-069) so I am assuming that one is not an issue now and will start on the public notice. In regards to Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station GW-280 I sent it on February 15, 2007 and it was received by OCD on February 16th. Below is the UPS receipt for this submittal and attached is a copy of the electronic submittal of the renewal.

I will send out copies of the Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station (GW-280) and a new check if you can't find this renewal.

Thanks, Liz Klein 303-605-1778

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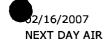
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From: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD [mailto:CarlJ.Chavez@state.nm.us]

Sent: Thursday, March 22, 2007 2:05 PM

To: Klein, Elisabeth A

Subject: RE: Discharge Renewal Applications

Ms. Klein:

I have received all of the DP renewals listed below. However, the GW-280 DP (DUKE CARLSBAD CS) was not found in this submittal nor the submittal containing GW-069 Carlsbad Gas Plant (2 copies).

Could you please double check to make sure that you sent GW-280? Thank you.

From: Klein, Elisabeth A [mailto:EAKlein@dcpmidstream.com]

Sent: Wednesday, Februa 8, 2007 3:08 PM

To: Price, Wayne, EMNRD

Cc: Chavez, Carl J, EMNRD; Lang, Ruth M; Admire, John D

**Subject:** Discharge Renewal Applications

Per your request of December 15, 2006 we are submitting the following discharge plan renewals:

Antelope Ridge Gas Plant (GW-162)
Boot Leg Compressor Station (GW-176)
Cotton Draw Compressor Station (GW-311)
P & P Malaga Compressor Station (GW-167)
Paige Hat Mesa Compressor Station (GW-316)
Maljamar Compressor Station (GW-177)
Wonton Compressor Station (GW-178)

Our letter of January 31, 2007 and subsequent email of February 6, 2007 explain why renewals will not be submitted for the other renewals requested.

You will be receiving hard copies of these renewal applications tomorrow via UPS Next Day Air.

Please call me if you have any questions (303-605-1778).

Thank you.

Elisabeth Klein Principal Specialist

From: Lang, Ruth M

Sent: Wednesday, January 31, 2007 4:51 PM

**To:** wayne.price@state.nm.us **Cc:** carlj.chavez@state.nm.us

**Subject:** Letter & documentation on 7 facilities that are closed or have current discharge permits - No renewals

applications will be submitted

As we discussed previously, DCP Midstream LP is submitting the attached letter and documentation to outline which facilities we believe do not need Discharge Plan Renewal Applications submitted by March 1, 2007 [i.e. current permit or closed facility(s)]. You will be receiving a paper copy tomorrow via UPS.

Please contact me at your earliest convenience to discuss DCP Midstream LP's plan and let me know if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Ruth M. Lang, P.G.

Manager of Water & Waste Programs EHS/Environmental Protection Department DCP Midstream, LP (formerly DEFS) 303-605-1713 office 303-619-4995 cell 303-605-1957 fax

Attention: Effective 1/1/07 new company name is DCP Midstream LP and new email address is <a href="mailto:rmlang@dcpmidstream.com">rmlang@dcpmidstream.com</a>

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from DCP Midstrent LP	
for GW-280	
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Filing Fee New Facility Renewal	
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February 15, 2007

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Mr. Wayne Price, Chief Environmental Bureau Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe. NM 87505

Subject: Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station (Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station)

Discharge Permit Renewal (GW-280)

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Price:

Enclosed are the original and one copy of DCP Midstream, LP's ("DCP MIDSTREAM") discharge permit renewal application for the Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$100 for the discharge plan renewal application filing fee.

DCP MIDSTREAM will satisfy the requirements of 20.6.2.3108(A) NMAC by providing notice under Paragraph (2) of Subsection C of 20.6.2.3108 NMAC. DCP MIDSTREAM plans to publish a public notice in the Carlsbad Current Argus for the Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station Discharge Permit Renewal. DCP MIDSTREAM will publish a synopsis of the notice, in English and in Spanish, in a display ad at least two inches by three inches, not in the classified or legal advertisements section in the Carlsbad Current Argus. Additionally, DCP MIDSTREAM will provide the owner of the property, the federal Bureau of Land Management, notice via UPS Next Day Air.

As we have discussed previously, DCP MIDSTREAM does not believe that the New Mexico Water Quality Act, NMSA 1978, §§74-6-1 to 17, and the regulations adopted under that act are applicable to compressor stations. Further, even if the Water Quality Act and regulations applied, the WOCC regulations do not require a discharge plan for this facility. The Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station does not have any discharges that may move directly or indirectly into groundwater. Therefore, DCP MIDSTREAM does not believe that a discharge plan is required under the WQCC regulations. Since the WQCC regulations do not require a discharge plan, DCP MIDSTREAM is under no legal obligation to renew Discharge Plan GW-280.

Pleased be advised that DCP MIDSTREAM's submittal of the renewal application and application filing fee does not waive DCP MIDSTREAM's objection to the OCD's position regarding applicability of the WQCC regulations. If you have any questions concerning DCP MIDSTREAM's position or the renewal application, please contact me at (303) 605-1778. Please send all correspondence regarding this renewal to me at 370 17th Street, Suite 2500, Denver, CO 80202.

Sincerely.

DCP Midstream, LP

Elisabeth Klein

Principal Environmental Specialist

**Enclosures** 

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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505 Revised June 10, 2003

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# DISCHARGE PLAN APPLICATION FOR SERVICE COMPANIES, GAS PLANTS, REFINERIES, COMPRESSOR, GEOTHERMAL FACILITES AND CRUDE OIL PUMP STATIONS

(Refer to the OCD Guidelines for assistance in completing the application)

	New 🗹 Renewal 🗀 Modification
1.	Type: Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station
2.	Operator: DCP Midstream LP
	Address: See enclosed dsicharge plan.
	Contact Person: See enclosed discharge plan Phone:
3.	Location: SE /4 NE /4 Section 6 Township 21 S Range 28 E Submit large scale topographic map showing exact location.
5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	Attach the name, telephone number and address of the landowner of the facility site.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach the description of the facility with a diagram indicating location of fences, pits, dikes and tanks on the facility.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach a description of all materials stored or used at the facility.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach a description of present sources of effluent and waste solids. Average quality and daily volume of waste water must be included.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach a description of current liquid and solid waste collection/treatment/disposal procedures.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach a description of proposed modifications to existing collection/treatment/disposal systems.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach a routine inspection and maintenance plan to ensure permit compliance.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach a contingency plan for reporting and clean-up of spills or releases.  See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach geological/hydrological information for the facility. Depth to and quality of ground water must be included.
1	See enclosed discharge plan.  Attach a facility closure plan, and other information as is necessary to demonstrate compliance with any other OCD rules, regulations and/or orders.  See enclosed discharge plan.  4. CERTIFICATIONI hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
	Signature: Johnny F, Lamb  Title: Senior Field Supervisor  Date: 2/07/07
1	E-mail Address: JFLamb@dcpmidstream.com

# Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station SE/4 NE/4 T 21S, R 28E, Section 6

#### **DISCHARGE PLAN**

This document constitutes a renewal application for a Groundwater Discharge Permit for the Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station as previously approved NMOCD on June 10, 2002. This Discharge Permit application has been prepared in accordance with the NMOCD "Guidelines for the Preparation of Discharge Plans at Natural Gas Plants, Refineries, Compressor and Crude Oil Pump Stations" (revised 12-95) and New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC) regulations, 20.6.2.3106.C NMAC.

### 1 Type of Operation

The facility is a compressor station.

### 2 Operator / Legally Responsible Party

Operator

DCP Midstream LP (formerly Duke Energy Field Services, LP) 10 Desta Drive, Suite 400W Midland, TX 79705 (505) 397-5520 Contact Person: Mr. Tony Lee – Asset Manager

Legally Responsible Party

DCP Midstream LP 370 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 2500 Denver, CO 80020 (303) 595-3331

Contact Person: John Admire - Director, Environmental Protection

## 3 Location Facility

SE4 NE4 Section 6, Township 21S, Range 28E

See Figure 1 - Site Location Map.

#### 4 Landowner

Bureau of Land Management 620 E. Greene St. Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220 505-234-5973

### 5 Facility Description

The facility provides compression for the Llano Gathering System and is a rich gas gathering booster site. The facility consists of 2 engines, scrubbers, inlet separator, dehy, contactor towers, filter coalescer and above-ground storage tanks as described below in Item #6.

#### 6 Materials Stored or Used

There are no materials stored on-site or used that are discharged so that they may move directly or indirectly into groundwater.

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Condensate	Aboveground storage tanks within secondary containment.
Lube Oil	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment.
Antifreeze	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment.
Used Oil	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment.
Methanol	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment.
Engine Coolant	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment.
Engine Skid Drain Storage -	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment.
Slop Oil Tank (equipment	
wash down water and	
stormwater)	

#### 7 Sources and Quantities of Effluent and Waste Solids

All effluent and waste solids generated at the facility are stored in enclosed, above-ground tanks with secondary containment and removed from the facility for off-site disposal in accordance with applicable NMOCD, NMED, and EPA regulations. Approximate quantities are provided in the table in the following response to Item #8. There are no effluents or waste solids discharged on site onto or below the surface of the ground so that they may move directly or indirectly into groundwater.

#### Separators/Scrubbers

Effluent or waste solids generated from separators or scrubbers are not discharged on site; wastewater from the inlet scrubber is routed via piping to an aboveground storage tank within secondary containment and is trucked off site for disposal to the Artesia Plant SWD, Well No. 1, a NMOCD permitted Class II well.

#### **Boilers and Cooling Towers/Fans**

There are no boilers or cooling towers/fans at the facility.

#### Process and Storage Equipment Wash Down

Effluent or waste solids generated from process equipment wash down is collected in an aboveground storage tank and transported off-site for disposal at Artesia Plant SWD, Well No. 1.

#### Solvents/Degreasers

Solvents or degreasers are not used at the facility.

#### **Spent Acids/Caustics**

Spent acids or caustics are not typically generated at the facility. If generated at the facility, spent acids or caustics will be collected and stored in aboveground storage containers and disposed off-site in accordance with applicable Federal, State, and local regulations.

#### **Used Engine Coolants**

Used engine coolants are not generated at the facility. The engine coolant is consumed by the engines so no waste coolant is generated. Engine coolants are not discharged on site so that they may move directly or indirectly into groundwater.

#### Waste Lubrication and Motor Oils

Lubricating and motor oils are not discharged on site. Used oil is stored in aboveground storage containers within secondary containment and removed by a contractor for off-site recycling.

#### Used Oil Filters

Used oil filters generated at the facility are collected in an aboveground storage bin and are removed by a contractor for off-site recycling.

#### Solids and Sludges

Solids and sludges are not discharged on site. Any solids or sludges generated on site are collected and stored in aboveground storage tanks within secondary containment for off-site disposal.

#### **Painting Wastes**

Painting wastes are not discharged on site. All paint wastes generated on site are managed in aboveground containers and disposed off-site in accordance with applicable Federal, State, and local regulations.

#### Sewage

Sewage is not generated at the facility.

#### Lab Wastes

Lab wastes are not generated at the facility.

#### Other Liquids and Solid Wastes

There are no other liquids or solid wastes generated at the facility.

### 8 Liquid and Solid Waste Collection / Storage / Disposal

#### Collection/Storage

All liquid and solid waste are collected and stored in containers for off-site disposal in accordance with applicable NMOCD, NMED, and EPA regulations.

#### On-site Disposal

There is no on-site disposal at the facility. None of the containment structures at the facility are equipped with valves. Rainwater collected inside containment structures is lost through evaporation or pumped out by a contractor for off site disposal in accordance with applicable NMOCD, NMED, and EPA regulations.

#### Off-site Disposal

All liquid and solid wastes, except for domestic sewage, are disposed off site in accordance with applicable NMOCD, NMED, and EPA regulations.

The following table provides information regarding wastes collected and stored for off-site disposal and/or recycling.

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Produced Water/Condensate	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment	~ 100 bbls per month	Off-site disposal	Artesia Plant SWD, Well No. 1.
Equipment Skid/Washdown Water	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment	~ 100 bbls per month	Off-site disposal	Artesia Plant SWD, Well No. 1.
Used Oil Filters	Aboveground storage bin	~ 70 per year	Off-site recycling	Thermofluids, Inc.
Used Oil	Aboveground storage tank within secondary containment	~ 1500 gal per year	Off-site recycling	Thermofluids, Inc.
Used Coalescer Filters	Aboveground storage bin	~ 19 per year	Off-site recycling	Thermofluids, Inc.

## 9 Proposed Modifications

The existing sumps (Engine Shed Sump and Dehy Drip End Point Sump) for the dehy and the engines will be replaced with double-walled sumps with a pump that will pump liquids to the slop oil tank. If any other modifications are planned the NMOCD will be notified and all effluent and waste solids generated from the installation and operation of new equipment will be stored on-site in enclosed tanks and containers and removed from the facility for off-site disposal in accordance with applicable NMOCD, NMED, and EPA regulations.

### 10 Inspection, Maintenance, and Reporting

Routine inspections and maintenance are performed to ensure proper collection, storage, and off site disposal of all wastes generated at the facility.

## 11 Spill / Leak Prevention and Reporting (Contingency Plans)

DCP MIDSTREAM will respond to spills according to the Llano Gathering System SPCC Plan (2004) and the requirements of the State of New Mexico found in NMOCD Rule 116, 19.15.C.116 NMAC and WQCC regulation, 20.6.2.1203 NMAC.

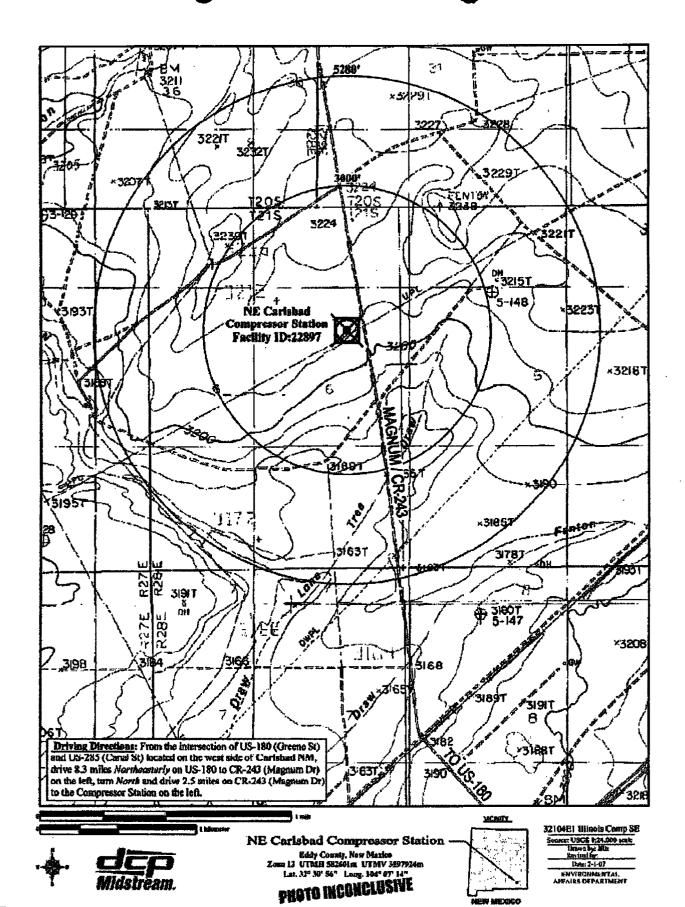
#### 12 Site Characteristics

No Changes.

#### 13 Additional Information

All unauthorized releases and discharges will be reported to the NMOCD in accordance with NMOCD Rule 116, 19.15.C.116 NMAC and WQCC regulation, 20.6.2.1203 NMAC.

FIGURE 1. Site Location Map - Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station.



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Vortneus, cui souu compressor simion Discharge Plan, February 2007 FIGURE 2. Facility Plot Plan - Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station.

#### DCP Midstream, LP

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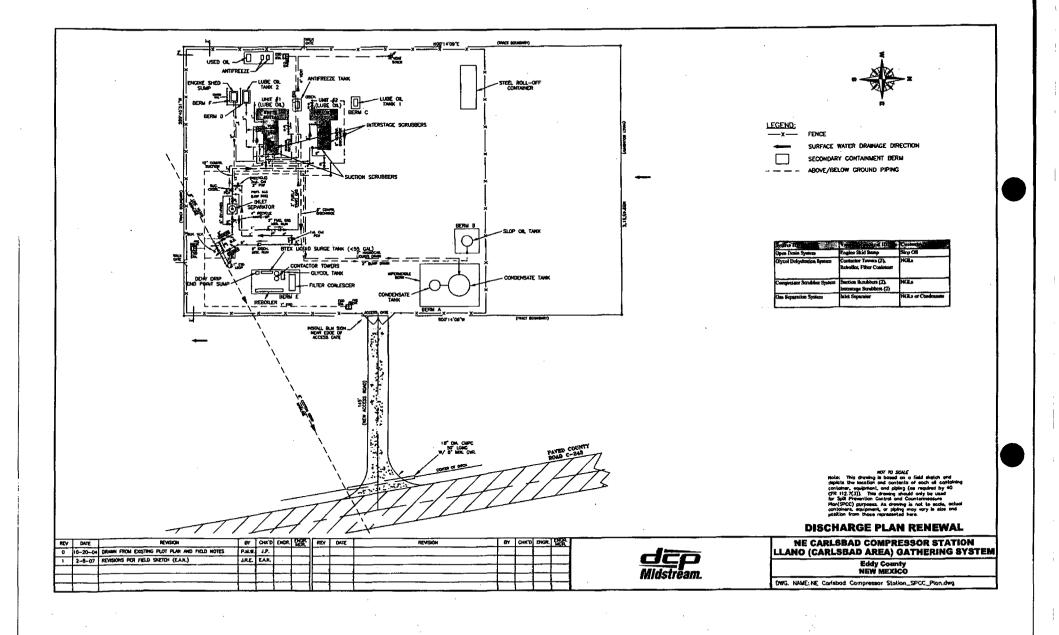
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Mr. Wayne Price New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division 2040 South Pacheco Street Santa Fe, NM 87505

Re:

Discharge Plan GW – 280, N.E. Carlsbad Compressor Station

**Inspection frequency change request** 

Dear Mr. Price:

Conoco, Inc. requests that the inspection frequency required in Discharge Plan Approval Condition 11 (Housekeeping) be changed to monthly. This will allow us to maintain consistency with other facility Discharge Plans.

If you have any questions or require more information please contact me at 505-676-3519.

Sincerely.

Mark Bishop

CC:

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Mark Bishop Environmental Specialist SH&E Services Natural Gas & Gas Product Conoco Inc.
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Environmental Bureau
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RE:

**GW-280 Discharge Plan** 

**Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station** 

Testing of, Underground process/ Wastewater Lines and Below Grade

**Tanks and Sumps** 

Dear Mr. Price:

In accordance with our OCD discharge plan the following actions were performed. Mr. Jerry Guy of the Oil conservation Division in Artesia was notified on July 18, 2001 of scheduled integrity tests to be performed at our Northeast Carlsbad compressor Station. On August 25, 2001 the required integrity tests were performed with no underground leaks or lack of integrity observed. A copy of the test procedure and circle charts is included for your inspection.

If you have any questions or require more information please contact me at, 505-393-2153.

Sincerely,

Mark Bishop

CC: Joyce Miley

Jeff Driver

File: 215-2-22-6

Enclosed: Test procedure and circle charts

# **OCD Underground Line Integrity Test**

# **Northeast Carlsbad Compressor Station**

July 25, 2001

On July 25, 2001 underground liquid lines at the Northeast Carlsbad compressor station were pressure tested to comply with the Oil Conservation Divisions annual and five-year integrity test requirements. Mr. Jerry Guy with the Artesia OCD office was notified on July 18, 2001 that tests were scheduled for both the Northeast Carlsbad and Calmon compressor stations.

Two separate tests were conducted at the Northeast Carlsbad station. The first test involved dump lines from the scrubbers to the 500 bbl atmospheric condensate tank. This section of line was isolated and pressured up with gas to 17 psig and recorded on a circle chart recorder for 1 hour. ( see attached chart)

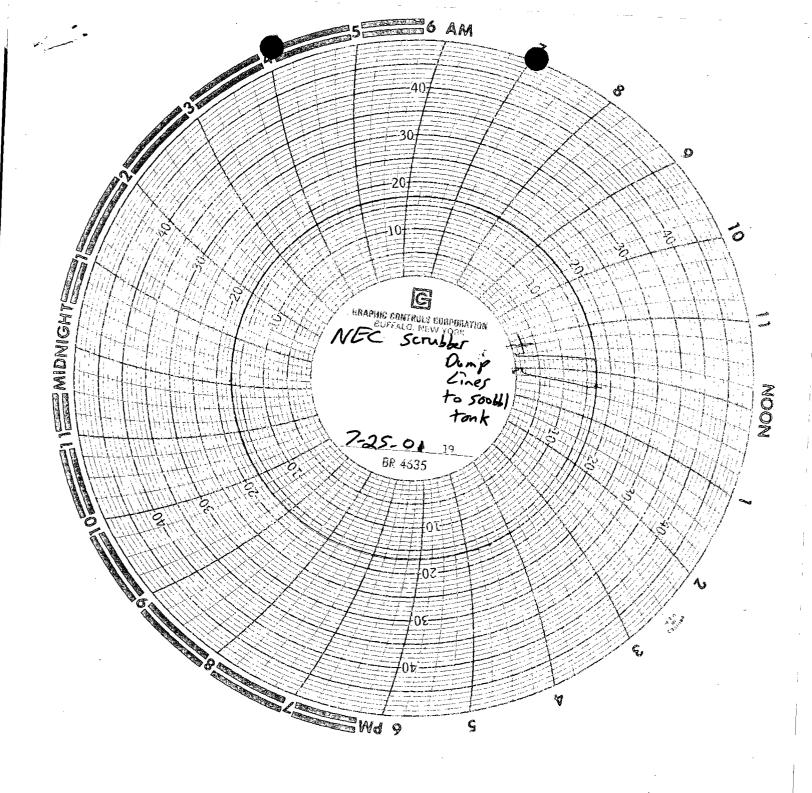
The second test involved the line from the non-exempt waste sump tank to the atmospheric non-exempt waste storage tank. This section of line was isolated and pressured up with compressed air to 13 psig and recorded on a circle chart recorder for 1 hour. ( see attached chart)

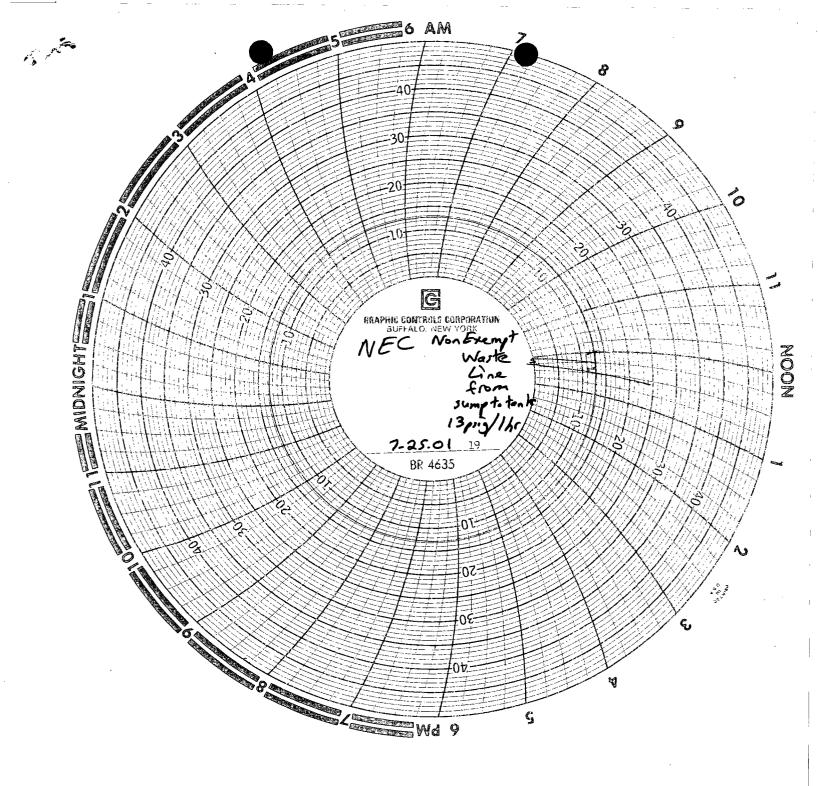
During these tests the underground sump tank and associated containment was inspected and found to be in proper working order.

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# OCD ENVIRONMENTAL BUREAU SITE INSPECTION SHEET

DATE: 5-14-02 Time: 3 PM Compressor St. Ø Brine St. 🗇 Oilfield Service Co. Type of Facility: Refinery □ Gas Plant 🗇 Surface Waste Mgt. Facility E&P Site 🗆 Crude Oil Pump Station 🗖 Other 🛛 Yes & GW# 280 Discharge Plan FACILITY NAME: NE CARUSBAD COMPOT PHYSICAL LOCATION: 32 Legal: QTR QTR OWNER/OPERATOR (NAME) \_ CONOCO INC. MARK BUSHOP Contact Person: Tele:# MAILING ADDRESS: ZIP State Owner/Operator Rep's: PRICE EMARTIN OCD INSPECTORS: 1. <u>Drum Storage</u>: All drums containing materials other than fresh water must be stored on an impermeable pad with curbing. All empty drums will be stored on their sides with the bungs in and lined up on a horizontal plane. Chemicals in other containers such as sacks or buckets will also be stored on an impermeable pad and curb type containment. OK 2. Process Areas: All process and maintenance areas which show evidence that leaks and spills are reaching the ground surface must be either paved and curbed or have some type of spill collection device incorporated into the design.

3. Above Ground Tanks: All above ground tanks which contain fluids other than fresh water must be bermed to
contain a volume of one-third more than the total volume of the largest tank or of all interconnected tanks. All new
tanks or existing tanks that undergo a major modification, as determined by the Division, must be placed within an
impermeable bermed enclosure.
<u>OR</u>
4. Above Ground Saddle Tanks: Above ground saddle tanks must have impermeable pad and curb type containment
unless they contain fresh water or fluids that are gases at atmospheric temperature and pressure.
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5. <u>Labeling:</u> All tanks, drums and containers will be clearly labeled to identify their contents and other emergency
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6. Below Grade Tanks/Sumps: All below grade tanks, sumps, and pits must be approved by the OCD prior to
installation or upon modification and must incorporate secondary containment and leak-detection into the design. All
pre-existing sumps and below-grade tanks must demonstrate integrity on an annual basis. Integrity tests include
pressure testing to 3 pounds per square inch above normal operating pressure and/or visual inspection of cleaned out
tanks and/or sumps, or other OCD approved methods. The OCD will be notified at least 72 hours prior to all testing.
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7. <u>Underground Process/Wastewater Lines:</u> All underground process/wastewater pipelines must be tested to
demonstrate their mechanical integrity at present and then every 5 years thereafter, or prior to discharge plan renewal
The permittee may propose various methods for testing such as pressure testing to 3 pounds per square inch above
normal operating pressure or other means acceptable to the OCD. The OCD will be notified at least 72 hours prior to
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8. Onsite/Offsite Waste Disposal and Storage Practices: Are all wastes properly characterized and disposed of correct
Does the facility have an EPA hazardous waste number? Yes No
ARE ALL WASTE CHARACTERIZED AND DISPOSED OF PROPERLY YES NO IF NO DETAIL BELOW.
9. Class V Wells: Leach fields and other wastewater disposal systems at OCD regulated facilities which inject non-
hazardous fluid into or above an underground source of drinking water are considered Class V injection wells under to EPA UIC program. All Class V wells that inject non-hazardous industrial wastes or a mixture of industrial wastes and domestic wastes will be closed unless it can be demonstrated that groundwater will not be impacted in the reasonably foreseeable future. Closure of Class V wells must be in accordance with a plan approved by the Division's Santa Fe Office. The OCD allows industry to submit closure plans which are protective of human health, the environment and groundwater as defined by the WQCC, and are cost effective. Class V wells that inject domestic waste only must be permitted by the New Mexico Environment Department.
ANY CLASS V WELLS NO YES I IF YES DESCRIBE BELOW! Undetermined I
10. <u>Housekeeping:</u> All systems designed for spill collection/prevention will be inspected weekly and after each storm event to ensure proper operation and to prevent overtopping or system failure. A record of inspections will be retaine on site for a period of five years.
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11. Spill Reporting: All spills/releases will be reported pursuant to OCD Rule 116 and WQCC 1203 to the proper OC District Office.

12.	Does the facility have any other potential environmental concerns/issues?
13.	Does the facility have any other environmental permits - i.e. SPCC, Stormwater Plan, etc.?
14.	ANY WATER WELLS ON SITE? NO YES I IF YES, HOW IS IT BEING USED?
15.	Documents reviewed:
Mis	scellaneous Comments:
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Conoco NE Carlsbad Compressor St. GW-280. Date is wrong should be 5/14/2002.

# **Affidavit of Publication**

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss.

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	Notary Public

March 17, 2002

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SANTA FE, NM 87505 ATTN WAYNE PRICE

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S E A L LORI WROTENBERY, Director Legal #71050 Pub. March 18, 2002 STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 18 day of March A.D., 2002

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Environmental Bureau

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03/07/2002

State of New Mexico **Energy Minerals and Natural Resources** Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

Re:

Renewal Application for Discharge Plan GW-280

N.E. Carlsbad Compressor Station Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Sir or Madam:

Flatrock Energy Partners on behalf of Raptor Gas Transmission LLC and Conoco Gas and Power (Conoco) hereby submits the attached documentation and application for renewal of Discharge Plan GW-280. This submittal includes the application filing fee of \$100.

In order to maintain consistency with other facilities in this area, Conoco Gas and Power requests that this discharge plan be rolled in with the "blanket" discharge permit issued on June 16, 1998 (see appendix B for blanket discharge permit documentation and conditions). The blanket discharge permit provides coverage for other facilities in the area that are operated by Conoco Gas and Power.

Please contact me at 210 494 6777 or Mark Bishop at 505-393-2153 if you have questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

Clay Y. Smith, PE

Mark Bishop - Hobbs, NM cc:

Joyce Miley - Houston, TX

#### Price, Wayne

From:

Sent:

To:

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Subject:

Price, Wayne Monday, December 17, 2001 1:55 PM 'joyce.m.miley@usa.conoco.com' Stubblefield, Mike Discharge Plan renewal notification GW-280

Contacts:

Joyce Miley



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# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Oil Conservation Division

### Memorandum of Meeting or Conversation

Telephone Personal E-Mail FAX:	 x	
Date:		
Originating Par	rty: Wayne Price-O	OCD
Other Parties:	Joyce M. Miley- Con	noco Inc.
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	fication: Notification of V above listed facilities.	WQCC 3106F; notice to submit Discharge Plan renewal application with \$100.00
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Please send DP		filing Fee before <u>February 10, 2002</u> to retain WQCC 3106.F provision.
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Joyce M. Miley
Environmental Consultant
Engineering and Compliance
Natural Gas & Gas Products Department

Conoco Inc. 600 N. Dairy Ashford Rd. P.O. Box 2197, HU3036 Houston, TX 77252

Telephone: (281) 293-4498 Facsimile: (281) 293-1214 DEC 1 8 2000

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November 30, 2000

### Certified Mail No. 7099 3220 0003 1150 1803 Return Receipt Requested

Mr. Roger Anderson Environmental Bureau Chief New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division 2040 South Pacheco Street Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re:

Change of Ownership

Conoco Inc., Natural Gas & Gas Products Department

#### Dear Mr. Anderson:

Effective December 1, 2000, Conoco Inc., Natural Gas & Gas Products Department (NG&GP) assumed ownership of LG&E Natural Gathering & Processing LLC,: and LG&E Natural Pipeline LLC (LG&E). These LG&E entities, in turn, own certain natural gas facilities in SE New Mexico. These facilities and their OCD Groundwater Discharge numbers are listed in the table below.

Facility Name	OCD Groundwater Discharge Permit
Antelope Ridge Gas Plant	GW-162
Hobbs Gas Plant	GW-175
Apex Compressor Station	GW-163
Bootleg (aka. NBR) Compressor Station	GW-176
Bright/Yates Compressor Station	GW-160
Cedar Canyon Compressor Station	GW-296
Cal-Mon Compressor Station	GW-143
NE Carlsbad Compressor Station	GW-280
Cotton Draw Compressor Station	GW-311
Hat Mesa Compressor Station	GW-316
Lee (aka. Lea and/or Fagan/Gillespie)	GW-227
Compressor Station	
Pardue Farms Compressor Station	GW-288
Pure Gold 28 Compressor Station	GW-150
Parker & Parsley (aka. Malaga) Compressor Station	GW-167

Several of these locations have conditions in their permits that require the new owner to supply a written commitment to comply with the terms and conditions of the previously approved discharge plans. LG&E has informed Conoco that all above locations are in compliance with the discharge plans. Conoco has copies of all of the approval letters and LG&E signed conditions of approval for these locations. We agree to continue to operate the locations in conformance with the groundwater permits, the approval conditions and the OCD regulations.

In addition, pursuant to certain requirements of the transaction in which Conoco acquired the entities, the names of certain entities have been changed to the following: Raptor Natural Gathering & Processing LLC and Raptor Natural Pipeline LLC (in each case replacing LG&E with Raptor).

Conoco Inc. requests that all future correspondence concerning these facilities be forwarded to me at the address above. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Mark Bishop at (505) 623-5659 or myself at (281) 293-4498.

Sincerely,

Joyce M. Miley

cc.:

Ms. Patricia Merrill LG&E Energy Corp. 220 West Main Street PO Box 32030 Louisville, KY 40232-2030 Certified Mail No. 7099 3220 0003 1150 1797 Return Receipt Requested

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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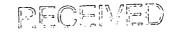
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NO EFFECT FINDING

The described action will have no effect on listed species, Selfands or other important wildlife resources.

Date \_\_\_\_ May 15, 1997

Consultation#

Approved by

U.S. FISH and WILDLIFE SERVICE

NEW MEXICO ECOLOGICAL SERVICES FIELD OFFICE ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

WILLIAM J/LEMAY, Director

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State of New Mexico. County of Eddy, ss.

Amy McKay ,
being first duly sworn, on oath says:
That she is Business Manager 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:
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That the cost of publication is \$\( \frac{46.51}{26.51} \), and that payment thereof has been made and will be assessed as court costs.  Subscribed and sworn to before me this \( \frac{25\psi}{25\psi} \) day of \( 12000000000000000000000000000000000000
My commission expires 8/1/98

**Notary Public** 

April 23, 1997

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Immediately upon completion of publication, please send the following to this office:

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- 2. Invoices for prompt payment.

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Sincerely,

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## DISCHARGE PLAN APPLICATION FOR NATURAL GAS PROCESSING PLANTS.

	(Refer to OCD Guidelines for assistance in completing the application.)	GW-280
TYPE:	Compressor Station	

I.	TYPE: Compressor Station					
II.	OPERATOR: LG&E Natural					
	ADDRESS: 921 West Sanger - Hobbs, NM 88240					
	CONTACT PERSON: Ed Sloman (505) 393-2153 PHONE:					
III.	Lot 9 LOCATION: na /4 na /4 Section 6 Township 21S Range 28E Submit large scale topographic map showing exact location.					
IV.	Attach the name and address of the landowner(s) of the disposal facility site.					
V.	Attach description of the facility with a diagram indicating location of fences, pits, dikes, and tanks on the facility.					
VI.	Attach a description of sources, quantities and quality of effluent and waste solids.					
VII.	Attach a description of current liquid and solid waste transfer and storage procedures.					
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IX.	Attach a routine inspection and maintenance plan to ensure permit compliance.					
X.	Attach a contingency plan for reporting and clean-up of spills or releases.					
XI.	Attach geological/hydrological evidence demonstrating that disposal of oil field wastes will not adversely impact fresh water. Depth to and quality of ground water must be included.					
XII.	Attach such other information as is necessary to demonstrate compliance with any other OCD rules, regulations and/or orders.					
III.	CERTIFICATION					
	I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.					

Name:	J. R.	Delaney	Title:	General	Manager	

Signature: Date:

DISTRIBUTION: Original and one copy to Santa Fe with one copy to appropriate Division District Office.

I.

The major purpose of this facility, The N. E. Carlsbad Compressor Station, is to compress natural gas.

This compressor station will be a "Booster," station. We will take gas from one section or our pipeline gathering system, boost the pressure of the natural gas, and move the natural gas at a higher pressure to another section of our gathering pipeline system. To accomplish this goal we will be using one natural gas fired engine driven compressor of approximately 1,100 H. P.

At this facility we will have an inlet scrubber to the compressor station, and a skid mounted set of scrubbers on the compressor itself. These scrubbers will remove free liquid from the inlet stream of natural gas before it is compressed. There will be a 500 bbl. Standard API closed tank, and a 100 bbl. Fiberglass open top tank installed at this location. All of the fluids from the scrubbers will be piped into the 500 bbl. Tank for storage. As the liquids separate into condensate and water, the water will be transferred to the open top 100 bbl. tank. The tanks will be emptied into trucks as often as necessary, and transported to either market, or to a licensed disposal which ever is applicable.

II.

The Owner/Operator of this facility will be: LG&E Natural Gathering and Processing Co. 921 West Sanger Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

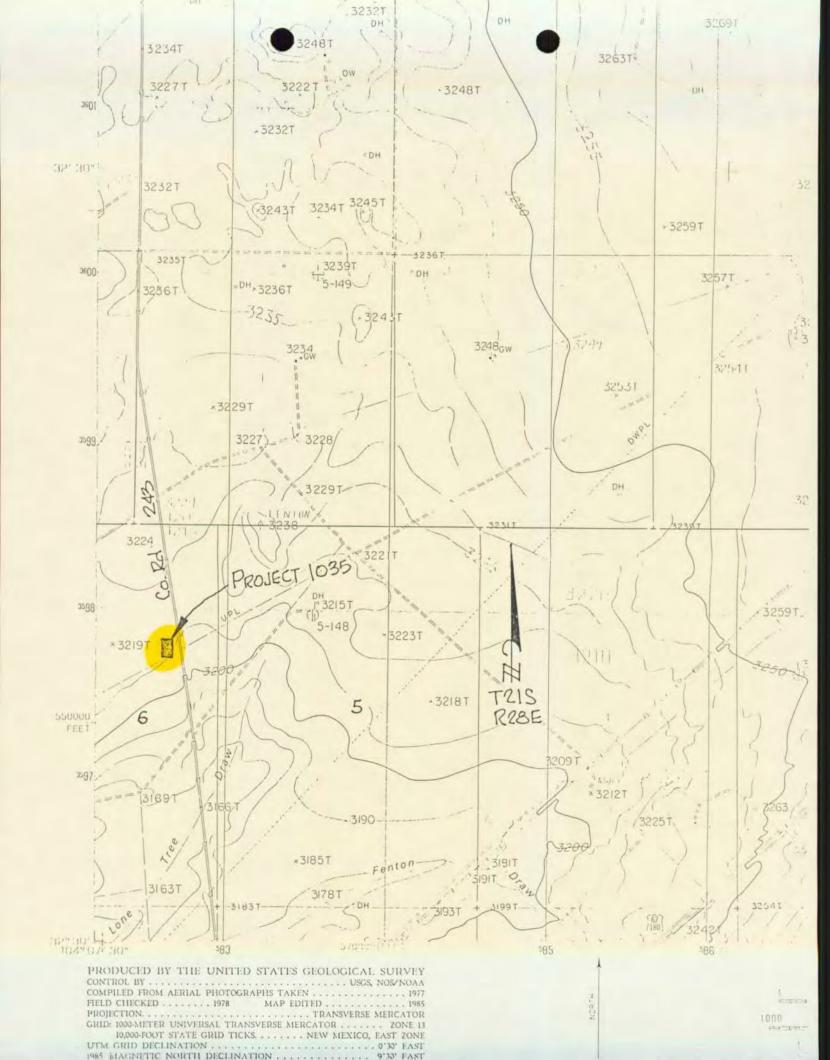
Mr. J. R. Delaney General Manager; Operations and Construction 921 West Sanger Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

(505) 393-2153

III.

Location: Lot 9: Section 6, Township 21 S, Range 28 E, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico:

Attached please find a copy of the topographic map showing the location of the compressor station.



IV.

According to the Rights - of - Way documents the land owner for this property is:

United States
Department Of The Interior
Bureau Of Land Management

RDO - Carlsbad Resources Area

see attached Rights-Of-Way grant with Survey Plot:

FORM 2800-14 (August 1985)

Issuing Office RDO - Carlsbad Resource Area

# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT RIGHT-OF-WAY GRANT/TEMPORARY USE PERMIT

SERIAL NUMBER: NM NM-97369

1. A right-of-way is hereby granted pursuant to Section 28 of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (30 U.S.C. 185).

#### 2. Nature of Interest:

a. By this instrument, the holder:

Hadson Gas Gathering Processing Co. 921 W. Sanger Hobbs, NM 88240

receives a right to construct, operate, maintain, and terminate a compressor site location which could contain up to 4 compressor units and related piping, measurement equipment, gas scrubbers, dehydration equipment, liquid hydrocarbon storage, etc., and access road on Federal lands described as follows:

T. 21 S., R. 28 E., NMPM Section 06: Lot 9.

The lands described above contain a total acreage of 1.592.

- b. The right-of-way or permit area granted herein is 30 feet wide, 144.8 feet long and contains 0.100 acres for the road, more or less. If a site type facility, the project contains 1.492 acres (200' X 325').
- c. This instrument shall terminate on <u>February 11, 2027</u>, 30 years from its effective date unless, prior thereto, it is relinquished, abandoned, terminated, or modified pursuant to the terms and conditions of this instrument or of any applicable Federal law or regulation.
- d. This instrument may be renewed. If renewed, the right-of-way or permit shall be subject to the regulations existing at the time of renewal and any other terms and conditions that the authorized officer deems necessary to protect the public interest.
- e. Notwithstanding the expiration of this instrument or any renewal thereof, early relinquishment, abandonment, or termination, the provisions of this instrument, to the extent applicable, shall continue in effect and shall be binding on the holder, its successors, or assigns, until they have fully satisfied the obligations and/or liabilities accruing herein before or on account of the expiration, or prior termination, of the grant.

#### 3. Rental:

For and in consideration of the rights granted, the holder agrees to pay the Bureau of Land Management fair market value rental as determined by the authorized officer unless specifically exempted from such payment by regulation. Provided, however, that the rental may be adjusted by the authorized officer, whenever necessary, to reflect changes in the fair market rental value as determined by the application of sound business management principles, and so far as practicable and feasible, in accordance with comparable commercial practices.

#### 4. Terms and Conditions:

- This grant or permit is issued subject to the holder's compliance with all applicable regulations contained in Title 43 Code of Federal Regulations part 2880.
- Upon grant termination by the authorized officer, all improvements shall be b. removed from the Federal lands within 90 days, or otherwise disposed of as provided in paragraph (4)(c) or as directed by the authorized officer.
- The stipulations, plans, maps, or designs set forth in Exhibits A, B, C, & D, dated January 29, 1997, attached hereto, are incorporated into and made a part c. of this grant instrument as fully and effectively as if they were set forth herein in their entirety.
- d. Failure of the holder to comply with applicable law or any provision of this right-of-way grant or permit shall constitute grounds for suspension or termination thereof.
- The holder shall perform all operations in a good and workmanlike manner so as to ensure protection of the environment and the health and safety of the public.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The undersigned agrees to the terms and conditions of this right-ofway grant or permit.

(Signature of Hol

2-10-97 (Date)

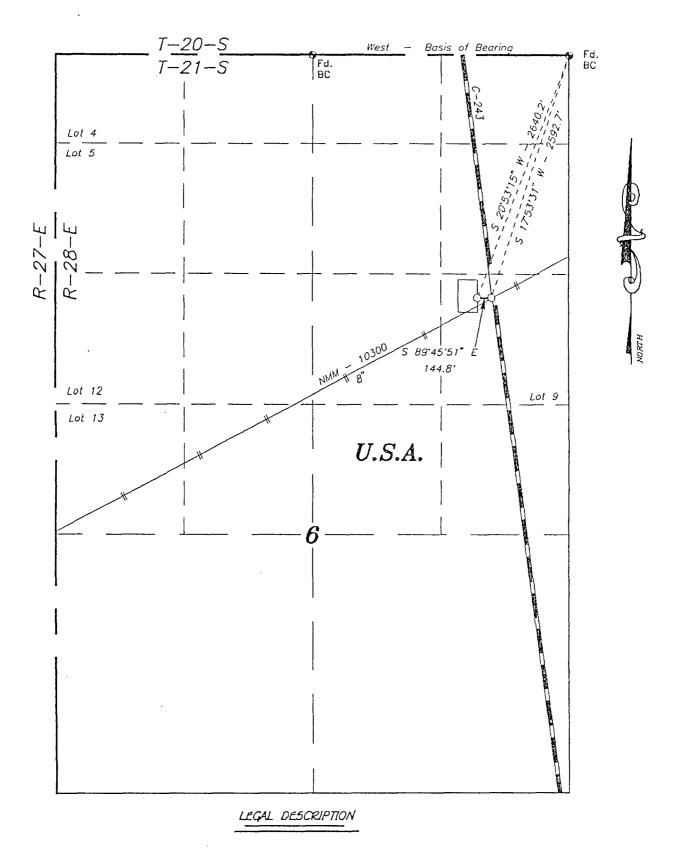
(Signature Authorized Officer)

Carlsbad Resource Area Manager,

(Title)

(Effective Date of Grant)

#### SECTION 6, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, N.M.P.M., EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.



A road right of way 30.0 feet wide, being located in Lot 9, Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico and being 15.0 feet left and right of the above shown centerline:

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 $144.8 \ feet = 0.03 \ miles$ 

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PLAT WAS PREPARED FROM FIELD NOTES OF AN ACTUAL SURVEY AND MEETS OR EXCEEDS ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR LAND SURVEYS AS SPECIFIED BY THIS STATE. 7977 5074 GARY L. JONES P.S No. No.

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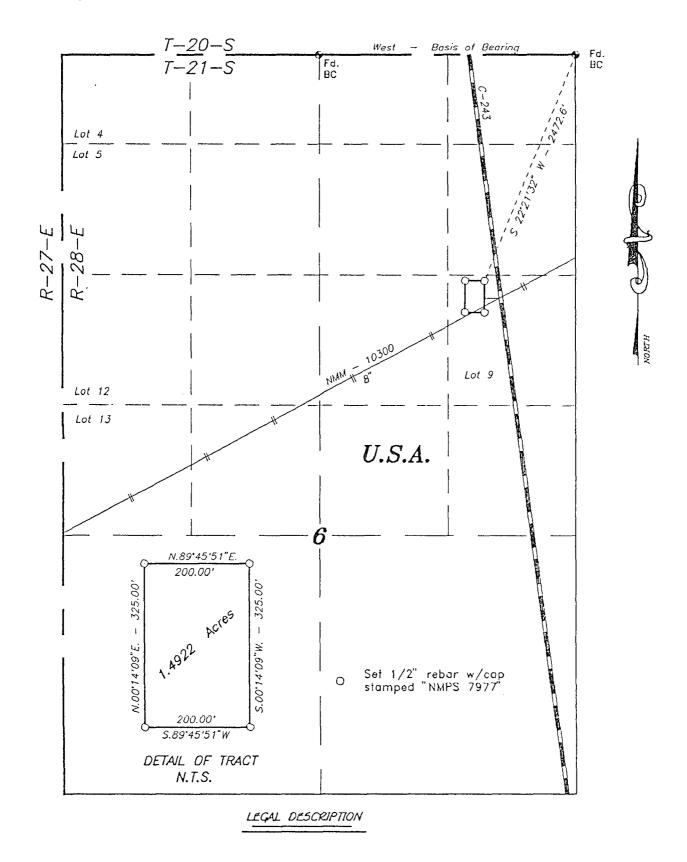
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A ROAD RIGHT OF WAY LOCATED IN THE LOT 9 OF SECTION 6, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST,

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SECTION 6, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, N.M.P.M., EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.



A TRACT OF LAND LOCATED IN LOT 9 OF SECTION 6, TOWNSHIP 21 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, NMPM, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of this tract, a point being S.22'21'32"W., 2472.6 feet from the Northeast corner of said Section 6. Thence S.00'14'09"W., 325.00 feet; Thence S.89'45'51"W., 200.00 feet; Thence N.00'14'09"E., 325.00 feet; Thence N.89'45'51"E., 200.00 feet to the point of beginning. Said tract contains 1.4922 acres more or less.

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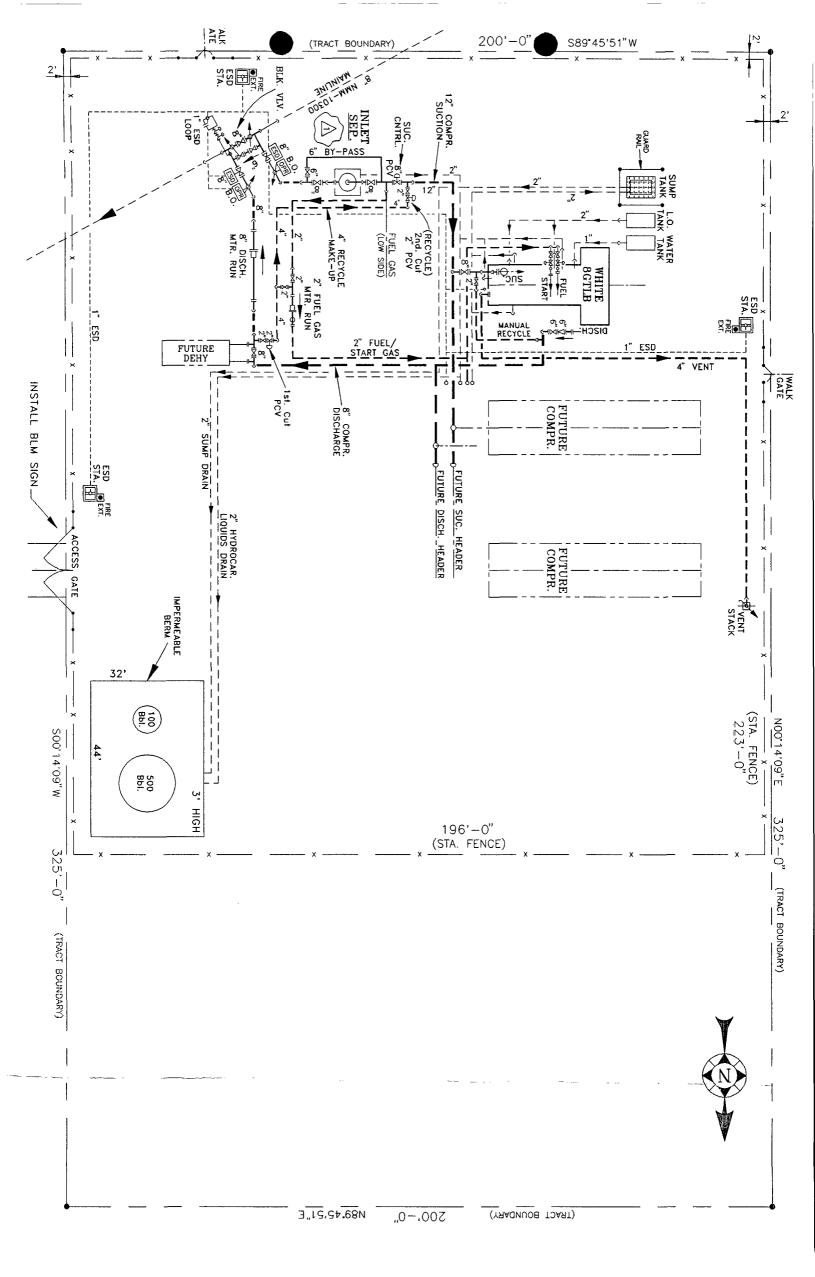
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#### V. Facility Description:

This compressor station, The N. E. Carlsbad Compressor Station, consist of one natural gas engine driven natural gas compressor. The station will have a station inlet scrubber, and there are scrubbers for the compressor mounted on the compressor skid. This compressor will be compressing natural gas from the west side of our gathering system, boosting the pressure and sending the natural gas to the east down our gathering system. There will be tow tanks set at this facility. There will be one 500 bbl. closed steel API tank set which the scrubbers will dump into. There will be a 100 bbl. open top fiberglass top tank set which will be a produced water tank. The purpose of this open top tank is to transfer the water from the 500 bbl. tank to the 100 bbl. tank for proper management of the fluids. The water will be trucked from location and disposed of in an approved manner at a permitted facility. The condensate left in the 500 bbl. tank will be sold to company of choice as a product of this facility. There will be a sump system installed at this location. The sump system will have secondary containment and an open grid for visual inspection of the system.

The natural gas enters this station from a single pipeline, is compressed and is discharged through a single pipeline. The design of this station is simply a booster compressor station.



#### VI. Sources, Quantities, & Quality of Effluent & Waste Solids:

- 1. Engine Cooling Water The engine driving the compressor contains approximately 340 gallons of a 50% Norkool, 50% water mixture for cooling purposes. This is a closed loop system and normally required no make-up.
- 2. Separators Each scrubber, the station inlet, and each of the two scrubbers which are skid mounted on the compressor, will remove an estimated 0 to 10 bbl. of liquid per day, condensate & produced water, depending on the ambient conditions, and other factors involved.
- 3. Waste Lubrication Oils- The compressor contains approximately 60 gallons of lubricating oil, and the engine contains approximately 100 gallons of lubrication oil. The lubrication oil is a standard 30 or 40 weight oil and is replaced approximately every 2500 hours of run time, or as required by oil analysis.
- 4. Used Oil Filters- Used oil filters will be properly drained, and will be stored in a receptacle on location for this purpose. Our engine oil vendor will collect the filters and will dispose of them in an approved manner.

The produced water and hydrocarbon liquids will be commingled within the facility. Individual rates, volumes and concentrations should not vary beyond the ranges identified above. All Process units will be self-contained to prevent unintentional or inadvertent discharges and spills.

#### VII. Transfer & Storage of Process Fluid & Effluents

Produced water and hydrocarbon liquid are collected in the scrubbers. The produced water and hydrocarbon liquids are commingled and piped to a closed storage tank. (see attached facility schematic).

Each of the scrubbers are pressurized vessels. The closed storage tank will be maintained at atmospheric pressure. There will be a 100 bbl. open top fiberglass storage tank which will bb utilized for storage of produced water. The open top fiberglass tank will have a "netting" cover for wildlife protection.

The closed storage tank is a standard API 500 bbl. tank. The tank is constructed above ground level. The 100 bbl. tank is constructed above ground level. These tanks will have an earthen dike enclosure to provide secondary containment equal to one-third greater that the tank capacity. The containment area will have an impermeable barrier installed to prevent contamination of soils.

Waste lubrication oil will be collected in a mobile tank provided for the purpose of oil changes. This used lubrication oil is collected, and relinquished to a licensed oil reclaiming facility for proper recycling and handling of the used lubrication oil. This used lubrication oil and filters will be handled through our oil vendor.

The compressor will be set on an "environmental" base. This base will provide a guttering system which will keep any rain water from running off of the equipment and onto the ground. This guttering system will be piped to a sump tank with secondary containment. This sump tank will be piped to our 500 bbl. storage tank.

VIII.

This is not a disposal site for EFFLUENT Liquid.

As previously stated, the purpose of this site is to compress natural gas. There will be some produced water, and condensate which will be recovered from the natural gas. These liquids will be stored in a 500 Bbl. and a 100 Bbl. tank, and will be hauled from location. The produced water will be disposed of by a trucking company, either Rowland Trucking, or AA Oilfield Service. Both of these companies have approved disposal wells which they use, and charge us for the disposal of the produced water.

The condensate will be sold to a refinery. The refinery of choice will be elected by price, and they will pick up the condensate from the storage tank and transport it to their facility.

The used engine lubricants, and filters will be handled by our oil vendor. The Compressor is owned by LG&E Natural and all maintenance required on this unit will be performed by LG&E Natural.

The storage tanks will be monitored by our operators on a daily bases. Our operators will be reporting to their supervisor by mobile communications if this tank should need any further attention. Our supervisors have the means to order a truck to haul liquid at the time our operator's report to him. With this type of check, and safety check, there should be no ground water contamination to contend with.

Simply stated, if the liquid is contained in the tanks, then it cannot contaminate the ground, or ground water.

IX.

This facility will have an operator which will check the operations of the facility on a daily bases. The operator will report the functioning of the compressors, and a log will be kept of the units. If the operator should locate any problem in any of the equipment, what-so-ever, he will report the problem to his supervisor. Each operator is equipped with mobile communications, which is monitored 24 hours a day.

In the event of a "reportable spill", the operator would notify his supervisor immediately of the occurrence. The supervisor would in turn notify his immediate supervisor, and our emergency report and operating plan would be implemented.

Fluids will be collected inside pressure vessels. These vessels will be ASME stamped, approved, pressure vessels. Therefore, no precipitation can be collected in them

The compressor unit has an "environmental" skid, which will not allow precipitation which has contacted this unit to runoff onto the ground. The new unit skid will be piped into a sump tank which will transfer all fluids to the above ground storage tanks. As previously stated the contents of these tanks will be hauled by truck as often as necessary to assure proper levels are maintained.

The sump system is a 500 gal. tank which will be installed with secondary containment. The drain lines will be tested at least once every five years to assure OCD compliance.

X.

Our contingency plan for cleaning up spills, and reporting same is not complicated. We have a supervisor on call who is available 24 hours a day. There are administrative support supervisors available when ever needed.

If a spill should occur, the supervisor on duty would start the field operations of the clean-up, by first stopping the source of the spill, and containing all fluids that he possibly can. The on duty supervisor would notify the support people of the situation. The OCD would be notified pursuant to rule 116, and a contractor would be dispatched at that time to start clean up. The land owner would be notified, and all measures would be taken to protect his live-stock, as well as any wild animals.

All clean up would be carried out in an approved manner, and all necessary waste would be dealt with accordingly.

#### XI. SITE CHARACTERISTICS

A. There have been no water wells located with in one mile of the location of this compressor station. Therefore laboratory analysis of water from the closest well has not been submitted, if there are no water wells in the area a water sample could not be obtained.

This is not a disposal site. So we would not adversely effect any water, ground, or other environmental state with the disposal of waste.

(ALSO SEE SECTION 5)