12/06/21 REVIEWER: pLEL2204860769 LRL

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION



- Geological & Engine	
1220 South St. Francis Drive,	Santa Fe, NM 87505
ADMINISTRATIVE APPLI	CATION CHECKLIST
THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE / REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING	
Applicant: Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.	OGRID Number: 6137
Well Name: Mule 23-11 Fed Com 712H	API: 30-015-Pending
Pool: Purple Sage; Wolfcamp	Pool Code: 98220
SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION R INDICATED	
1) TYPE OF APPLICATION: Check those which apply a A. Location – Spacing Unit – Simultaneous Dedication – Spacing Unit – Spacing	
B. Check one only for [1] or [11] [1] Commingling – Storage – Measurement DHC CTB PLC PC [11] Injection – Disposal – Pressure Increase – WFX PMX SWD IPI	□ OLS □ OLM - Enhanced Oil Recovery □ EOR □ PPR FOR OCD ONLY
2) NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO: Check those which of A. Offset operators or lease holders B. Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue C. Application requires published notice D. Notification and/or concurrent approval E. Notification and/or concurrent approval F. Surface owner G. For all of the above, proof of notification H. No notice required	apply. De owners By SLO By BLM Notice Complete Application Content Complete
3) CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information administrative approval is accurate and complete understand that no action will be taken on this approval to the Division.	e to the best of my knowledge. I also
Note: Statement must be completed by an individu	ual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.
	December 3, 2021
Darin Savage	Date
Print or Type Name	970-385-4401 Phone Number
Darin C. Savage Digitally signed by Darin C. Savage Date: 2021.12.03 14.46.15 -0.700'	darin@ahadiasahill.com
Signature	e-mail Address EXHIBIT
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Exhibit F:

SUBMITTED TO THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION:

Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of nonstandard well location (NSL) for its Mule Wells located in the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and the W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

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Exhibit D:	C-102 Forms, specifically identifying the NSL (19.15.15.13C)
Exhibit E:	Tract map outlining unorthodox HSU with affected area tracts identified
	(19.15.15.13C)

A list of affected persons, with addresses, entitled to notice of the application (19.15.15.13C)

Devon Energy Production Company, LLC

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Oklahoma North Dakota

December 6, 2021

Adrienne Sandoval, Director Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Department of Energy Minerals and Natural Resources 1220 South Saint Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Copy to: Leonard Lowe, Division Hearing Examiner

Re: Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Mule 23-11 Fed Com 712H Well located in the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and the W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Dear Director Sandoval:

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., ("Devon"), OGRID No. 6137, is seeking administrative approval of a unorthodox well location ("NSL") for its Mule 23-11 Fed Com 712H (API Nos. 30-015-Pending), gas well, covering 720-acres, to be completed within the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool (Pool Code 98220) underlying the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and the W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. A C-102 for the Well is attached as Exhibit D. This is a horizontal well that will be drilled as follows:

Mule 23-11 Fed Com 712H Well:

- Surface Location (SL): 959' from the North line and 2,030' from the West line of Section 23, Township 25 South, Range 31 East;
- Bottom Hole Location (BHL): 20' from the North line and 2,310' from the West line of Section 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East;
- First Take Point (FTP): 1,210' from the North line and 2,310' from the West line of Section 23, Township 25 South, Range 31 East;
- Last Take Point (LTP): 100' from the North line and 2,310' from the West line of Section 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East.

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EXHIBIT **A**

Devon has included as Exhibit C, a letter explaining why this application is needed. The well will produce from the Purple Sage Wolfcamp Pool (Pool Code 98220). There are special pool rules for this pool under Order No. R-14262, that establish 330' setback requirements. The completed interval for the proposed well is closer than 330' from the boundary of the spacing unit.

The unorthodox well location will encroach towards the S/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and the SW/4 of Section 2, Township 25 South, Range 31 East.

Devon attests that, on or before submission of this application, it provided notice to the affected persons in the adjoining S/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and the SW/4 of Section 2, Township 25 South, Range 31 East; said notice as described satisfies all provisions of NMAC 19.15.4.12A(2)(a) and NMAC 19.15.15.13D; copies of the application and required plat maps were furnished. Devon also provided notice to the Bureau of Land Management to the extent that they own interest with respect to areas adjoining the proposed unorthodox well location unit. Additionally, Devon obtained an NSL waiver agreement from Mewbourne Oil Company, whose operating interests are in the S/2 N/2 of Section 23. Devon provides herein a tract map outlining the unorthodox HSU with affected area tracts identified, attached as Exhibit E. Proof of mailing, along with a copy of the notice letter sent to listed affected persons and parties, is attached hereto as Exhibit F. The development plan for this unit is pursuant to a Joint Operating Agreement; therefore, there is no associated pooling case number.

Your consideration in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Darin C. Savage

Attorney for Applicant



Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. 333 West Sheridan Avenue Oklahoma City, OK 73102-5015

December 1, 2021

Mr. Leonard Lowe New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 1220 South Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE:

Application for Nonstandard Location

Engineering Statement

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Mule 23-11 Fed Com 612H, 621H, 623H, 624H, 711H, 712H, 713H, 714H, 731H, 732H, 733H, and 734H

(the "Mule Wells")

All of Section 11, 14, and N/2N/2 of 23-25S-31E

Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Lowe:

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. respectfully requests administrative approval of a non-standard location ("NSL") for each of the Mule Wells referenced above. The Mule Wells are in the Purple Sage-Wolfcamp Gas Pool (Pool Code 98220). It is Devon's responsibility as a prudent operator to minimize reserves left in the ground. Decreasing the first and last take point from three hundred and thirty feet (330') to one hundred feet (100') will increase the wells effective lateral length by 460 feet thereby increasing ultimate recovery of reserves and thereby preventing waste of natural resources.

Sincerely,

Paige Bowes

Reservoir Engineer

Paige Bowes

EXHIBIT

Devon - Public

DISTRICT I
1625 N. FRENCH DR., HOBBS, NM 88240
Phone: (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720
DISTRICT II
811 S. FIRST ST., ARTESIA, NM 88210
Phone: (575) 746-1283 Fax: (575) 748-9720

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

1220 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Form C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

DISTRICT III 1000 RIO BRAZOS RD., AZTEC, NM 87410 Phone: (505) 334-6178 Fax: (505) 334-6170

DISTRICT IV 1220 S. ST. FRANCIS DR., SANTA FE, NM 87505 Phone: (505) 476-3460 Fax: (505) 476-3462

□ AMENDED REPORT

11010. (600) 110 0100 144. (600) 110 0102	WELL LOCATION AND	ACREAGE DEDICATION	PLAT
API Number	Pool Code		Pool Name
Property Code	-	perty Name	Well Number
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OGRID No.	Орез	ator Name	Elevation
6137	DEVON ENERGY PRO	DUCTION COMPANY, L	.P. 3361.2'

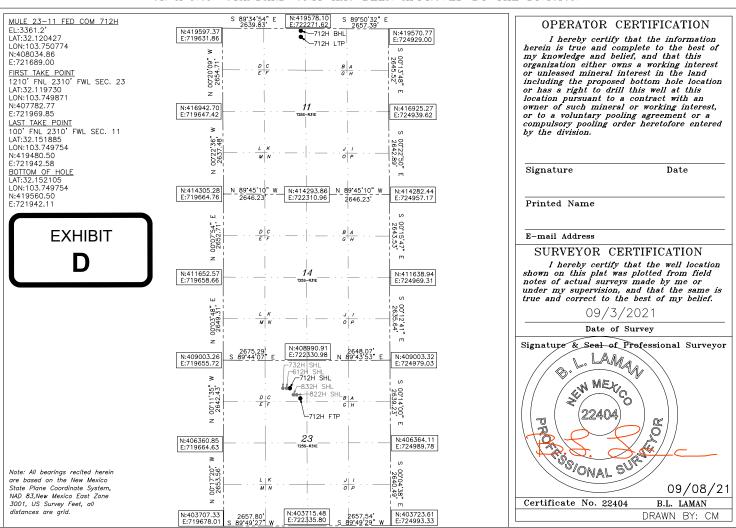
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С	23	25-S	31-E		959	NORTH	2030	WEST	EDDY

Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
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Dedicated Acres Joint or Infill Consolidation Code			Code Ore	ler No.					

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



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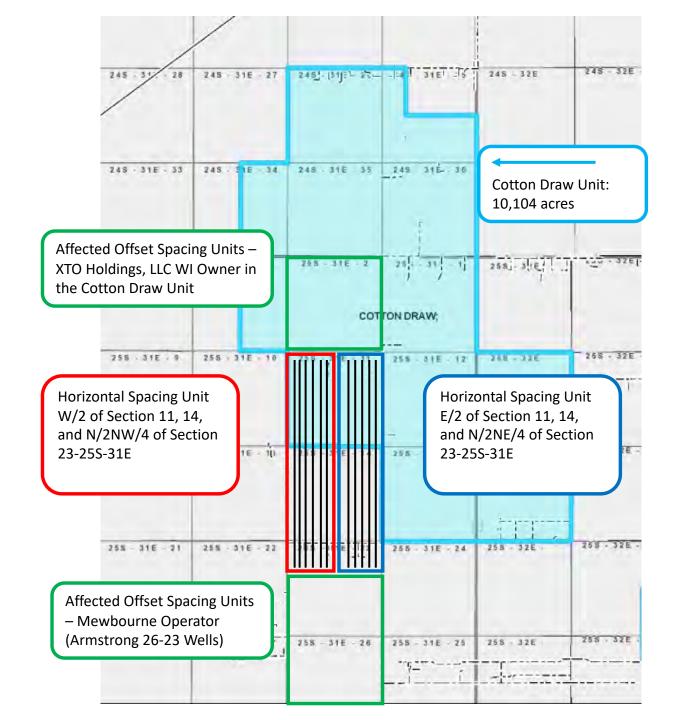


EXHIBIT **E**

Overlapping Spacing Sections 23-25S-31E, Eddy County, NM Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

Company Name	Туре	Address	Certified Mail	Date Mailed	STATUS	Date Received	Green Card Received	STR	Tract	Pool Code	Devon Energy Well
		22777 Springwoods Village						All of Section 2-25S-31E	A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J,		Mule 23-11 Fed Com 621H, 711H, 731H, 612H, 712H,
XTO Energy, Inc.	WI	Parkway, Spring, TX, 77389	70210950000069888708	12/6/21					K, L, M,N, O, & P		732H, 623H, 713H, 733H, 624H, 714H, & 734H
		500 W. Texas, Ste 1020, Midland,						S/2 N/2 of Section 23-25S-31E	E, F, G, & H		Mule 23-11 Fed Com 621H, 711H, 731H, 612H, 712H,
Mewbourne	Operator	TX, 79701	70210950000069888722	12/6/21							732H, 623H, 713H, 733H, 624H, 714H, & 734H
		620 E. Greene Street, Carlsbad, NM						All of Sections 23,14, and 11	A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J,		Mule 23-11 Fed Com 621H, 711H, 731H, 612H, 712H,
Bureau of Land Management	Royalty	88220-6292	70210950000069888715	12/6/21				in 25S-31E	K, L, M,N, O, & P		732H, 623H, 713H, 733H, 624H, 714H, & 734H

EXHIBIT

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Oklahoma North Dakota

December 6, 2021

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

NOTICE TO AFFECTED PERSONS/PARTIES
RE: APPLICATIONS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE APPROVAL OF UNORTHODOX
WELL LOCATIONS

- 1) Re: Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Mule 23-11 Fed Com 621H Well located in the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- 2) Re: Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Mule 23-11 Fed Com 711H Well located in the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- 3) Re: Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Mule 23-11 Fed Com 731H Well located in the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.
- 4) Re: Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Mule 23-11 Fed Com 612H Well located in the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.
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- 6) Re: Application of Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Mule 23-11 Fed Com 732H Well located in the N/2 NW/4 of Section 23 and W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

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To the Parties/Persons this may concern:

Enclosed in this notice are copies of the above referenced applications filed with the New Mexico Conservation Division on the date referenced above. You are being notified in your capacity as a person or party in an adjoining section or unit pursuant to our request for approval of an unorthodox well location of the above-referenced wells. Any objections that you have to one or more of these applications must be filed in writing with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within twenty (20) days from the date the Division receives the applications filed for administrative approval by the Division. Email correspondence for this matter can be sent to the Division at OCD.Engineer@state.nm.us.

If you have any questions concerning this application, please contact:

Verl Brown
Supervising Landman
Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.
(405) 228-8804
Verl.Brown@dvn.com

If you have no objections to these applications, please sign the waiver as indicated below and return the original to the address listed on this letterhead. Your assistance and cooperation in this matter are appreciated.

Sincerely,

Darin C. Savage

Attorney for Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

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	hereby waives objection to the above referenced or the Mule 23-11 Fed Com 621H Well located in the ions 14 and 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East,
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CONDITIONS

Action 65253

CONDITIONS

Operator:	OGRID:
DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, LP	6137
333 West Sheridan Ave.	Action Number:
Oklahoma City, OK 73102	65253
	Action Type:
	[UF-NSL] Non-Standard Location (NSL)

CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
llowe	None	12/20/2021