

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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XTO Permian Operating, LLC  
(OGRID: 373075)  
c/o Kristen Houston  
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**RE: Administrative Order SWD-2385 - First Extension of Injection Authority**

Well: Poker Lake Unit 21 Lincoln Fee SWD No. 1  
Surface location: 370 feet FSL, 1355 feet FEL, Unit O, Section 21, Township 25 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico  
(Latitude: 32.109418; Longitude: -103.881910 NAD83)  
Order Date: August 28, 2020  
Injection formations: Devonian and Silurian formations, 16,368 feet – 17,683 feet.

Greetings Ms. Houston:

Reference is made to your March 6, 2026, request on behalf of XTO Permian Operating, LLC (the current “operator”) to extend the injection authority for the subject well which will expire May 10, 2026, due to a consecutive 12 months of inactivity.

The Oil Conservation Division (“OCD”) has reviewed your correspondence which states that additional time is needed to perform workover operations and return the well to injection.

The OCD finds that for reasons you have stated, the granting of this request to extend the injection authority for the administrative order pursuant to 19.15.26.12C(2) NMAC, is in the interest of conservation, will prevent waste, and will protect the environment. Therefore, the deadline to return the well to injection for the existing order is **hereby extended until May 10, 2027.**

All requirements of the above-mentioned administrative order and agreements in the application shall remain in full force and effect. This shall include being current with all testing and monitoring requirements when the well returns to injection. The Director shall retain the right to require mechanical integrity testing of the well prior to commencing injection under the extension order.

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Any additional extension of the deadline to return the well to injection shall be submitted in writing prior to the end date of the new extension previously cited. The written request shall include the reason for the extension and the anticipated date for the well to return to injection. Otherwise, the injection authority shall expire under the terms of the extended administrative order, and the operator shall be required to submit a new application to obtain injection authority for the referenced well.



Date: 5-18-26

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**ALBERT C.S. CHANG**  
**Division Director**

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cc: Order SWD-2385  
Well file 30-015-47448

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