

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

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING, LLC  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 25712**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

COG Operating, LLC ("Applicant") submits its Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

Applicant applies for an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a 640-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Sections 12 and 13, Township 26 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The

Unit will be dedicated to the following wells (“Wells”): **Tater Salad Fed Com 701H, Tater Salad Fed Com 704H, Tater Salad Fed Com 901H, Tater Salad Fed Com 902H, and Tater Salad Fed Com 904H**, which will be drilled from surface hole locations in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 24 to bottom hole locations in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 12; and **Tater Salad Fed Com 702H, Tater Salad Fed Com 703H, Tater Salad Fed Com 903H, and Tater Salad Fed Com 905H**, which will be drilled from surface hole locations in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 24 to bottom hole locations in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 12.

The completed intervals of the Wells will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the Wells, the allocation of the costs, the designation of Applicant as the operator of the Units and Wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the Wells.

#### **PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

<b>Witness</b>	<b>Occupation</b>	<b>Estimated Time</b>	<b>Exhibits</b>
Shelley C. Klinger	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 6
Jessica Pontiff	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 4

#### **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Applicant intends to present this case by affidavit if there are no objections to its application.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on the following counsel of record via electronic mail on November 24, 2025:

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QUESTIONS

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