

**BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
EXAMINER HEARING MARCH 5, 2026**

CASE No. 25705

*MICHAEL K 203H & 204H WELLS
ORDER R-22559*

EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO



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APPLICATION

Matador Production Company (“Matador” or “Applicant”), through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division (“Division”) to amend pooling Order R-22559, as amended, to add an additional record title owner to the pooling order. In support of its application, Matador states:

1. On March 30, 2023 the Division issued Order R-22559 (the “Order”) in Case No. 23065 pooling uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation (oil) (Burton Flat; Wolfcamp, East [98315]) underlying the N/2 S/2 of Section 21, and the N/2 SW/4 and NW/4 SE/4 of Section 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico and dedicated the 280-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit to the **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 203H** well. Similarly, on March 30, 2023 the Division issued Order R-22560 (the “Order”) in Case No. 23066 pooling uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation (Burton Flat; Wolfcamp, East [98315]) underlying the S/2 S/2 of Section 21, and the S/2 SW/4 and SW/4 SE/4 of Section 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico and dedicated the 280-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit to the **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 204H** well.

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2. On July 21, 2023, after Matador was informed by the Division that the pooled acreage is in a gas pool and subject to 320-acre standard spacing, the Division issued Order R-22559-A¹ in Case No. 23552 and vacated Order R-22560, as amended, conforming the amended order to Matador's revised development plan to combine the dedicated acreage under the original Orders to pool the uncommitted interests in a non-standard 560-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit in the Wolfcamp formation (Burton Flat; Wolfcamp, East (gas) [73480]) comprised of the S/2 of Section 21, the SW/4 and W/2 SE/4 of Section 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This non-standard 560-acre horizontal well spacing unit is currently dedicated to the drilled and producing **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 203H** well (API No. 30-015-53686) and **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 204H** well (API No. 30-015-53685).

3. Since the issuance of amended Order R-22559-A, Applicant has sought and been unable to obtain signature on the federal communitization agreement from a record title owner.

4. Pooling this additional record title owner in the spacing unit is necessary to obtain approval of the communitization agreement from the Bureau of Land Management, and to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on November 13, 2025, and, after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter an order pooling this additional record title owner under the terms of Order R-22559, as amended. Matador further requests that any order issued by the Division also include the correct compulsory pooling checklist that was filed in Case No. 23552.

¹ Order R-22559-A has the incorrect compulsory pooling checklist attached to the order. The compulsory checklist for Case No. 23549 is attached to the order, rather than the compulsory pooling checklist that was filed with the hearing packet for Case No. 23552.

Respectfully submitted,

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**ATTORNEYS FOR MATADOR PRODUCTION
COMPANY**

CASE _____: **Application of Matador Production Company to Amend Order R-22559, As Amended, to Add Additional Pooled Parties, Eddy County, New Mexico.** Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order amending pooling Order R-22559, as amended, to add an additional record title owner to the pooling order. Order R-22559-A was issued in Case No. 23552 and pooled the uncommitted interests in a non-standard 580-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit in the Wolfcamp formation (Burton Flat; Wolfcamp, East (gas) [73480]) comprised of the S/2 of Section 21, the SW/4 and W/2 SE/4 of Section 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This non-standard 580-acre horizontal well spacing unit is currently dedicated to the drilled and producing **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 203H** well (API No. 30-015-53686) and **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 204H** well (API No. 30-015-53685). The subject area is located approximately 14 miles northeast of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

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**APPLICATION OF
MRC PERMIAN COMPANY
TO AMEND ORDER R-22559
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

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ORDER NO. R-22559-A**

ORDER

The Director of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (“OCD”), having heard this matter through a Hearing Examiner on June 15, 2023, and after considering the testimony, evidence, and recommendation of the Hearing Examiner, issues the following Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On March 30, 2023, OCD issued Order R-22559 to MRC Permian Company (“Operator”) to pool the uncommitted oil and gas interests within the specified spacing unit.
2. On March 30, 2023, OCD issued Order R-22560 to Operator to pool the uncommitted oil and gas interests within the specified spacing unit.
3. Subsequent to the above Orders, Operator has revised its development plans and seeks to amend Order R-22559 unit so that it consists of a 560-acre more or less, spacing unit (“Unit”) described in Exhibit A.
4. On May 3, 2023, Operator filed an application (“Application”) with OCD to amend Order R-22559, and to vacate Order R-22560.
5. The Application also seeks approval of a Non-Standard horizontal spacing unit for production from all Division-designated pools underlying the Unit.
6. Operator provided evidence that it gave notice of the Application and the hearing to the previously unidentified interest owner(s) and the previously pooled interest owners.
7. The Application was heard by the Hearing Examiner on the date specified above, during which Operator presented evidence through affidavits in support of the Application. No other party presented evidence at the hearing.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

8. OCD has jurisdiction to issue this Order pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 70-2-17.
9. Operator is the owner of an oil and gas working interest within the Unit.

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10. Operator satisfied the notice requirements for the Application and the hearing as required by 19.15.4.12 NMAC.
11. OCD satisfied the notice requirements for the hearing as required by 19.15.4.9 NMAC.
12. Operator has the right to drill the Well to a common source of supply at the depth and location in the Unit described in Exhibit A.
13. This Order affords to each owner of an uncommitted interest the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of the oil or gas in the pool.
14. OCD's rules allow the approval of a non-standard horizontal spacing unit, after notice and opportunity for hearing, "if necessary to prevent waste or protect correlative rights" 19.15.16.15(B)(5)(a) NMAC.
15. While the OCD is authorized to approve a non-standard spacing unit, Rutter & Wilbanks Corp. v. Oil Conservation Comm'n, 1975-NMSC-006, OCD lacks the authority to approve unitization and will disapprove an application if it determines that it is actually unitization. Order R-13554 (May 18, 2012) (disapproving application for a non-standard spacing unit consisting of 16 standard spacing units).
16. Approval of the Non-Standard Spacing Unit promotes effective well spacing and allows the Operator to therefore prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

ORDER

17. Order R-22560 is hereby vacated.
18. The Unit is approved as a non-standard horizontal spacing unit.
19. The uncommitted interests in the Unit are pooled as set forth in Exhibit A attached to this Order which replaces Exhibit A attached to Order R-22559.
20. The Unit shall be dedicated to the Well(s) set forth in Exhibit A
21. Operator is designated as operator of the Unit and the Well(s).
22. Order R-22559, as previously amended, shall remain in full force and effect.
23. OCD retains jurisdiction of this matter for the entry of such orders as may be deemed necessary.

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**DYLAN M. EDGE
DIRECTOR**

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Date: 2/21/23

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Exhibit A

COMPULSORY POOLING APPLICATION CHECKLIST	
ALL INFORMATION IN THE APPLICATION MUST BE SUPPORTED BY SIGNED AFFIDAVITS	
Case: 23549	APPLICANT'S RESPONSE
Date	June 15, 2023
Applicant	MRC Permian Company
Designated Operator & OGRID (affiliation if applicable)	Matador Production Company (OGRID No. 228937)
Applicant's Counsel:	Holland & Hart LLP
Case Title:	APPLICATION OF MRC PERMIAN COMPANY TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21271, AS AMENDED, AND DISMISS ORDER NO. R-21272, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.
Entries of Appearance/Intervenors:	N/A
Well Family	Michael K&B
Formation/Pool	
Formation Name(s) or Vertical Extent:	Wolfcamp Formation
Primary Product (Oil or Gas):	Gas
Pooling this vertical extent:	N/A
Pool Name and Pool Code:	Burton Flat; Wolfcamp, East (gas) (73480)
Well Location Setback Rules:	Statewide gas rules
Spacing Unit	
Type (Horizontal/Vertical)	Horizontal
Size (Acres)	640
Building Blocks:	320 acres
Orientation:	West-East
Description: TRS/County	N/2 of Sections 21 and 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico
Standard Horizontal Well Spacing Unit (Y/N), If No, describe <u>and is approval of non-standard unit requested in this application?</u>	Yes
Other Situations	
Depth Severance: Y/N. If yes, description	No
Proximity Tracts: If yes, description	No
Proximity Defining Well: if yes, description	N/A
Applicant's Ownership in Each Tract	Exhibit C-3, C-4
Well(s)	
Name & API (if assigned), surface and bottom hole location, footages, completion target, orientation, completion status (standard or non-standard)	Add wells as needed

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Well #1 <i>Received by OCD: 6/13/2023 4:18:56 PM</i>	Michael K 2122 Feder Com #201H well SHL: 1,096' FNL, 443' FEL (Unit A) of Section 20 BHL: 660' FNL, 110' FEL (Unit A) of Section 22 Target: Wolfcamp Orientation: West-East Completion: Non-Standard Standard	<i>Page 4 of 6</i>
Well #2	Michael K 2122 Feder Com #202H well SHL: 1,093' FNL, 413' FEL (Unit A) of Section 20 BHL: 1,976' FNL, 110' FEL (Unit H) of Section 22 Target: Wolfcamp Orientation: West-East Completion: Non-Standard Standard	
Horizontal Well First and Last Take Points	Exhibit C-2	
Completion Target (Formation, TVD and MD)	Exhibit C-1	
AFE Capex and Operating Costs		
Drilling Supervision/Month \$	\$8,000	
Production Supervision/Month \$	\$800	
Justification for Supervision Costs	Exhibit C-1	
Requested Risk Charge	200%	
Notice of Hearing		
Proposed Notice of Hearing	Exhibit B	
Proof of Mailed Notice of Hearing (20 days before hearing)	Exhibit E	
Proof of Published Notice of Hearing (10 days before hearing)	Exhibit F	
Ownership Determination		
Land Ownership Schematic of the Spacing Unit	Exhibit C-3	
Tract List (including lease numbers and owners)	Exhibit C-3	
If approval of Non-Standard Spacing Unit is requested, Tract List (including lease numbers and owners) of Tracts subject to notice requirements.	N/A	
Pooled Parties (including ownership type)	Exhibit C-1, C-3, C-4	
Unlocatable Parties to be Pooled	N/A	
Ownership Depth Severance (including percentage above & below)	N/A	
Joinder		
Sample Copy of Proposal Letter	Exhibit C-1	
List of Interest Owners (ie Exhibit A of JOA)	Exhibit C-3, C-4	
Chronology of Contact with Non-Joined Working Interests	Exhibit C-1	
Overhead Rates In Proposal Letter	Exhibit C-1	
Cost Estimate to Drill and Complete	Exhibit C-1	
Cost Estimate to Equip Well	Exhibit C-1	

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<i>Received by OCD: 6/13/2023 4:18:56 PM</i> Cost Estimate for Production Facilities	Exhibit C-1	<i>Page 5 of 6</i>
Geology		
Summary (including special considerations)	Exhibit D	
Spacing Unit Schematic	Exhibit D-1	
Gunbarrel/Lateral Trajectory Schematic	N/A	
Well Orientation (with rationale)	Exhibit D	
Target Formation	Exhibit D, D-3	
HSU Cross Section	Exhibit D-3	
Depth Severance Discussion	N/A	
Forms, Figures and Tables		
C-102	Exhibit C-2	
Tracts	Exhibit C-3	
Summary of Interests, Unit Recapitulation (Tracts)	Exhibit C-3, C-4	
General Location Map (including basin)	Exhibit D-1	
Well Bore Location Map	Exhibit D-1	
Structure Contour Map - Subsea Depth	Exhibit D-2	
Cross Section Location Map (including wells)	Exhibit D-3	
Cross Section (including Landing Zone)	Exhibit D-3	
Additional Information		
Special Provisions/Stipulations	N/A	
CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information provided in this checklist is complete and accurate.		
Printed Name (Attorney or Party Representative):	Paula M. Vance	
Signed Name (Attorney or Party Representative):		
Date:		6/13/2023

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SELF-AFFIRMED STATEMENT OF VERONICA WARE

1. My name is Veronica Ware and I am employed by MRC Energy Company, an affiliate of Matador Production Company (“Matador”), as a Senior Landman.

2. I have previously testified before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as an expert witness in petroleum land matters. My credentials as a petroleum landman have been accepted by the Division and made a matter of public record.

3. I am familiar with the application filed by Matador in this case and the status of the lands in the subject area.

4. In this case, Matador seeks add one additional record title owner to be pooled under NMOCD Order No. 22559-A, which pooled the uncommitted interests in a non-standard 560-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit in the Wolfcamp formation (Burton Flat; Wolfcamp, East (gas) [73480]) comprised of the S/2 of Section 21, the SW/4 and W/2 SE/4 of Section 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This non-standard 560-acre horizontal well spacing unit is currently dedicated to the drilled and producing **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 203H** well (API No. 30-015-53686) and **Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 204H** well (API No. 30-015-53685).

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5. Since the original pooling case, Matador has been unable to receive the signature of one record title owner (McMillan Production Inc., record title owner of federal lease NMNM81929) on the federal communitization agreement for this unit.

6. **Matador Exhibit C-1** contains a tract map for this spacing unit identifying the different leases include in the spacing unit, which is comprised of entirely federal leased minerals.

7. **Matador Exhibit C-2** contains an updated summary of interests reflecting the parties in this existing spacing unit. The first page shows the summary of interests on a unit basis. The second page shows the summary of interests on a tract-by-tract basis. The party that Matador seeks to add to the pooling order under this application is highlight yellow.

8. **Matador Exhibit C-3** contains a general summary of the contacts with the record title owner that Matador seeks to pool in this case.


9. **Matador Exhibit C-4** contains a chart showing the owners in the spacing unit and whether those owners are already committed to the unit or not and, if so, the type of commitment.

10. Matador has conducted a diligent search of the public records in the county where the property is located and conducted computer searches in an attempt to locate contact information for this record title owner. In my opinion, Matador has undertaken good faith efforts to locate and reach an agreement with this record title owner that Matador is seeking to pool in this case.

11. Matador has provided its outside counsel, Holland and Hart, with the name and address of the record title owner that Matador seeks to pool and instructed that it be notified of this hearing.

12. **Matador Exhibits C-1 through C-4** were either prepared by me or compiled under my direction and supervision.

13. I affirm under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico that the foregoing statements are true and correct. I understand that this self-affirmed statement will be submitted as written testimony in this matter. This statement is made on the date next to my signature below.



Veronica Ware

Date: 2/19/2026

Exhibit C-1

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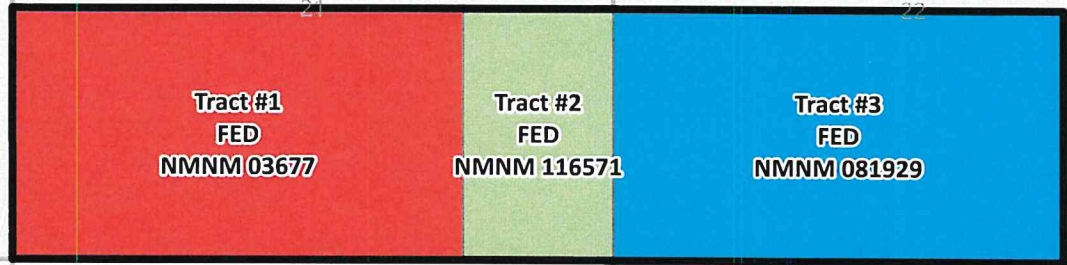
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20S 29E

S2 of Section 21 & SW, W2SE of 22, T20S-R29E

Lease No.

- NMNM 03677
- NMNM 081929
- NMNM 116571



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 Sources: IHS; ESRI; US DOI BLM Carlsbad, NM Field Office; GIS Department;
 United States Census Bureau (IBER)

Exhibit C-2

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Summary of Interests

Matador's Working Interest:			78.677968%
Interest Owner:	Description:	Tract:	Interest:
Blue Star Oil and Gas LLC	JOA Party	1	0.141862%
COG Operating LLC	JOA Party	1	3.166667%
Concho Oil & Gas LLC	JOA Party	1	0.166667%
D'Arcy Petroleum LLC	JOA Party	1	0.337925%
Highland (Texas) Energy Co	JOA Party	1	0.788492%
Lida Rose, LLC	JOA Party	1	0.007371%
Michael Irwin Welch	JOA Party	1	0.003685%
Robert A Welch	JOA Party	1	0.007370%
RW & KD Gillespie Rev Trust	JOA Party	1	0.007370%
Show Goat Capital LP	JOA Party	1	0.001474%
Tinian Oil & Gas LLC	JOA Party	1	0.315250%
Vladin, LLC	JOA Party	1	0.173388%
Yates Energy Corporations	JOA Party	1	6.641033%
EOG Resources, Inc.	Previously Force Pooled	1,3	8.932943%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the Claire Ann Iverson Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.035535%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the KIP Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.035535%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the EGP Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.035535%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the Siegfried James Iverson III Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.035535%
Becky Welch Kitto Cooper	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.002632%
Stacy Welch Green	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.002632%
Vance Malcolm Haldeman	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.001579%
Julia Terri Welch	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.003948%
Cynthia Phillips	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.001579%
Bryan W. Welch	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.002632%
T.I.G. Properties	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.071070%
James Gary Welch	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.007897%
Erin L. Cofrin Revocable Trust	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.007897%
Ellen Marion Skylark	Previously Force Pooled	1	0.003159%
Blaise Campanella	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	1	0.002632%
Mike Campanella	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	1	0.002632%
Wendell Campanella	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	1	0.002633%
Krypton Energy LLC	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	1	0.375473%
Paul E. Siegel, Successor Fiduciary	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
PetroYates, Inc.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Michael S. Richardson	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
COG Operating LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	

Highland (Texas) Energy Company	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
D'Arcy Petroleum, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Locke Funds II, LP	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Locke, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Santo Royalty Company LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Rita Lea Bonifield Spencer	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Estate of Morna Ruth Bonifield Canon, deceased	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Carolyn Sue Bonifield Sandner	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Hunt Oil Company	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
EOG Resources, Inc.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Braille Institute of America, Inc.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
McQuiddy Communications & Energy, Inc.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Bank of America, N.A., Trustee of the Selma E. Andrews Perpetual Charitable Trust	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Marshall & Wintson, Inc.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Samuel H. Marshall, Jr. and William S. Marshall, Trustees u/w/o Samuel Marshall, deceased	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Mary Lynn Forehand	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Charlotte Forehand Albright	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Mark Pate and Elizabeth A. Pate, as joint tenants	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Paul Pate	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Monty D. McLane and wife, Karen R. McLane	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Alan Jochimsen	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
States Royalty Limited Partnership	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Rolla R. Hinkle, III	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Penasco Petroleum LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Randy Mike Whelan	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Paula Su Whelan	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	

Kelley Morand	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Mel Whelan	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Tracy Morand	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Robin Williams	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Bank of America, N.A., Trustee of the Selma E. Andrews Trust f/b/o Peggy Barrett	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Katherine Coe Fodell	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Concho Oil & Gas LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Hatch Royalty LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Anne Marie Burdick	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Lisa Diane Coe	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
LML, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
John T. Hinkle and Linda J. Hinkle, Trustees of the Hinkle Living Trust	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Laura Crumbaugh and Cheryl Ann Harriossn, Co-Trustees of the Bettianne H. Bowen Living Trust	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Diamond Lil Properties, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Spirit Trail, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Catherine Coll, Trustee of the Testamentary Trust u/w/o Max W. Coll, II, deceased	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Charles E. Hinkle	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Cynthia (Cindy) Hinkle, Trustee u/w/o Clarence E. Hinkle, deceased	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Eric J. Coll	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Clarke C. Coll	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Lynn S. Allensworth	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Marsha S. Melton	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
William Joe Snipes	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Caleb Taylor	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Max W. Coll, III	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
John F. Coll, II	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	

Melanie Coll DeTemple	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Carolyn Holmstrom, Trustee of the John A. Holmstrom 2004 Trust	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1	
Chalcam Exploration, L.L.C.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	1, 3	
Marathon Oil Permian, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Liberty Energy LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Quientesa Royalty LP	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Michael D. Hayes and Kathryn A. Hayes, Co-Trustees of the Hayes Revocable Trust	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
KMF Land, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Crown Oil Partners, LP	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Good News Minerals, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Post Oak Crown IV-B, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Post Oak Crown IV, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Collins & Jones Investments, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Post Oak Mavros II, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
LMC Energy, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
H. Jackson Wacker	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Oak Valley Mineral and Land, LP	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
David W. Cromwell	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Sortida Resources, LLC	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Mike Moylett	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Kaleb Smith	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
Deane Durham	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	2	
David Petroleum Corp.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	3	
Thomas R. Nickoloff	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled	3	
McMillan Production Company, Inc.	Record Title	NMNM-081929	

Michael K 21 22 Fed Com 203H & 204H

Summary of Interests

Tract 1

Interest Owners:	Description:	Net Mineral Acres:	Working Interest in Tract:
MRC Delaware Resources, LLC	JOA Party	170.748588	71.145245%
Blue Star Oil and Gas LLC	JOA Party	0.8511768	0.354657%
COG Operating LLC	JOA Party	11.414364	4.755985%
Concho Oil & Gas LLC	JOA Party	0.600756	0.250315%
D'Arcy Petroleum LLC	JOA Party	2.0275512	0.844813%
Highland (Texas) Energy Co	JOA Party	4.7309544	1.971231%
Lida Rose, LLC	JOA Party	0.0442224	0.018426%
Michael Irwin Welch	JOA Party	0.0221088	0.009212%
Robert A Welch	JOA Party	0.04422	0.018425%
RW & KD Gillespie Rev Trust	JOA Party	0.0442224	0.018426%
Show Goat Capital LP	JOA Party	0.008844	0.003685%
Tinian Oil & Gas LLC	JOA Party	1.8915024	0.788126%
Vladin, LLC	JOA Party	1.0403256	0.433469%
Yates Energy Corporations	JOA Party	39.8461992	16.602583%
EOG Resources, Inc.	Previously Force Pooled	3.00378	1.251575%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the Claire Ann Iverson Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	0.198996	0.082915%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the KIP Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	0.198996	0.082915%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the EGP Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	0.198996	0.082915%
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the Siegfried James Iverson III Revocable Living Trust	Previously Force Pooled	0.198996	0.082915%
Becky Welch Kitto Cooper	Previously Force Pooled	0.0147408	0.006142%
Stacy Welch Green	Previously Force Pooled	0.0147408	0.006142%
Vance Malcolm Haldeman	Previously Force Pooled	0.008844	0.003685%
Julia Terri Welch	Previously Force Pooled	0.0221088	0.009212%
Cynthia Phillips	Previously Force Pooled	0.008844	0.003685%
Bryan W. Welch	Previously Force Pooled	0.0147408	0.006142%
T.I.G. Properties	Previously Force Pooled	0.397992	0.165830%
James Gary Welch	Previously Force Pooled	0.0442224	0.018426%
Erin L. Cofrin Revocable Trust	Previously Force Pooled	0.0442224	0.018426%
Ellen Marion Skylark	Previously Force Pooled	0.017688	0.007370%
Blaise Campanella	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	0.0147408	0.006142%
Mike Campanella	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	0.0147408	0.006142%
Wendell Campanella	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	0.0147408	0.006142%
Krypton Energy LLC	Successor to Previously Pooled Party	2.2528344	0.938681%
Paul E. Siegel, Successor Fiduciary	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled		
PetroYates, Inc.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled		
Michael S. Richardson	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled		

Tract 3			
Interest Owners:	Description:	Net Mineral Acres:	Working Interest in Tract:
MRC Permian Company	JOA Party	79.52508	33.135450%
EOG Resources, Inc	Previously Force Pooled	160.47492	66.864550%
Chalcam Exploration, L.L.C.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled		
David Petroleum Corp.	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled		
Thomas R. Nickoloff	Overriding Royalty Previously Force Pooled		
McMillan Production Company, Inc.	Record Title	NMNM-081929	

Exhibit C-3

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
Exhibit No. C-3
Submitted by: Matador Production Company
Hearing Date: March 5, 2026
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Summary of Communications:

McMillan Production Company, Inc.

- 5/12/2025: Michael K Comm Agreements sent via Certified Mail
- 5/16/2025: Michael K Comm Agreements delivered (USPS tracking)
- 6/3/2025-present: Attempted to contact via phone multiple times without contact.

Exhibit C-4

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Owner Name	Ownership Type	Commitment Type
Blue Star Oil and Gas LLC	WI	Committed - JOA
COG Operating LLC	WI	Committed - JOA
Concho Oil & Gas LLC	WI	Committed - JOA
D'Arcy Petroleum LLC	WI	Committed - JOA
Highland (Texas) Energy Co	WI	Committed - JOA
Lida Rose, LLC	WI	Committed - JOA
Michael Irwin Welch	WI	Committed - JOA
Robert A Welch	WI	Committed - JOA
RW & KD Gillespie Rev Trust	WI	Committed - JOA
Show Goat Capital LP	WI	Committed - JOA
Tinian Oil & Gas LLC	WI	Committed - JOA
Vladin, LLC	WI	Committed - JOA
Yates Energy Corporations	WI	Committed - JOA
EOG Resources, Inc.	WI	Committed - FP
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the Claire Ann Iverson Revocable Living Trust	WI	Committed - FP
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the KIP Revocable Living Trust	WI	Committed - FP
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the EGP Revocable Living Trust	WI	Committed - FP
Pamela J. Burke, trustee of the Siegfried James Iverson III Revocable Living Trust	WI	Committed - FP
Becky Welch Kitto Cooper	WI	Committed - FP
Stacy Welch Green	WI	Committed - FP
Vance Malcolm Haldeman	WI	Committed - FP
Julia Terri Welch	WI	Committed - FP
Cynthia Phillips	WI	Committed - FP
Bryan W. Welch	WI	Committed - FP
T.I.G. Properties	WI	Committed - FP
James Gary Welch	WI	Committed - FP
Erin L. Cofrin Revocable Trust	WI	Committed - FP
Ellen Marion Skylark	WI	Committed - FP
Blaise Campanella	WI	Committed - FP
Mike Campanella	WI	Committed - FP
Wendell Campanella	WI	Committed - FP
Krypton Energy LLC	WI	Committed - FP
Paul E. Siegel, Successor Fiduciary	ORRI	Committed
PetroYates, Inc.	ORRI	Committed
Michael S. Richardson	ORRI	Committed
COG Operating LLC	ORRI	Committed
Highland (Texas) Energy Company	ORRI	Committed
D'Arcy Petroleum, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Locke Funds II, LP	ORRI	Committed
Locke, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Santo Royalty Company LLC	ORRI	Committed

Rita Lea Bonifield Spencer	ORRI	Committed
Estate of Morna Ruth Bonifield Canon, deceased	ORRI	Committed
Carolyn Sue Bonifield Sandner	ORRI	Committed
Hunt Oil Company	ORRI	Committed
EOG Resources, Inc.	ORRI	Committed
Braille Institute of America, Inc.	ORRI	Committed
McQuiddy Communications & Energy, Inc.	ORRI	Committed
Bank of America, N.A., Trustee of the Selma E. Andrews Perpetual Charitable Trust	ORRI	Committed
Marshall & Wintson, Inc.	ORRI	Committed
Samuel H. Marshall, Jr. and William S. Marshall, Trustees u/w/o Samuel Marshall, deceased	ORRI	Committed
Mary Lynn Forehand	ORRI	Committed
Charlotte Forehand Albright	ORRI	Committed
Mark Pate and Elizabeth A. Pate, as joint tenants	ORRI	Committed
Paul Pate	ORRI	Committed
Monty D. McLane and wife, Karen R. McLane	ORRI	Committed
Alan Jochimsen	ORRI	Committed
States Royalty Limited Partnership	ORRI	Committed
Rolla R. Hinkle, III	ORRI	Committed
Penasco Petroleum LLC	ORRI	Committed
Randy Mike Whelan	ORRI	Committed
Paula Su Whelan	ORRI	Committed
Kelley Morand	ORRI	Committed
Mel Whelan	ORRI	Committed
Tracy Morand	ORRI	Committed
Robin Williams	ORRI	Committed
Bank of America, N.A., Trustee of the Selma E. Andrews Trust f/b/o Peggy Barrett	ORRI	Committed
Katherine Coe Fodell	ORRI	Committed
Concho Oil & Gas LLC	ORRI	Committed
Hatch Royalty LLC	ORRI	Committed
Anne Marie Burdick	ORRI	Committed
Lisa Diane Coe	ORRI	Committed
LML, LLC	ORRI	Committed
John T. Hinkle and Linda J. Hinkle, Trustees of the Hinkle Living Trust	ORRI	Committed
Laura Crumbaugh and Cheryl Ann Hariosn, Co-Trustees of the Bettianne H. Bowen Living Trust	ORRI	Committed
Diamond Lil Properties, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Spirit Trail, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Catherine Coll, Trustee of the Testamentary Trust u/w/o Max W. Coll, II, deceased	ORRI	Committed
Charles E. Hinkle	ORRI	Committed
Cynthia (Cindy) Hinkle, Trustee u/w/o Clarence E. Hinkle, deceased	ORRI	Committed
Eric J. Coll	ORRI	Committed
Clarke C. Coll	ORRI	Committed

Lynn S. Allensworth	ORRI	Committed
Marsha S. Melton	ORRI	Committed
William Joe Snipes	ORRI	Committed
Caleb Taylor	ORRI	Committed
Max W. Coll, III	ORRI	Committed
John F. Coll, II	ORRI	Committed
Melanie Coll DeTemple	ORRI	Committed
Carolyn Holmstrom, Trustee of the John A. Holmstrom 2004 Trust	ORRI	Committed
Chalcam Exploration, L.L.C.	ORRI	Committed
Marathon Oil Permian, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Liberty Energy LLC	ORRI	Committed
Quientesa Royalty LP	ORRI	Committed
Michael D. Hayes and Kathryn A. Hayes, Co-Trustees of the Hayes Revocable Trust	ORRI	Committed
KMF Land, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Crown Oil Partners, LP	ORRI	Committed
Good News Minerals, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Post Oak Crown IV-B, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Post Oak Crown IV, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Collins & Jones Investments, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Post Oak Mavros II, LLC	ORRI	Committed
LMC Energy, LLC	ORRI	Committed
H. Jackson Wacker	ORRI	Committed
Oak Valley Mineral and Land, LP	ORRI	Committed
David W. Cromwell	ORRI	Committed
Sortida Resources, LLC	ORRI	Committed
Mike Moylett	ORRI	Committed
Kaleb Smith	ORRI	Committed
Deane Durham	ORRI	Committed
David Petroleum Corp.	ORRI	Committed
Thomas R. Nickoloff	ORRI	Committed
McMillan Production Company, Inc.	RT	Uncommitted

KEY
WI: Working Interest
ORRI: Overriding Royalty Interest
RT: Record Title

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

**APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION COMPANY
TO AMEND ORDER R-22559, AS AMENDED,
TO ADD ADDITIONAL POOLED PARTIES,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 25705
ORDER NO. R-22559-A**

**SELF-AFFIRMED STATEMENT OF
A. RAYLEE STARNES**

1. I am attorney in fact and authorized representative of Matador Production Company (“Matador”), the Applicant herein. I have personal knowledge of the matter addressed herein and am competent to provide this self-affirmed statement.

2. The above-referenced application and notice of the hearing on this application was sent by certified mail to the locatable affected parties on the date set forth in the letter attached hereto.

3. The spreadsheet attached hereto contains the names of the parties to whom notice was provided.

4. The spreadsheet attached hereto contains the information provided by the United States Postal Service on the status of the delivery of this notice as of February 23, 2026.

5. I caused a notice to be published to all parties subject to these proceedings. An affidavit of publication from the publication’s legal clerk with a copy of the notice of publication is attached herein.

6. I affirm under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico that the foregoing statements are true and correct. I understand that this self-affirmed statement will be used as written testimony in this case. This statement is made on the date next to my signature below.

**BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
Exhibit No. D
Submitted by: Matador Production Company
Hearing Date: March 5, 2026
Case No. 25705**



A. Raylee Starnes

02/25/26

Date



Paula M. Vance
Associate
Phone (505) 988-4421
Email pmvance@hollandhart.com

October 24, 2025

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
CERTIFIED RECEIPT REQUESTED

TO: ALL INTEREST OWNERS SUBJECT TO POOLING PROCEEDINGS

Re: Application of Matador Production Company to Amend Order R-22559, As Amended, to Add Additional Pooled Parties, Eddy County, New Mexico: Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 203H and 204H Well

Ladies & Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that Matador Production Company has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. A hearing has been requested before a Division Examiner on November 13, 2025, and the status of the hearing can be monitored through the Division's website at <https://www.emnrd.nm.gov/ocd/>.

It is anticipated that hearings will be held in a hybrid format with both in-person and virtual participation options. The meeting will be held in the Pecos Hall Hearing Room at the Wendall Chino Building, 1st Floor, 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico. To participate virtually in the hearing, see the instructions posted on the OCD Hearings website: <https://www.emnrd.nm.gov/ocd/hearing-info/>.

You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date. Parties appearing in cases are required to file a Pre-hearing Statement four business days in advance of a scheduled hearing that complies with the provisions of NMAC 19.15.4.13.B.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Hawks Holder at (972) 619-4336 or hawks.holder@matadorresources.com.

Sincerely,

Paula M. Vance
**ATTORNEY FOR MATADOR PRODUCTION
COMPANY**

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Adrian Hedden

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for that purpose within the meaning of Chapter 167 of
the 1937 Session Laws of the state of New Mexico for
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Subscribed and sworn before me this

28th day of October 2025

LATISHA ROMINE
Notary Public, State of New Mexico
Commission No. 1076338
My Commission Expires
05-12-2027

Latisha Romine
Notary Public, Eddy County, New Mexico

Case No. 25705: Application of Matador Production Company to Amend Order R-22559, As Amended, to Add Additional Pooled Parties, Eddy County, New Mexico. Notice to all affected interest owners, including all heirs, devisees and successors of: McMillan Production Co., Inc. The State of New Mexico, Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Department, Oil Conservation Division (Division) hereby gives notice that the Division will hold public hearing 8:30 a.m. on November 13, 2025, to consider this application. The hearing will be conducted in a hybrid fashion, both in-person at the Energy, Minerals, Natural Resources Department, Wendell Chino Building, Pecos Hall, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, 1st Floor, Santa Fe, NM 87505 and via the WebEx virtual meeting platform. To participate in the hearings electronically, see the instructions posted on the docket for the hearing date: <https://www.emnrd.nm.gov/ocd/hearing-info/> or contact Freya Tschantz, at Freya.Tschantz@emnrd.nm.gov. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order amending pooling Order R-22559, as amended, to add an additional record title owner to the pooling order. Order R-22559-A was issued in Case No. 23552 and pooled the uncommitted interests in a non-standard 580-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit in the Wolfcamp formation (Burton Flat; Wolfcamp, East (gas) [73480]) comprised of the S/2 of Section 21, the SW/4 and W/2 SE/4 of Section 22, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This non-standard 580-acre horizontal well spacing unit is currently dedicated to the drilled and producing Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 203H well (API No. 30-015-53686) and Michael K 21 22 Federal Com 204H well (API No. 30-015-53685). The subject area is located approximately 14 miles northeast of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

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Santa Fe, New Mexico
Exhibit No. E
Submitted by: Matador Production Company
Hearing Date: March 5, 2026
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