

Case No.

803

Application, Transcript,
Small Exhibits, Etc.

**BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR THE
PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:**

**CASE NO. 803
ORDER NO. R-570**

**THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVA-
TION COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION
FOR AN ORDER CALLING FOR THE EXTENSION
OF EXISTING POOLS IN SAN JUAN AND RIO
ARriba COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.**

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a. m. on December 16, 1954, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 13th day of January, 1955, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony presented and the exhibits received at said hearing, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due public notice having been given as required by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That extension as advertised should be approved for the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool.

(3) That the proposed extension to the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool is not necessary, inasmuch as Order R-566, signed by the Commission on December 23, 1954, set forth a complete description of the pool and at the same time set up Special Rules and Regulations for the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool; the pool limits as defined therein include the areas proposed for inclusion in Case 803.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the application of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico be, and the same hereby is, approved as follows:

(a) That the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool as heretofore classified, defined and described, should be extended to include therein:

Twp. 26 North, Rge. 4 West, NMPM
All of Sections 3 through 10;
all of Sections 15, 16, 21, 22, 27, 28,
33 and 34

Twp. 26 North, Rge. 5 West, NMPPM
All of Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12

Twp. 28 North, Rge. 4 West, NMPPM
All of Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34

Twp. 26 North, Rge. 7 West, NMPPM
All of Sections 1, 2 and 3;
E/2 of Section 4

Twp. 27 North, Rge. 7 West, NMPPM
All of Sections 16 through 19;
all of Sections 22 through 27;
all of Sections 34 through 36

Twp. 32 North, Rge. 6 West, NMPPM
Sections 16 and 21, all

(b) That the proposed extension to the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Gas Pool be dismissed, action having already been taken to make this provision unnecessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

John F. Simms
JOHN F. SIMMS, Chairman

E. S. Walker
E. S. WALKER, Member

W. B. Macey
W. B. MACEY, Member and Secretary





4-10-54

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR POOL EXTENSIONS FOR OCTOBER, 1954

Blanco-Mesaverde

SD
RA
T-26N, R-4W

Sections 3 through 10 inclusive, all;
Sections 15 and 16, all;
Sections 21 and 22, all;
Sections 27 and 28, all;
Sections 33 and 34 all. 34.

T-26N, R-5W

Sections 1 and 2, 11 and 12.

T-27N, R-4W

Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34.

Based on:

Southern Union Gas #1-F Jicarilla
SW 27-26N-4W IP 422 MCF/D

Southern Union Gas #1-G Jicarilla
SW 1-26N-5W IP 1227 MCF/D

T-26N, R-7W

Sections 1, 2, 3 and ~~W/2~~ of 4. E/2 ✓

T-27N, R-7W

Sections 10 through 15;
Sections 22 through 27;
Sections 34 through 36. ✓

Based on:

Ralph A. Johnston #23 Rincon Unit
SW/35-27N-7W, IP 236 MCF/D

T-32N, R-6W

Sections 16 and 21. ✓

Based on:

J. Glen Turner #6 State
SW 16-32N-6W, IP 1175 MCF/D

West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs

31
T-28N, R-11W

S/2 Section 29; S/2 Section 30;
N/2 Section 31; N/2 Section 32.

Based on:

Western Natural Gas Co. Krause #1
SW 29-28N-11W, IP 145 MCF/D SIP 435

T-28N, R-12W

Sections 14 and 15, all.

Based on:

Benson Montin Gallegos Canyon Unit # 68
NE 14-28N-12W, IP 113 MCF/D SIP 424

T-28N, R-13W

NW/4 Section 22.

Based on:

Southern Union Gas Robinson #1
NW 22-29N-13W IP 108 MCF/D SIP ?

BEFORE THE
Oil Conservation Commission
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF:

CASE NO. 803

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

ADA DEARNLEY AND ASSOCIATES
COURT REPORTERS
ROOMS 105, 106, 107 EL CORTEZ BUILDING
TELEPHONE 7-9546
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico
December 16, 1954

Northwestern New Mexico nomenclature case, calling for extensions of pools in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, as follows:

(a) Extension of the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool to include: TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, All of Sections 3 through 10; all of Sections 15, 16, 21, 22, 27, 28, 33 and 34

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, All of Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, All of Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, All of Sections 1, 2 and 3; E/2 of Section 4

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, All of sections 10 through 15; all of Sections 22 through 27; all of sections 34 through 36

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 6 WEST, Sections 16 and 21, all

(b) Extension of the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include: TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 11 WEST, S/2 Section 29; S/2 Section 30/ N/2 Section 31, N/2 Section 32

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, All of Sections 14 and 15

TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NW/4 Section 22

Case No.
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BEFORE:

Mr. E. C. (Johnny) Walker
Mr. William Macey

TRANSCRIPT OF HEARING

ADA DEARNLEY & ASSOCIATES
STENOGRAPHIC REPORTERS
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
TELEPHONE 3-6591

E. C. A R N O L D,

called as a witness, having first been duly sworn, upon his oath testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By: MR. KITTS:

Q Will you please state your name, your position and place of employment.

A E. C. Arnold, Geologist for the Oil Conservation Commission, Aztec.

Q Are you familiar with Case 803, Mr. Arnold?

A Yes, I am.

Q And in that connection do you have any recommendations to make concerning the extensions of the Blanco-Mesaverde gas field?

A I recommend that the extension be made as advertised. These recommendations are based upon the completion of the following wells: Southern Union Gas No. 1-F Jicarilla, southwest of Section 27, 26 North, 4 West, completed in the Mesaverde formation with an initial potential of 422 MCF per day.

Southern Union Gas No. 1-G Jicarilla, southwest of Section 1-26 North, 5 west, initial potential of 1,227 MCF per day.

Ralph A. Johnston No. 23 Rincon Unit in the southwest of Section 35, 27 North, 7 West, with an initial potential of 236 MCF per day.

And the J. Glen Turner No. 6, State, in the southwest of Section 16, 32 North, 6 West, initial potential of 1175 MCF per day.

Q Do you also have recommendations to make concerning extensions of the West Kutz-Pictured Cliffs Pool?

A Yes.

Q And if so, will you state what they are and the basis for them.

A Yes. I recommend that the extension be made as advertised. These extensions are based upon the completion of the following three wells: Western Natural Gas Krause No. 1, southwest of Section 29, 28 north, 11 west, initial potential of 145 MCF per day.

Benton Montin Gallegos Canyon Unit No. 68 in the northeast of Section 14, 28 north, 12 west, with an initial potential of 113 MCF per day.

Southern Union Gas Robinson No. 1 in the northwest of Section 22, 29 north, 13 west, with an initial potential of 108 MCF per day.

Q Do you have anything further, Mr. Arnold?

A No, sir, I believe that covers it. I would like to offer this description.

MR. KITTS: Will you mark that Exhibit 1.

(Document marked by witness as Exhibit 1.)

Q This was prepared by you, Mr. Arnold?

A Yes, sir.

Q We offer Commission's Exhibit No. 1 in evidence.

MR. MACEY: Is there any objection to the introduction of this exhibit? If not, it will be received. Are there any questions of the witness? If not, the witness may be excused.

(Witness excused.)

MR. MACEY: Case taken under advisement.

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO) ss.

I, MARGARET McCOSKEY, Court Reporter, do hereby certify
that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings before
the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico,
is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and
ability.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed my hand and notarial seal
this 23rd day of December, 1954.

Margaret McCoskey
Notary Public-Court Reporter

My Commission expires
August 15, 1956.

ADA DEARNLEY & ASSOCIATES
STENOTYPE REPORTERS
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