

Entered January 6, 1957
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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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

CASE NO. 1571
Order No. R-1313

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL
CONSERVATION COMMISSION UPON
ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN ORDER
CREATING AND EXTENDING CERTAIN
POOLS IN RIO ARRIBA AND SAN JUAN
COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on December 17, 1958, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission."

NOW, on this 24th day of December, 1958, 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 there is need for the creation of a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, for the production of oil from the Gallup formation, said pool to bear the designation Chimney Rock-Gallup Oil Pool. Said Chimney Rock-Gallup Oil Pool was discovered by the R. L. Bayless Navajo Well No. 2, located in the NE/4 Section 5, Township 31 North, Range 17 West, NMPM. It was completed April 18, 1958. The top of the perforations is at 1,230 feet.

(3) That there is need for certain extensions to the East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool, the North Los Pinos-Dakota Pool and the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool, the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool and the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico and the Ballard-Pictured Cliffs Pool, the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool and the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool all in Rio Arriba and San Juan Counties, New Mexico.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(a) That a new pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, classified as an oil pool for Gallup production, be and the same is hereby created and designated as the Chimney Rock-Gallup Oil Pool, consisting of the following described area:

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 17 WEST, NMPM
Section 4: All
Section 5: NE/4

(b) That the Ballard-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM
Section 7: E/2

(c) That the Bisti-Lower Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 12 WEST, NMPM
Section 3: NE/4

(d) That the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 13 WEST, NMPM
Section 26: E/2

(e) That the East Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM
Section 3: SW/4
Section 4: SE/4

(f) That the South Blanco-Pictured Cliffs Pool in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 2 WEST, NMPM
Section 8: S/2
Section 24: N/2 & SE/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 17: SW/4

Section 20: NW/4

TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, NMPM

Section 7: S/2 & NW/4

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 13: NW/4

Section 14: All

Section 15: N/2

TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, NMPM

Section 2: S/2

TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST, NMPM

Section 33: SW/4

(g) That the Horseshoe-Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, NMPM

Section 4: W/2 NW/4

Section 5: NE/4

Section 10: E/2 NE/4 & SW/4 NE/4

Section 11: W/2, NE/4 & SW/4 SE/4

Section 12: NW/4 NW/4

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, NMPM

Section 29: SW/4

Section 30: N/2 & SE/4

Section 31: NE/4

Section 32: N/2

Section 33: N/2 S/2 and NE/4

Section 34: S/2 NW/4

(h) That the North Los Pinos-Dakota Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, NMPM

Section 24: W/2

(i) That the Tapacito-Pictured Cliffs Pool in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 3 WEST, NMPM

Section 23: N/2

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(j) That the Verde-Gallup Oil Pool in San Juan County, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined, and described, be and the same is hereby extended to include therein:

TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST, NMPM
Section 20: SW/4

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

That the effective date of this order and of all of the creations and extensions included herein shall be January 1, 1959.

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


STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION



EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman



MURRAY E. MORGAN, Member



A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

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