

Submitted March 25, 1965
R. L. P.

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. 3214
Order No. R-2883

APPLICATION OF CARTER FOUNDATION
PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR A WATER-
FLOOD PROJECT, LEA COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 o'clock a.m. on March 10, 1965, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Elvis A. Utz.

NOW, on this 25th day of March, 1965, the Commission, a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, 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 the applicant, Carter Foundation Production Company, seeks permission to institute a waterflood project in the Teague-Simpson Pool by the injection of water into the Simpson formation through two injection wells in Section 34, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

(3) That the wells in the project area are in an advanced state of depletion and should properly be classified as "stripper" wells.

(4) That the proposed waterflood project should result in the recovery of otherwise unrecoverable oil, thereby preventing waste.

-2-

CASE No. 3214

Order No. R-2883

(5) That the subject application should be approved and the project should be governed by the provisions of Rules 701, 702, and 703 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

(1) That the applicant, Carter Foundation Production Company, is hereby authorized to institute a waterflood project in Teague-Simpson Pool by the injection of water into the Simpson formation through the following-described two wells in Section 34, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico:

Carter-Hill Well No. 2-M, located in Unit B
Carter-Hill Well No. 3-MD, located in Unit G

(2) That the subject waterflood project shall be governed by the provisions of Rules 701, 702, and 703 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.

(3) That monthly progress reports of the waterflood project herein authorized shall be submitted to the Commission in accordance with Rules 704 and 1120 of the Commission Rules and Regulations.


(4) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


JACK M. CAMPBELL, Chairman


GUYTON B. HAYS, Member


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

S E A L

esr/