

Compulsory Pooling Hearing- Case No. 23677 All of Section 23-T20S-R33E (Wolfcamp)

Wells:

Sandra Jean Federal Com 751H Sandra Jean Federal Com 752H Sandra Jean Federal Com 753H Sandra Jean Federal Com 754H Sandra Jean Federal Com 755H

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

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 23677

SELF AFFIRMED DECLARATION OF TIFFANY SARANTINOS

Tiffany Sarantinos hereby states and declares as follows:

- 1. I am over the age of 18, I am a senior landman for Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant") and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.
- 2. I have previously testified before the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") and my credentials as an expert petroleum landman were accepted as a matter of record.
 - 3. My area of responsibility at Avant includes the area Lea County in New Mexico.
- 4. I am familiar with the application filed by Avant in this case, which is attached as **Exhibit B.1**.
 - 5. I am familiar with the status of the lands that are subject to this application.
- 6. I submit the following information pursuant to NMAC 19.15.4.12.A(1) in support of the above referenced application.
- 7. In this case, Avant seeks an order from the Division (1) approving a non-standard 640-acre spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico.
 - 8. Avant seeks approval of a 640-acre spacing unit for several reasons.

- 9. First, Avant seeks to minimize surface disturbance by consolidating facilities and commingling production from the proposed and future wells in the proposed non-standard spacing unit. Approval of this application will allow Avant to efficiently locate surface facilities, reduce surface disturbance, consolidate roads, tanks, and pipelines, and promote effective well spacing, which is consistent with Division rules. *See, e.g.*, Rule 19.15.167(P) NMAC; Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(8) NMAC; Rule 19.15.16.15(C)(7)(NMAC).
- 10. Second, Avant requires approval of a non-standard spacing unit to allow the wells to be dedicated to a federal Communitization Agreement that Avant desires to obtain from the Bureau of Land Management ("BLM"). If the non-standard unit is not approved, it is my understanding that BLM will not issue a Communitization Agreement and Avant will not be authorized to commingle production.
- 11. Section 23 is in the Potash Area and is surrounded on all sides by BLM approved Development Areas ("DAs") and predetermined Drill Islands which limit development to Section 23 only. Thus Avant is not stranding any acreage in Section 23 but is instead proposing to drill across the entirety of Section 23, which will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.
- 12. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H; and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be horizontally drilled.
- 13. The completed interval for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753 is expected to be less than 330' from the adjoining tracts, but this location will be a standard location if the non-standard unit application is approved.
 - 14. Attached as **Exhibit B.2** are the proposed C-102s for the wells.
- 15. The C-102s identify the proposed surface hole locations and the bottom hole locations, and the first take points.

- 16. These wells will develop the HAT MESA; WOLFCAMP Pool Code: 96438.
- 17. This pool is an oil pool with 40-acre building blocks.
- 18. This pool is governed by the state-wide horizontal well rules.
- 19. The producing areas for the wells is expected to be orthodox.
- 20. There are no depth severances within the proposed spacing unit.
- 21. **Exhibit B.3** includes a lease tract map outlining the unit being pooled. Exhibit B.3 also includes the parties being pooled, the nature, and the percent of their interests. Exhibit B.3 also includes a tract map comparing what a standard unit would be to Avant's proposed non-standard unit, a tract map showing the general location of the wells within the proposed non-standard unit, and a list of the wells with the pool code identified.
- 22. I have conducted a diligent search of the public records in the county where the wells are located, and conducted phone directory and computer searches to locate contact information for parties entitled to notification, and mailed the working interest owners well proposals, including an Authorization for Expenditure.
- 23. In my opinion, Avant has made a good faith effort to obtain voluntary joinder of the working interest owners in the proposed wells.
 - 24. **Exhibit B.4** is a summary of my contacts with the working interest owners.
- 25. **Exhibit B.5** is a sample of the well proposal letter that was sent to all working interest owners. The proposal letter identifies the proposed surface hole and bottom hole locations and approximate TVD/MD for the wells.
- 26. **Exhibit B.6** contains the Authorization for Expenditure for the proposed wells. The estimated cost of the wells set forth therein is fair and reasonable, and is comparable to the costs of other wells of similar depths and length drilled in this area of New Mexico.

- 27. Avant requests overhead and administrative rates of \$10,000.00/month for drilling a well and \$1,000.00/month for a producing well. These rates are fair, and comparable to the rates charged by other operators for wells of this type in this area of Southeastern, New Mexico. Avant requests that these rates be adjusted periodically as provided in the COPAS Accounting Procedure.
- 28. Avant requests the maximum cost plus 200% risk charge be assessed against non-consenting working interest owners.
 - 29. Avant requests that it be designated operator of the wells.
 - 30. The parties Avant is seeking to pool were notified of this hearing.
- 31. Avant seeks to pool overriding royalty interest owners, and they were also provided notice of this hearing.
- 32. No opposition is expected because the interest owners being pooled have been contacted regarding the proposed wells, but have failed or refused to voluntarily commit their interests in the wells.
- 33. Avant also provided notice to offsetting operators for purposes of the non-standard unit application.
 - 34. As discussed above, Section 23 is surrounded on all sides by BLM approved DAs.
- 35. Avant notified the operators of the approved BLM DAs. **Exhibit B.7** is a tract map showing the operators of the adjacent DAs.
- 36. **Exhibit B.8** is an affidavit of notice prepared by counsel for Avant that shows the parties who were notified of this hearing, the status of whether they received notice, and an affidavit of publication from the Hobbs News-Sun newspaper, showing that notice of this hearing was published on July 19, 2023, on August 22, 2023, and on August 29, 2023.
- 37. The attachments to this declaration were prepared by me, or compiled from company business records, or were prepared at my direction.

38. In my opinion, the granting of this application is in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.

I attest under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico that the information provided herein is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Dated this 2 day of October, 2023.

Tiffany Sarantinos

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APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. <u>23677</u>

APPLICATION

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), OGRID Number 330396, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17 and Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5) NMAC, for an order (1) approving a non-standard spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of this application, Avant states as follows:

- 1. Avant has an interest in the subject lands and has a right to drill and operate a well thereon.
- 2. Avant seeks to dedicate Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico to form a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit ("Unit").
 - 3. Avant seeks to dedicate the following proposed wells to the Unit:
 - a. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H wells to be drilled in the E/2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico; and

- b. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be drilled in the W2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico.
- 4. The wells will be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Wolfcamp formation. The wells will be horizontally drilled, and, if the non-standard unit application is approved the producing areas for all of the wells are expected to be orthodox.
- 5. The completed interval for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753 is expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, which will be a standard location if the non-standard unit application is approved.
- 6. Avant sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit their interests to the wells.
- 7. The pooling of all interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.
- 8. Approval of a non-standard spacing unit is necessary to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Avant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 3, 2023, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order:

- Approving a non-standard horizontal spacing unit pursuant to Rule A. 19.15.16.15(B)(5);
 - Pooling all uncommitted interests in the Unit; В.
 - C. Designating Avant as operator of the Unit and the wells to be drilled thereon;

- D. Authorizing Avant to recover its costs of drilling, equipping and completing the wells;
- E. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure; and
- F. Setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the wells in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the wells.

Respectfully submitted,

MODRALL, SPERLING, ROEHL, HARRIS & SISK, P.A.

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CASE NO. <u>23677</u>: Application of Avant Operating, LLC for approval of a non-standard unit and compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order from the Division (1) approving a non-standard 640-acre spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for the wells are expected to be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Avant Operating, LLC as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells. Said area is located approximately 22 miles west-southwest of Monument, New Mexico.

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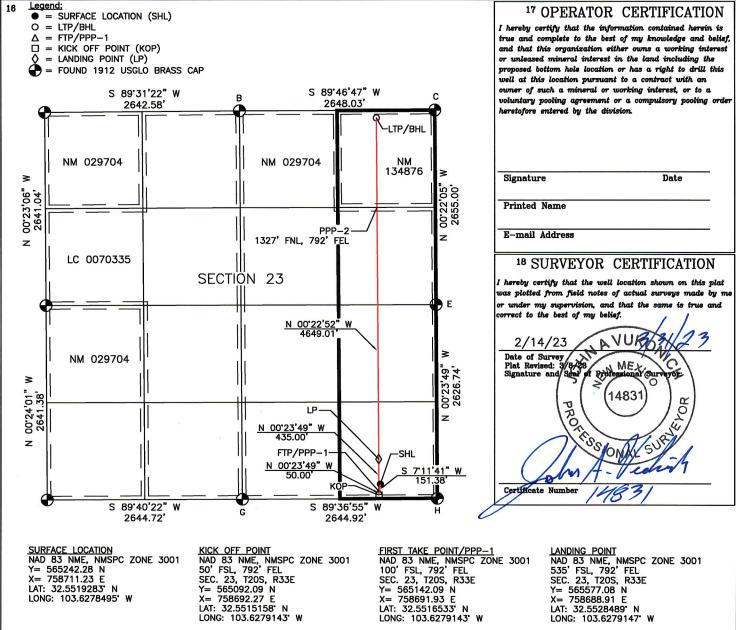
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number		² Pool Code	⁸ Pool Name		
⁴ Property Code		⁵ Property	⁶ Well Number		
Property Code		75IH			
OGRID No.		⁸ Operator	Name	⁹ Elevation	
		AVANT OPERA	ATING, LLC	3639	

¹⁰ Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County	
Р	23	20 S	33 E		200	SOUTH	772	EAST	LEA	
¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface										
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County	
Α	23	20 S	33 E	383	100	NORTH	792	EAST	LEA	
18 Dedicated Acres 13 Joint or							Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.		
SECTION 23	3: E/2,	E/2; 160	Ac.	TOTAL						

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32.5515158" N G: 103.6279143" W

FIRST TAKE POINT/PPP-1
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
100' FSL, 792' FEL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565142.09 N
X= 758691.93 E
LAT. 32 5516533* N

CORNER COORDINATES TABLE
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
- Y= 570318.86 N, X= 756801.34 E
- Y= 570329.03 N, X= 759449.35 E
- Y= 567674.09 N, X= 759466.41 E
- Y= 565029.65 N, X= 756839.74 E
- Y= 565047.41 N, X= 759484.60 E

CORNER COORDINATES TABLE
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001

B - LAT.=32.5659162' N, LONG.=103.6339394' W
C - LAT.=32.5658966' N, LONG.=103.6253443' W
E - LAT.=32.55585985' N, LONG.=103.6253463' W
G - LAT.=32.5513778' N, LONG.=103.6339276' W
H - LAT.=32.5513786' N, LONG.=103.6253439' W

PPP-2
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
1327' FNL, 792' FEL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 568998.68 N
X= 758666.16 E
LAT: 32.5622538' N
LONG: 103.6279150' W

LAST TAKE POINT/
BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
Y= 570225.99 N
X= 758658.00 E
LAT: 32.5656272' N
LONG: 103.6279151' W

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		752H			
OGRID No.		⁶ Operat	or Name	⁹ Elevation	
		AVANT OPER	RATING, LLC	3633	

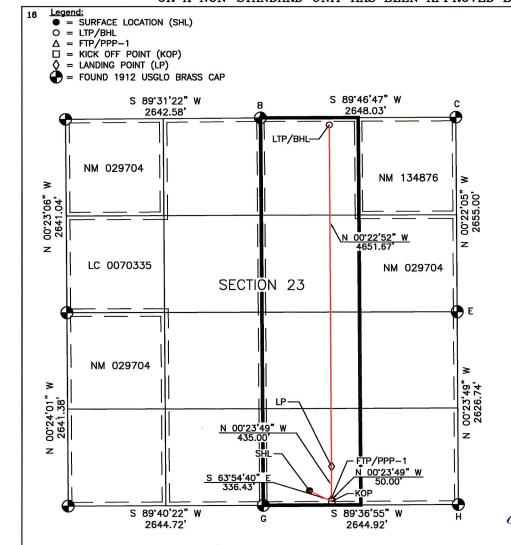
¹⁰ Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
0	23	20 S	33 E		200	SOUTH	2017	EAST	LEA

¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
В	23	20 S	33 E	9	100	NORTH	1716	EAST	LEA
18 Dedicated Acres	¹⁸ Dedicated Acres						4 Consolidation Code	15 Order No.	
SECTION 23	3: W/2 E	E/2; 160	Ac.	TOTAL	_: 160 Ac.				

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17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling heretofore entered by the division.

Signature Date Printed Name

E-mail Address

18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat as plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by mo or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

N MEL C OKN 2/14/23 Date of Survey Professional Surv PROPESSIONAL LES STEATE OF 14831 Certificate 1483

SURFACE LOCATION NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001 Y= 565233.84 N X= 757466.14 E LAT: 32.5519277' N LONG: 103.6318904' W

KICK OFF POINT
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
50' FSL, 1716' FEL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565085.89 N
X= 757768.29 E
LAT: 32.5515156' N
LONG: 103.6309130' W

FIRST TAKE POINT/PPP-1
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
100' FSL, 1716' FEL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565135.89 N
X= 757767.95 E
LAT: 32.5516530' N
LONG: 103.6309130' W

LANDING POINT
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
535' FSL, 1716' FEL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565570.88 N
X= 757764.93 E
LAT: 32.5528486' N
LONG: 103.6309135' W

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G - LAT.=32.55513778' N, LONG.=103.6339276' W
H - LAT.=32.5513786' N, LONG.=103.6253439' W

LAST TAKE POINT/
BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
Y= 570222.44 N
X= 757734.00 E
LAT: 32.5656343' N
LONG: 103.6309143' W

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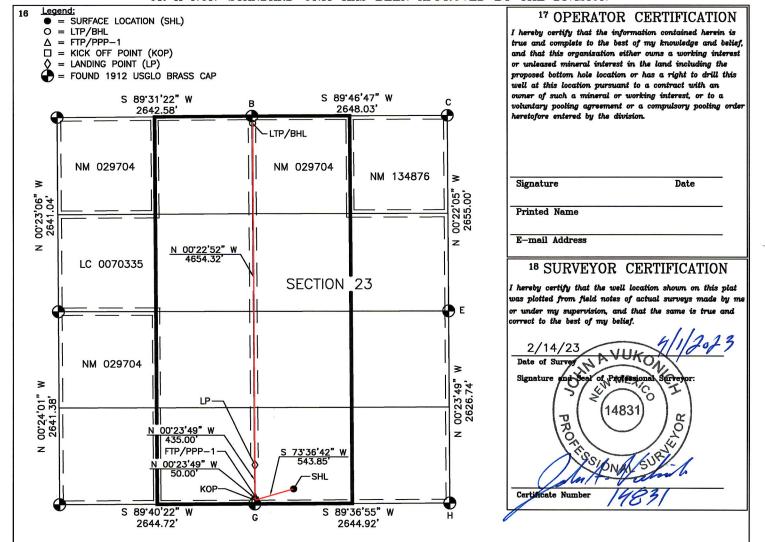
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	SANDI		753H		
OGRID No.		⁸ Operator Name			
	AVA	NT OPERATING, LLC		3632	
		¹⁰ Surface Location			

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County	
0	23	20 S	33 E		200	SOUTH	2117	EAST	LEA	
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UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County	
В	23	20 S	33 E	885	100	NORTH	2640	EAST	LEA	
18 Dedicated Acre	¹³ Dedicated Acres ¹³ Joint or Infill ¹⁴ Consolidation Code ¹⁵ Order No.									
SECTION 23	SECTION 23: W/2 E/2, E/2 W/2; 320 Ac. TOTAL: 320 Ac.									

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SURFACE LOCATION NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001 Y= 565233.13 N X= 757366.07 E LAT: 32.5519275' N LONG: 103.6322151' W

KICK OFF POINT
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
50' FSL, 2640' FEL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565079.68 N
X= 756844.31 E
LAT: 32.5515152' N
LONC: 103.6330116' W LONG: 103.6339116° W

FIRST TAKE POINT/PPP-1
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
100' FSL, 2640' FEL
SEC. 23, T205, R33E
Y= 565129.68 N
X= 756843.97 E
LAT: 32.5516527' N
LONG: 103.6339117' W

LANDING POINT
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
535' FSL, 2640' FEL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
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X= 756810.01 E
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		SANDRA JEAN	23 FED COM	754H	
OGRID No.		⁸ Operator	Name	⁹ Elevation	
		AVANT OPERA	ATING, LLC	3624	

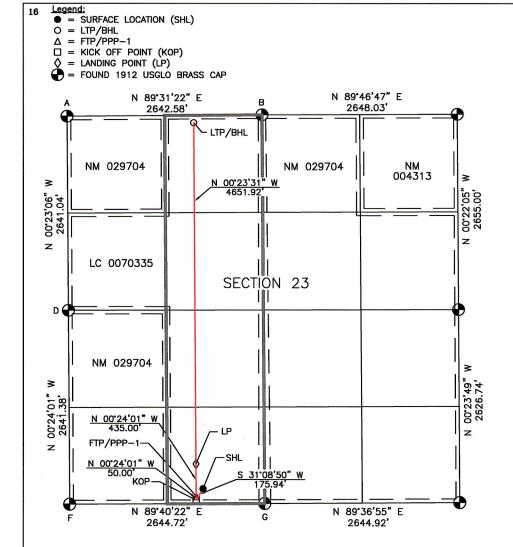
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С	23	20 S	33 E		100	NORTH	1716	WEST	LEA
12 Dedicated Acres					13 Joint or Infill 14	Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.		
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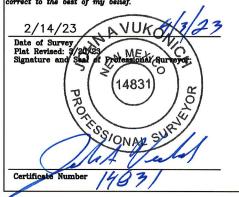
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Signature	Date
Printed Name	

E-mail Address

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50' FSL, 1716' FWL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565074.35 N
X= 755910.68 E
LAT: 32.5515174' N
LONG: 103.6369417' W

FIRST TAKE POINT/PPP-1
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
100' FSL, 1716' FWL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565124.35 N
X= 755910.33 E
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LONG: 103.6369417' W

CORNER COORDINATES TABLE
NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001

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LANDING POINT

NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001
535' FSL, 1716' FWL
SEC. 23, T20S, R33E
Y= 565559.34 N
X= 755907.29 E
LAT: 32 552856' N 32.5528505° N 103.6369424° W

LAST TAKE POINT/ BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION NAD 83 NME, NMSPC ZONE 3001 Y= 570211.14 N X= 755875.47 E LAT: 32.5656368' N LONG: 103.6369469' W

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- Y= 570318.86 N, X= 75641.34 E
- Y= 567655.87 N, X= 754176.61 E
- Y= 565014.55 N, X= 754195.06 E
- Y= 565029.65 N, X= 756839.74 E

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DISTRICT I 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, N.M. 88240 Phone: (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720 DISTRICT II 811 S. First St., Artesia, N.M. 88210 Phone: (575) 748-1283 Fax: (575) 748-9720 DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, N.M. 87410 Phone: (505) 334-6178 Fax: (505) 334-6170 DISTRICT IV 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, N.M. 87505 Phone: (505) 476-3460 Fax: (505) 476-3462 State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

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☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number		² Pool Code	³ Pool Name		
⁴ Property Code		⁵ Property	⁶ Well Number		
		SANDRA JEAN 23 FED COM			
OGRID No.		⁸ Operator	r Name	⁹ Elevation	
		AVANT OPERATING, LLC			

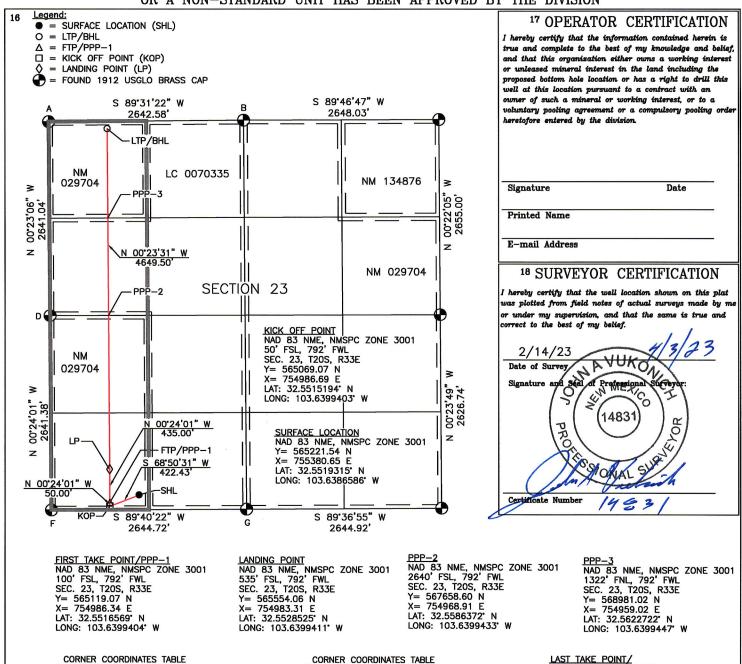
¹⁰ Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
M	23	20 S	33 E		200	SOUTH	1187	WEST	LEA

¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
D	23	20 S	33 E	39	100	NORTH	792	WEST	LEA
18 Dedicated Acre	9					18 Joint or Infill 14	Consolidation Code	15 Order No.	
SECTION 23	3: W/2	W/2; 160	Ac.	TOTAL	: 160 Ac.				

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



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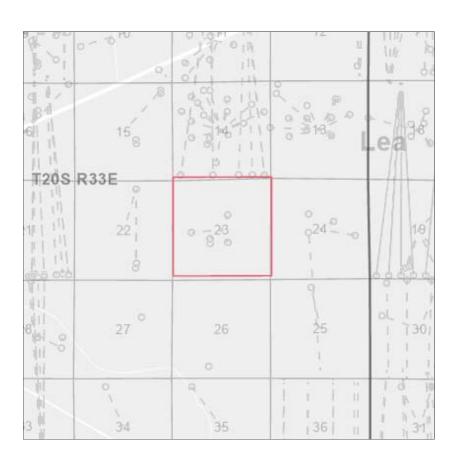
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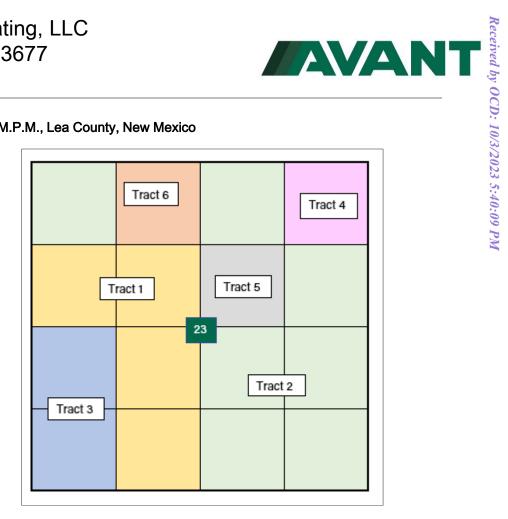
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Lease Tract Map: ALL of Sections 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico





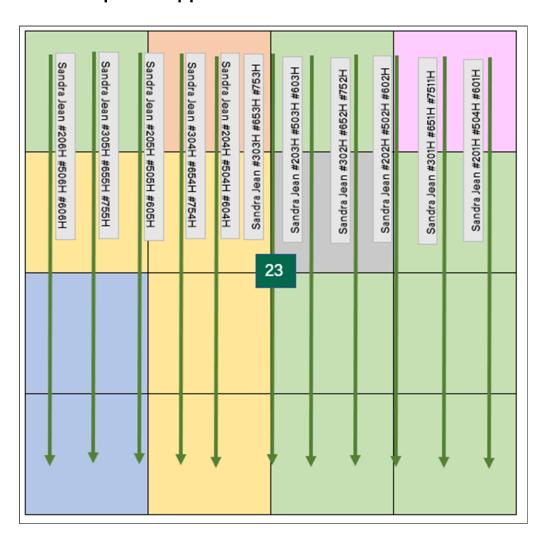
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Tract 1	FED	NMLC 070335	160
Tract 2	FED	NMNM 029704	280
Tract 3	FED	NMNM 029704	80
Tract 4	FED	NMNM 134876	40
Tract 5	FED	NMNM 029704	40
Tract 6	FED	NMLC 070335	40
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Exhibit B-3



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ALL of Sections 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico Tract Map with approx. well locations:



Tract	State/Fed/Fee	Lease	Acres
Tract 1	FED	NMLC 070335	160
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ALL of Sections 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico

Summary of Interests and Working Interest Owners to be Pooled:

COMMITTED INTEREST

WI OWNER	WI	Net Acres	Tract No	FORCE POOL INTEREST
Avant Operating, LLC	7.5037%	48.0235	2, 3, 5	Operator
Chief Capital (O&G) II, LLC	9.3796%	60.0294	2, 3, 5	Yes
Legion Production Partners, LLC	26.2629%	168.0824	2, 3, 5	Yes
Double Cabin Minerals, LLC	3.7518%	24.0118	2, 3, 5	Yes
COG Operating, LLC	6.2500%	40.0000	4	No
	53.1480%	340.1471		

UNCOMMITTED INTEREST

WI OWNER	WI	Net Acres	Tract No	FORCE POOL INTEREST
EOG Resources, Inc	5.6250%	36.0000	2, 3	Yes
Mary T. Ard / Ard Energy Group	6.8153%	43.6180	2, 3, 5	Yes
Finley Production Co. LP	2.8780%	18.4192	5	Yes
Grasslands Energy, LP	0.0405%	0.2592	5	Yes
BWAB Limited Liability Company	0.1581%	1.0117	5	Yes
Tremont Energy, LLC	0.0851%	0.5448	5	Yes
XTO Delaware Basin, LLC	31.2500%	200.0000	1, 6	Yes
	46.85%	299.85		·



Summary of Interests Sandra Jean 23 Federal Com #751H - #755H

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ALL of Sections 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico Summary of ORRI Owners to be Pooled:

ORRI Owners	Tract
Pamela Cleve Elliott, Trustee	1, 6
Joe John Bond	1, 6
Betsy Bond	1, 6
Claire Chilton Lopez	1, 6
John Lawrence Chilton	1, 6
John C Ryan IV	1, 6
Richard Royal Ryan	1, 6
Susan Ryan	1, 6
KWCL Properties	1, 6
Keystone O&G Multi-State, LLC	1, 6
Thru Line O&G Multi-State, LLC	1, 6
SRBI O&G Multi-State, LLC	1, 6
LMBI O&G Multi-State, LLC	1, 6
Edward T. Muse	1, 6
Ewell H. Muse, III	1, 6

ORRI Owners	Tract
LMBI I BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
LMBI II BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
Keystone (RMB) BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
Keystone (RMB) BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
CTV-LMB I BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
CTV-LMB II BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
CTV-CTAM BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
CTV-SRB I BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
CTV-SRB II BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
Thru Line BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
SRBI I BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
SRBI II BPEOR NM, LLC	1, 6
Jeanette Probandt	2
South Burbank Petroleum LP	2
Shackelford Oil Company	2
HMS Oil Company, LLC	2

ORRI Owners	Tract
Jeanette Probandt	3
Bob Shackelford	3
Don Shackelford	3
Barbe Development, LLC	3
Bhop, LLC	3
Kevin Robinson	3
Gannaway Oil, LLC	3
White Gold Corporation	3
Oak Valley Mineral & Land, LP	3
South Burbank Petroleum LP	3
Shackelford Oil Company	3
HMS Oil Company, LLC	3
Jeanette Probandt	5
Lewis B. Burleson Trust	5
South Burbank Petroleum LP	5
Shackelford Oil Company	5
HMS Oil Company, LLC	5



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ALL of Sections 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico **Summary of Contacts**

- Avant retained a broker who conducted extensive title work to determine the working interest owners and other interest owners.
- Avant searched public records, phone directory, LexisNexis subscription, and various different types of internet searches.
- Avant sent well proposals starting on or around April 14, 2023 and sent additional proposal letters as additional working interest owners were identified.
- Avant proposed general terms of a Joint Operating Agreement (JOA) within the well proposal letters sent to working interest owners.
- Avant sent the working interest owners that requested a JOA.
- Avant had multiple communications with the uncommitted working interest owners, which I have outlined in the chart below.
- Marathon filed the application to force pool working interest owners who had not entered into an agreement.
- Avant's counsel sent notices of the force pooling applications to the addresses of record for the uncommitted interest owners and, also for overriding royalty owners.
- Avant also published notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where the wells will be located.



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Summary of Contacts Sandra Jean 23 Federal Com #751H - #755H

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ALL of Sections 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico **Summary of Contacts:**

Name	% of Interest	Date Proposal Letter Sent	Proposal Letter Received	Follow-up / Comments
EOG RESOURCES, INC.	5.6250	4/7/2023	4/14/2023	5/25 EOG notifies us of potential deal w/in unit; 6/28 deal is closed; No further inquiries received
XTO DELAWARE BASIN, LLC	31.2500	4/7/2023	4/14/2023	4/12 confirms receipt of AFE; open to commercial options (trade, TA); 4/19 Avant sent over offer AO sent additional development information; 6/13 XTO to begin evaluation; 7/28 Technical Meeting Call w/both parties; 8/21 XTO finished review and should have recommendation to Avant soon. Multiple communications with XTO including as recently as 10/3
BWAB, LLC	0.1581	6/5/2023	6/19/2023	6/19 confirms receipt of proposals; 6/21 Avant sent additional development plans and WI/NRI confirmation and showed interest in aquiring their WI; No further inquiries received
Tremont Energy	0.0851	6/5/2023	7/7/2023	Well proposal packge was returned to sender w/no forwarding info; Sent to new address on 7/6; Received Proposals; No further inquiries received
Chief Capital (O&G) II LLC	9.3796	6/20/2023	6/27/2023	Wants to participate; No further inquiries received
Finley Production Co. LP	2.8780	6/21/2023	6/28/2023	7/18 asked for development questions; Avant asked if we could make an offer on interest; 9/11 Finley requested rig and spud timeline; No further inquiries received
Grasslands Energy, LP	0.0405	6/21/2023	6/27/2023	Wants to participate; No further inquiries received
Mary T. Ard / Ard Energy Group	6.8153	7/19/2023	7/21/2023	Received proposals; No further inquiries received



Exhibit B-4 cont.



June 2nd, 2023

Sent Via Overnight Tracking Mail Sent via email to: oliver.f.cho@conocophillips.com

CONOCOPHILLIPS and its subsidiaries COG OPERATING, LLC One Concho Center 600 W. Illinois Ave. Midland, TX 79701

RE: Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H, 302H, 303H, 304H, 305H 501H, 502H, 503H, 504H, 505H, 506H, 601H, 602H, 603H, 604H, 605H, 606H 751H, 752H, 753H, 754H, 755H Section 23 Township 20 South, Range 33 East Lea County, New Mexico

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant") hereby proposes to drill and complete the Sandra Jean 36 1 Fed Com #301H, 302H, 303H, 304H, 305H, 501H, 502H, 503H, 504H, 505H, 506H, 601H, 602H, 603H, 604H, 605H, 606H, 751H, 752H, 753H, 754H and 755H wells in Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico, to test the Bone Spring and Wolfcamp Formations.

In connection with the above, please note the following:

- The estimated cost of drilling, testing, completing, and equipping of each proposed well and CTB is itemized on the enclosed Authority for Expenditures ("AFE").
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 9,500' TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 14,773'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 9,500 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 14,773'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #303H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 9,500 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 14,773'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #304H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 9,500' TVD and will be drilled horizontally the Measured Depth of approximately 14,773'.

- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #305H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 9,500' TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 14,773'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #501H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 10,400 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 15,673'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #502H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The
 Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately
 10,400 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 15,673'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #503H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The
 Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately
 10,400 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 15,673'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #504H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 10,400 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 15,673'.
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- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #506H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 10,400 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 15,673'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #601H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 12,400 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #602H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #603H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #604H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #605H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally 12,000 TVD.

- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #606H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Bone Spring formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Wolfcamp formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Wolfcamp formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Wolfcamp formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Wolfcamp formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.
- Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H: to be drilled from a legal location of Section 23-20S-33E. The Well will have a targeted interval within the Wolfcamp formation at a depth of approximately 12,000 TVD and will be drilled horizontally to a Measured Depth of approximately 17,273'.

Avant reserves the right to modify the locations and drilling plans described above to address topography, cultural or environmental concerns, among other reasons.

Avant is proposing to drill the proposed wells under the terms of a modified 1989 AAPL form of Operating Agreement ("JOA"). This JOA will be sent to you following this proposal with the following general provisions:

- 100%/300%/300% non-consent penalty
- \$10,000/\$1000 drilling and producing monthly overhead rates
- Contract Area of all of Section 23-T20-R33E
- This proposed Operating Agreement will supersede any and all existing Operating Agreements as to all depths on all horizontal wells drilled after the effective date of the JOA.

If we do not reach an agreement within thirty (30) days of receipt of these well proposals, Avant will file an application(s) with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to compulsory pool your interest into a spacing unit(s) for the proposed wells to promote the development of these lands.

Please indicate your elections in the spaces provided on the following pages. If you elect to participate in the drilling and completion of the wells proposed herein, please sign, and return a copy of this letter along with the enclosed AFEs within thirty (30) days of receipt of this proposal.

Avant plans to spud these wells in December 2023 and respectfully requests your elections as soon as possible. Please indicate your elections in the spaces provided on the following pages. In the event you elect to participate in the drilling and completion of the wells proposed herein, please sign and return a copy of this letter along with the enclosed AFEs.

Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at tiffany@avantnr.com or (720) 746-5048.

Sincerely,

Tiffany Sarantinos Senior Landman

Enclosures

No. 23677

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COG OPERATING, LLC elects as follows:

Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H:
I/We hereby elect to participate in the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H well.
I/We hereby elect NOT to participate in the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H well.
Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H:
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CONOCOPHILLIPS and its subsidiaries COG OPERATING, LLC

By:	
Printed Name:	
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Title:	
Title:	
Date:	



Authority for Expenditure

AFE:	NM0106	Date:	March 7, 2023
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Well Name: Sandra Jean 23 Fed #751H Projected MD/TVD: 17073' / 11800'

Spud to TD: 18.3 days Target: Wolfcamp County: Lea Lateral Length: 5000' State: NM Stages: 32

SHL: Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 200 FSL, 772 FEL Total Proppant (ppf): 2,500 BHL: Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 100 FSL, 792 FEL Total Fluid (gal/ft): 3,000

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The proposed AFE is for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed #751H, a 1 section Wolfcamp horizontal well to be drilled in Lea County, NM. The well is a 4 string casing design consisting of the following: 17.5" surface hole drilled on Fresh to 1300' and 13.375" 54.5# J-55 BTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 14.75" hole will then be drilled on Brine to 5300' and a string of 10.75" 40.5# J-55 LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 9.875" hole will then be drilled on Fresh to 10500' and a string of 7.625" 29.7# P-110 HC LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 6.75" production hole will then be drilled on OBM to 17073' and a string of 5.5" 20# P-110 HC GBCD casing will be set and cemented in place. There will be 5000' of treatable lateral and the completions design will consist of +/-32 stages at 2500 lbs/ft & 3000 gals/ft. AFE includes associated costs for initial gas lift installation.

TOTAL

DRILLING: \$5,398,614

COMPLETIONS: \$4,261,774

COMPLETED WELL COST: \$9,660,388

OPERATOR APPROVAL:

Signature: Name:	Jacob Nagy	Date: Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature: Name:	Skyler Gary	Date: Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature: Name:	Pete Williams	Date: Title:	C.F.O.
Signature:	Braden Harris	Date: Title:	S.V.P. Operations

AFE # NM0106 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #751H

		TANGIBLE COSTS	Drilling	C	ompletion	Total
Tangible Drilli	ing		\$ 1,960,409	\$	-	\$ 1,960,409
	8400.301	Surface Casing:	\$ 111,988	\$	-	\$ 111,988
	8400.302	Intermediate1 Casing:	\$ 392,365	\$	-	\$ 392,365
	8400.302	Intermediate2 Casing:	\$ 659,222	\$	-	\$ 659,222
	8400.303	Production Casing:	\$ 736,539	\$	-	\$ 736,539
	8400.340	Wellhead Equipment:	\$ 60,295	\$	-	\$ 60,295
			\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
Tangible Com	pletion		\$ -	\$	341,096	\$ 341,096
	8400.308	Tubing:	\$ -	\$	193,713	\$ 193,713
	8400.340	Wellhead Equip:	\$ -	\$	102,124	\$ 102,124
	8400.312	Artificial Lift: Gas Lift	\$ -	\$	45,260	\$ 45,260
			\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
	•	TOTAL TANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 1,960,409	\$	341,096	\$ 2,301,505

	INTANGIBLE COSTS	Drilling	Completion	Total
Intangible Drilling		\$ 3,438,20	5 \$ -	\$ 3,438,205
8200.111	Survey, Stake/Permit:	\$ 2,32	1 \$ -	\$ 2,321
8200.113	Damages/ROW:	\$ 11,60	5 \$ -	\$ 11,605
8200.149	Legal, Title, Etc.	\$ 5,80	3 \$ -	\$ 5,803
8200.152	Well Control Insurance:	\$ 8,70	4 \$ -	\$ 8,704
8200.112	Location:	\$ 111,42	3 \$ -	\$ 111,423
8200.103	Rig Move:	\$ 156,00	4 \$ -	\$ 156,004
8200.102	Drilling Daywork:	\$ 1,010,56	0 \$ -	\$ 1,010,560
8200.104	Fuel/Power:	\$ 334,85	0 \$ -	\$ 334,850
8200.116	Bits & BHA:	\$ 116,89	5 \$ -	\$ 116,895
8200.128	Directional:	\$ 281,68	5 \$ -	\$ 281,685
8200.117	Mud & Chemicals:	\$ 150,82	7 \$ -	\$ 150,827
8200.115	Mud - Drill Water:	\$ 52,17	1 \$ -	\$ 52,171
8200.169	Mud Brine:	\$ 16,95	9 \$ -	\$ 16,959
8200.170	Mud - Diesel:	\$ 34,8	5 \$ -	\$ 34,815
8200.119	Mud - Auxiliary:	\$ 35,45	6 \$ -	\$ 35,456
8200.164	Solids Control/Closed Loop:	\$ 85,66	7 \$ -	\$ 85,667
8200.158	Disposal:	\$ 58,02	5 \$ -	\$ 58,025
8200.124	Equipment Rental:	\$ 89,82	9 \$ -	\$ 89,829
8200.146	Mancamp:	\$ 52,53	7 \$ -	\$ 52,537
8200.137	Casing Services:	\$ 36,42	0 \$ -	\$ 36,420
8200.138	Cementing:	\$ 243,70	5 \$ -	\$ 243,705
8200.106	Transportation:	\$ 42,2	1 \$ -	\$ 42,211
8200.125	Inspection/Testing:	\$ 19,72	9 \$ -	\$ 19,729
8200.144	Company Supervision:	\$ 2,64	0 \$ -	\$ 2,640
8200.107	Consulting Services:	\$ 266,67	7 \$ -	\$ 266,677
8200.127	Contract Labor:	\$ 30,04	-1 \$ -	\$ 30,041
8200.168	Roustabout Services:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.136	Mudlogging:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.143	Geo-Steering:	\$ 7,36	4 \$ -	\$ 7,364
8200.134	Open Hole Logging:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.135	Coring & Analysis:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.165	Safety & Environmental:	\$ 2,96	9 \$ -	\$ 2,969
8200.147	Drilling Overhead:	\$ 6,19	7 \$ -	\$ 6,197
8200.148	Miscellaneous:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.153	Contingency:	\$ 164,11	7 \$ -	\$ 164,117

AFE # NM0106 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #751H

Intangible Completion		\$	-	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 3,920,677
8300.205	Location & Roads:	\$	-	\$ 5,830	\$ 5,830
8300.216	Cased Hole Logs & Surveys	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -
8300.243	Analysis	\$	-	\$ 9,748	\$ 9,748
8300.270	Stimulation:	\$	-	\$ 1,396,592	\$ 1,396,592
8300.275	Proppant:	\$	-	\$ 538,342	\$ 538,342
8300.207	Water:	\$	-	\$ 201,255	\$ 201,255
8300.274	Water Transfer:	\$	-	\$ 53,651	\$ 53,651
8300.266	Chemicals:	\$	-	\$ 233,311	\$ 233,311
8300.209	Pump Down Services:	\$	-	\$ 40,618	\$ 40,618
8300.214	Wireline/Perforating:	\$	-	\$ 226,036	\$ 226,036
8300.203	Fuel, Power:	\$	-	\$ 370,687	\$ 370,687
8300.210	Rental Equipment (Surface):	\$	-	\$ 273,460	\$ 273,460
8300.277	Mancamp:	\$	-	\$ 22,601	\$ 22,601
8300.250	Rental Equipment (Downhole):	\$	-	\$ 41,784	\$ 41,784
8300.232	Disposal:	\$	-	\$ 31,612	\$ 31,612
8300.276	Safety & Environmental:	\$	-	\$ 7,050	\$ 7,050
8300.277	Consulting Services:	\$	-	\$ 87,908	\$ 87,908
8300.212	Contract Labor:	\$	-	\$ 19,926	\$ 19,926
8300.278	Roustabout Services:	\$	-	\$ 1,741	\$ 1,741
8300.220	Company Supervision:	\$	-	\$ 5,570	\$ 5,570
8300.230	Completions Rig:	\$	-	\$ 17,408	\$ 17,408
8300.271	Coil Tubing Unit	\$	-	\$ 89,316	\$ 89,316
8300.273	Flowback:	\$	-	\$ 44,097	\$ 44,097
8300.229	Transportation:	\$	-	\$ 15,436	\$ 15,436
8300.225	Contingency:	\$	-	\$ 186,699	\$ 186,699
	TOTAL INTANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 3,43	8,205	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 7,358,883

TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	\$ 5,398,614	\$ 4,261,774	\$ 9,660,388
TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	Drilling	Completion	Total

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JOINT INTEREST APPROVAL:

Company:	Working Interest:	
Signature:	Date:	
Day		



Authority for Expenditure

AFE: NM	107	Date:	March 7, 2023
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Well Name: Sandra Jean 23 Fed #752H Projected MD/TVD: 17073' / 11800'

Target:WolfcampSpud to TD:18.3 daysCounty:LeaLateral Length:5000'State:NMStages:32

 SHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 200 FSL, 2017 FEL
 Total Proppant (ppf): 2,500

 BHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 100 FSL, 1716 FEL
 Total Fluid (gal/ft): 3,000

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The proposed AFE is for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed #752H, a 1 section Wolfcamp horizontal well to be drilled in Lea County, NM. The well is a 4 string casing design consisting of the following: 17.5" surface hole drilled on Fresh to 1300' and 13.375" 54.5# J-55 BTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 14.75" hole will then be drilled on Brine to 5300' and a string of 10.75" 40.5# J-55 LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 9.875" hole will then be drilled on Fresh to 10500' and a string of 7.625" 29.7# P-110 HC LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 6.75" production hole will then be drilled on OBM to 17073' and a string of 5.5" 20# P-110 HC GBCD casing will be set and cemented in place. There will be 5000' of treatable lateral and the completions design will consist of +/-32 stages at 2500 lbs/ft & 3000 gals/ft. AFE includes associated costs for initial gas lift installation.

TOTAL

DRILLING: \$5,398,614

COMPLETIONS: \$4,261,774

COMPLETED WELL COST: \$9,660,388

OPERATOR APPROVAL:

Signature:	Leady Name	Date:	G- 65 0
Name:	Jacob Nagy	Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature:		Date:	
Name:	Skyler Gary	Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature:		Date:	
_	Pete Williams		C.F.O.
Signature:		Date:	
Name:	Braden Harris	Title:	S.V.P. Operations

AFE # NM0107 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #752H

		TANGIBLE COSTS	Drilling	C	ompletion	Total
Tangible Drilli	ng		\$ 1,960,409	\$	-	\$ 1,960,409
	8400.301	Surface Casing:	\$ 111,988	\$	-	\$ 111,988
	8400.302	Intermediate1 Casing:	\$ 392,365	\$	-	\$ 392,365
	8400.302	Intermediate2 Casing:	\$ 659,222	\$	-	\$ 659,222
	8400.303	Production Casing:	\$ 736,539	\$	-	\$ 736,539
	8400.340	Wellhead Equipment:	\$ 60,295	\$	-	\$ 60,295
			\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
Tangible Com	pletion		\$ -	\$	341,096	\$ 341,096
	8400.308	Tubing:	\$ -	\$	193,713	\$ 193,713
	8400.340	Wellhead Equip:	\$ -	\$	102,124	\$ 102,124
	8400.312	Artificial Lift: Gas Lift	\$ -	\$	45,260	\$ 45,260
			\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
		TOTAL TANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 1,960,409	\$	341,096	\$ 2,301,505

	INTANGIBLE COSTS	Dril	ing	Completion	Total
Intangible Drilling		\$ 3,4	38,205	\$ -	\$ 3,438,205
8200.111	Survey, Stake/Permit:	\$	2,321 \$		\$ 2,321
8200.113	Damages/ROW:	\$	11,605 \$	-	\$ 11,605
8200.149	Legal, Title, Etc.	\$	5,803 \$	-	\$ 5,803
8200.152	Well Control Insurance:	\$	8,704 \$	-	\$ 8,704
8200.112	Location:	\$	111,423 \$	-	\$ 111,423
8200.103	Rig Move:	\$	156,004 \$	-	\$ 156,004
8200.102	Drilling Daywork:	\$ 1,	010,560 \$	-	\$ 1,010,560
8200.104	Fuel/Power:	\$	334,850 \$	-	\$ 334,850
8200.116	Bits & BHA:	\$	116,895 \$	-	\$ 116,895
8200.128	Directional:	\$	281,685 \$	-	\$ 281,685
8200.117	Mud & Chemicals:	\$	150,827 \$	-	\$ 150,827
8200.115	Mud - Drill Water:	\$	52,171 \$	-	\$ 52,171
8200.169	Mud Brine:	\$	16,959 \$	-	\$ 16,959
8200.170	Mud - Diesel:	\$	34,815 \$	-	\$ 34,815
8200.119	Mud - Auxiliary:	\$	35,456 \$	5 -	\$ 35,456
8200.164	Solids Control/Closed Loop:	\$	85,667 \$	5 -	\$ 85,667
8200.158	Disposal:	\$	58,025 \$	-	\$ 58,025
8200.124	Equipment Rental:	\$	89,829 \$	-	\$ 89,829
8200.146	Mancamp:	\$	52,537 \$	-	\$ 52,537
8200.137	Casing Services:	\$	36,420 \$	-	\$ 36,420
8200.138	Cementing:	\$	243,705 \$	-	\$ 243,705
8200.106	Transportation:	\$	42,211 \$	-	\$ 42,211
8200.125	Inspection/Testing:	\$	19,729 \$	-	\$ 19,729
8200.144	Company Supervision:	\$	2,640 \$	-	\$ 2,640
8200.107	Consulting Services:	\$	266,677 \$	-	\$ 266,677
8200.127	Contract Labor:	\$	30,041 \$	-	\$ 30,041
8200.168	Roustabout Services:	\$	- \$	-	\$ -
8200.136	Mudlogging:	\$	- \$	-	\$ -
8200.143	Geo-Steering:	\$	7,364 \$	-	\$ 7,364
8200.134	Open Hole Logging:	\$	- \$	-	\$ -
8200.135	Coring & Analysis:	\$	- \$	-	\$ -
8200.165	Safety & Environmental:	\$	2,969 \$	-	\$ 2,969
8200.147	Drilling Overhead:	\$	6,197 \$	-	\$ 6,197
8200.148	Miscellaneous:	\$	- \$	-	\$ -
8200.153	Contingency:	\$	164,117 \$	5 -	\$ 164,117

AFE # NM0107 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #752H

Intangible Completion		\$ -	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 3,920,677
8300.205	Location & Roads:	\$ -	\$ 5,830	\$ 5,830
8300.216	Cased Hole Logs & Surveys	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
8300.243	Analysis	\$ -	\$ 9,748	\$ 9,748
8300.270	Stimulation:	\$ -	\$ 1,396,592	\$ 1,396,592
8300.275	Proppant:	\$ -	\$ 538,342	\$ 538,342
8300.207	Water:	\$ -	\$ 201,255	\$ 201,255
8300.274	Water Transfer:	\$ -	\$ 53,651	\$ 53,651
8300.266	Chemicals:	\$ -	\$ 233,311	\$ 233,311
8300.209	Pump Down Services:	\$ -	\$ 40,618	\$ 40,618
8300.214	Wireline/Perforating:	\$ -	\$ 226,036	\$ 226,036
8300.203	Fuel, Power:	\$ -	\$ 370,687	\$ 370,687
8300.210	Rental Equipment (Surface):	\$ -	\$ 273,460	\$ 273,460
8300.277	Mancamp:	\$ -	\$ 22,601	\$ 22,601
8300.250	Rental Equipment (Downhole):	\$ -	\$ 41,784	\$ 41,784
8300.232	Disposal:	\$ -	\$ 31,612	\$ 31,612
8300.276	Safety & Environmental:	\$ -	\$ 7,050	\$ 7,050
8300.277	Consulting Services:	\$ -	\$ 87,908	\$ 87,908
8300.212	Contract Labor:	\$ -	\$ 19,926	\$ 19,926
8300.278	Roustabout Services:	\$ -	\$ 1,741	\$ 1,741
8300.220	Company Supervision:	\$ -	\$ 5,570	\$ 5,570
8300.230	Completions Rig:	\$ -	\$ 17,408	\$ 17,408
8300.271	Coil Tubing Unit	\$ -	\$ 89,316	\$ 89,316
8300.273	Flowback:	\$ -	\$ 44,097	\$ 44,097
8300.229	Transportation:	\$ -	\$ 15,436	\$ 15,436
8300.225	Contingency:	\$ -	\$ 186,699	\$ 186,699
	TOTAL INTANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 3,438,205	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 7,358,883

TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	\$ 5,398,614	\$ 4,261,774	\$ 9,660,388	
TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	Drilling	Completion	Total	

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JOINT INTEREST APPROVAL:

Company:	Working Interest:	
Signature:	Date:	
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Authority for Expenditure

AFE: NM0108	Date:	March 7, 202

Well Name: Sandra Jean 23 Fed #753H Projected MD/TVD: 17073' / 11800'

Target:WolfcampSpud to TD:18.3 daysCounty:LeaLateral Length:5000'State:NMStages:32

 SHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 200 FSL, 2117 FEL
 Total Proppant (ppf): 2,500

 BHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 100 FSL, 2640 FEL
 Total Fluid (gal/ft): 3,000

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The proposed AFE is for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed #753H, a 1 section Wolfcamp horizontal well to be drilled in Lea County, NM. The well is a 4 string casing design consisting of the following: 17.5" surface hole drilled on Fresh to 1300' and 13.375" 54.5# J-55 BTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 14.75" hole will then be drilled on Brine to 5300' and a string of 10.75" 40.5# J-55 LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 9.875" hole will then be drilled on Fresh to 10500' and a string of 7.625" 29.7# P-110 HC LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 6.75" production hole will then be drilled on OBM to 17073' and a string of 5.5" 20# P-110 HC GBCD casing will be set and cemented in place. There will be 5000' of treatable lateral and the completions design will consist of +/-32 stages at 2500 lbs/ft & 3000 gals/ft. AFE includes associated costs for initial gas lift installation.

<u>TOTAL</u>

DRILLING: \$5,398,614

COMPLETIONS: \$4,261,774

COMPLETED WELL COST: \$9,660,388

OPERATOR APPROVAL:

Signature: Name:	Jacob Nagy	Date: Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature: Name:	Skyler Gary	Date: Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature: Name:	Pete Williams	Date: Title:	C.F.O.
Signature: Name:	Braden Harris	Date: Title:	S.V.P. Operations

OCD Examiner Hearing 10-05-23

AFE # NM0108 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #753H

TANGIBLE COSTS		Drilling	C	ompletion	Total
Tangible Drilling		\$ 1,960,409	\$	-	\$ 1,960,409
8400.301	Surface Casing:	\$ 111,988	\$	-	\$ 111,988
8400.302	Intermediate1 Casing:	\$ 392,365	\$	-	\$ 392,365
8400.302	Intermediate2 Casing:	\$ 659,222	\$	-	\$ 659,222
8400.303	Production Casing:	\$ 736,539	\$	-	\$ 736,539
8400.340	Wellhead Equipment:	\$ 60,295	\$	-	\$ 60,295
		\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
Tangible Completion	•	\$ -	\$	341,096	\$ 341,096
8400.308	Tubing:	\$ -	\$	193,713	\$ 193,713
8400.340	Wellhead Equip:	\$ -	\$	102,124	\$ 102,124
8400.312	Artificial Lift: Gas Lift	\$ -	\$	45,260	\$ 45,260
		\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
	TOTAL TANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 1,960,409	\$	341,096	\$ 2,301,505

	INTANGIBLE COSTS	Drilling	Completion	Total
Intangible Drilling		\$ 3,438,20	5 \$ -	\$ 3,438,205
8200.111	Survey, Stake/Permit:	\$ 2,32	1 \$ -	\$ 2,321
8200.113	Damages/ROW:	\$ 11,60	5 \$ -	\$ 11,605
8200.149	Legal, Title, Etc.	\$ 5,80	3 \$ -	\$ 5,803
8200.152	Well Control Insurance:	\$ 8,70	4 \$ -	\$ 8,704
8200.112	Location:	\$ 111,42	3 \$ -	\$ 111,423
8200.103	Rig Move:	\$ 156,00	4 \$ -	\$ 156,004
8200.102	Drilling Daywork:	\$ 1,010,56	0 \$ -	\$ 1,010,560
8200.104	Fuel/Power:	\$ 334,85	0 \$ -	\$ 334,850
8200.116	Bits & BHA:	\$ 116,89	5 \$ -	\$ 116,895
8200.128	Directional:	\$ 281,68	5 \$ -	\$ 281,685
8200.117	Mud & Chemicals:	\$ 150,82	7 \$ -	\$ 150,827
8200.115	Mud - Drill Water:	\$ 52,17	1 \$ -	\$ 52,171
8200.169	Mud Brine:	\$ 16,95	9 \$ -	\$ 16,959
8200.170	Mud - Diesel:	\$ 34,8	5 \$ -	\$ 34,815
8200.119	Mud - Auxiliary:	\$ 35,45	6 \$ -	\$ 35,456
8200.164	Solids Control/Closed Loop:	\$ 85,66	7 \$ -	\$ 85,667
8200.158	Disposal:	\$ 58,02	5 \$ -	\$ 58,025
8200.124	Equipment Rental:	\$ 89,82	9 \$ -	\$ 89,829
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8200.137	Casing Services:	\$ 36,42	0 \$ -	\$ 36,420
8200.138	Cementing:	\$ 243,70	5 \$ -	\$ 243,705
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8200.144	Company Supervision:	\$ 2,64	0 \$ -	\$ 2,640
8200.107	Consulting Services:	\$ 266,67	7 \$ -	\$ 266,677
8200.127	Contract Labor:	\$ 30,04	-1 \$ -	\$ 30,041
8200.168	Roustabout Services:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.136	Mudlogging:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.143	Geo-Steering:	\$ 7,36	4 \$ -	\$ 7,364
8200.134	Open Hole Logging:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.135	Coring & Analysis:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.165	Safety & Environmental:	\$ 2,96	9 \$ -	\$ 2,969
8200.147	Drilling Overhead:	\$ 6,19	7 \$ -	\$ 6,197
8200.148	Miscellaneous:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.153	Contingency:	\$ 164,11	7 \$ -	\$ 164,117

AFE # NM0108 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #753H

Intangible Completion		\$	-	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 3,920,677
8300.205	Location & Roads:	\$	-	\$ 5,830	\$ 5,830
8300.216	Cased Hole Logs & Surveys	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -
8300.243	Analysis	\$	-	\$ 9,748	\$ 9,748
8300.270	Stimulation:	\$	-	\$ 1,396,592	\$ 1,396,592
8300.275	Proppant:	\$	-	\$ 538,342	\$ 538,342
8300.207	Water:	\$	-	\$ 201,255	\$ 201,255
8300.274	Water Transfer:	\$	-	\$ 53,651	\$ 53,651
8300.266	Chemicals:	\$	-	\$ 233,311	\$ 233,311
8300.209	Pump Down Services:	\$	-	\$ 40,618	\$ 40,618
8300.214	Wireline/Perforating:	\$	-	\$ 226,036	\$ 226,036
8300.203	Fuel, Power:	\$	-	\$ 370,687	\$ 370,687
8300.210	Rental Equipment (Surface):	\$	-	\$ 273,460	\$ 273,460
8300.277	Mancamp:	\$	-	\$ 22,601	\$ 22,601
8300.250	Rental Equipment (Downhole):	\$	-	\$ 41,784	\$ 41,784
8300.232	Disposal:	\$	-	\$ 31,612	\$ 31,612
8300.276	Safety & Environmental:	\$	-	\$ 7,050	\$ 7,050
8300.277	Consulting Services:	\$	-	\$ 87,908	\$ 87,908
8300.212	Contract Labor:	\$	-	\$ 19,926	\$ 19,926
8300.278	Roustabout Services:	\$	-	\$ 1,741	\$ 1,741
8300.220	Company Supervision:	\$	-	\$ 5,570	\$ 5,570
8300.230	Completions Rig:	\$	-	\$ 17,408	\$ 17,408
8300.271	Coil Tubing Unit	\$	-	\$ 89,316	\$ 89,316
8300.273	Flowback:	\$	-	\$ 44,097	\$ 44,097
8300.229	Transportation:	\$	-	\$ 15,436	\$ 15,436
8300.225	Contingency:	\$	-	\$ 186,699	\$ 186,699
	TOTAL INTANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 3,43	8,205	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 7,358,883

TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	\$ 5,398,614	\$ 4,261,774	\$ 9,660,388
TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	Drilling	Completion	Total

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JOINT INTEREST APPROVAL:

Company:	Working Interest:	
Signature:	Date:	
Day		



Authority for Expenditure

AFE:	NM0109	Date:	March 7, 2023
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Well Name: Sandra Jean 23 Fed #754H Projected MD/TVD: 17073' / 11800'

Target:WolfcampSpud to TD:18.3 daysCounty:LeaLateral Length:5000'State:NMStages:32

 SHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 200 FSL, 1808 FWL
 Total Proppant (ppf): 2,500

 BHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 100 FSL, 1716 FWL
 Total Fluid (gal/ft): 3,000

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The proposed AFE is for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed #754H, a 1 section Wolfcamp horizontal well to be drilled in Lea County, NM. The well is a 4 string casing design consisting of the following: 17.5" surface hole drilled on Fresh to 1300' and 13.375" 54.5# J-55 BTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 14.75" hole will then be drilled on Brine to 5300' and a string of 10.75" 40.5# J-55 LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 9.875" hole will then be drilled on Fresh to 10500' and a string of 7.625" 29.7# P-110 HC LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 6.75" production hole will then be drilled on OBM to 17073' and a string of 5.5" 20# P-110 HC GBCD casing will be set and cemented in place. There will be 5000' of treatable lateral and the completions design will consist of +/-32 stages at 2500 lbs/ft & 3000 gals/ft. AFE includes associated costs for initial gas lift installation.

<u>TOTAL</u>

DRILLING: \$5,398,614

COMPLETIONS: \$4,261,774

COMPLETED WELL COST: \$9,660,388

OPERATOR APPROVAL:

Signature: Name:	Jacob Nagy	Date: Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature: Name:	Skyler Gary	Date: Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature: Name:	Pete Williams	Date: Title:	C.F.O.
Signature: Name:	Braden Harris	Date: Title:	S.V.P. Operations

AFE # NM0109 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #754H

	TANGIBLE COSTS		Drilling	С	ompletion	Total
Tangible Drilli	ng		\$ 1,960,409	\$	-	\$ 1,960,409
	8400.301	Surface Casing:	\$ 111,988	\$	-	\$ 111,988
	8400.302	Intermediate1 Casing:	\$ 392,365	\$	-	\$ 392,365
	8400.302	Intermediate2 Casing:	\$ 659,222	\$	-	\$ 659,222
	8400.303	Production Casing:	\$ 736,539	\$	-	\$ 736,539
	8400.340	Wellhead Equipment:	\$ 60,295	\$	-	\$ 60,295
			\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
Tangible Com	pletion		\$ -	\$	341,096	\$ 341,096
	8400.308	Tubing:	\$ -	\$	193,713	\$ 193,713
	8400.340	Wellhead Equip:	\$ -	\$	102,124	\$ 102,124
	8400.312	Artificial Lift: Gas Lift	\$ -	\$	45,260	\$ 45,260
			\$ -	\$	-	\$ -
		TOTAL TANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 1,960,409	\$	341,096	\$ 2,301,505

	INTANGIBLE COSTS	Drilling	Completion	Total
ntangible Drilling		\$ 3,438,20	5 \$ -	\$ 3,438,205
8200.111	Survey, Stake/Permit:	\$ 2,32	1 \$ -	\$ 2,321
8200.113	Damages/ROW:	\$ 11,60	5 \$ -	\$ 11,605
8200.149	Legal, Title, Etc.	\$ 5,80	3 \$ -	\$ 5,803
8200.152	Well Control Insurance:	\$ 8,70	4 \$ -	\$ 8,704
8200.112	Location:	\$ 111,42	3 \$ -	\$ 111,423
8200.103	Rig Move:	\$ 156,00	4 \$ -	\$ 156,004
8200.102	Drilling Daywork:	\$ 1,010,56	0 \$ -	\$ 1,010,560
8200.104	Fuel/Power:	\$ 334,85	0 \$ -	\$ 334,850
8200.116	Bits & BHA:	\$ 116,89	5 \$ -	\$ 116,895
8200.128	Directional:	\$ 281,68	5 \$ -	\$ 281,685
8200.117	Mud & Chemicals:	\$ 150,82	7 \$ -	\$ 150,827
8200.115	Mud - Drill Water:	\$ 52,17	1 \$ -	\$ 52,171
8200.169	Mud Brine:	\$ 16,95	9 \$ -	\$ 16,959
8200.170	Mud - Diesel:	\$ 34,81	5 \$ -	\$ 34,815
8200.119	Mud - Auxiliary:	\$ 35,45	6 \$ -	\$ 35,456
8200.164	Solids Control/Closed Loop:	\$ 85,66	7 \$ -	\$ 85,667
8200.158	Disposal:	\$ 58,02	5 \$ -	\$ 58,025
8200.124	Equipment Rental:	\$ 89,82	9 \$ -	\$ 89,829
8200.146	Mancamp:	\$ 52,53	7 \$ -	\$ 52,537
8200.137	Casing Services:	\$ 36,42	0 \$ -	\$ 36,420
8200.138	Cementing:	\$ 243,70	5 \$ -	\$ 243,705
8200.106	Transportation:	\$ 42,21	1 \$ -	\$ 42,211
8200.125	Inspection/Testing:	\$ 19,72	9 \$ -	\$ 19,729
8200.144	Company Supervision:	\$ 2,64	0 \$ -	\$ 2,640
8200.107	Consulting Services:	\$ 266,67	7 \$ -	\$ 266,677
8200.127	Contract Labor:	\$ 30,04	1 \$ -	\$ 30,041
8200.168	Roustabout Services:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.136	Mudlogging:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.143	Geo-Steering:	\$ 7,36	4 \$ -	\$ 7,364
8200.134	Open Hole Logging:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.135	Coring & Analysis:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.165	Safety & Environmental:	\$ 2,96	9 \$ -	\$ 2,969
8200.147	Drilling Overhead:	\$ 6,19	7 \$ -	\$ 6,197
8200.148	Miscellaneous:	\$	- \$ -	\$ -
8200.153	Contingency:	\$ 164,11	7 \$ -	\$ 164,117

AFE # NM0109 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #754H

Intangible Completion		\$	-	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 3,920,677
8300.205	Location & Roads:	\$	-	\$ 5,830	\$ 5,830
8300.216	Cased Hole Logs & Surveys	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -
8300.243	Analysis	\$	-	\$ 9,748	\$ 9,748
8300.270	Stimulation:	\$	-	\$ 1,396,592	\$ 1,396,592
8300.275	Proppant:	\$	-	\$ 538,342	\$ 538,342
8300.207	Water:	\$	-	\$ 201,255	\$ 201,255
8300.274	Water Transfer:	\$	-	\$ 53,651	\$ 53,651
8300.266	Chemicals:	\$	-	\$ 233,311	\$ 233,311
8300.209	Pump Down Services:	\$	-	\$ 40,618	\$ 40,618
8300.214	Wireline/Perforating:	\$	-	\$ 226,036	\$ 226,036
8300.203	Fuel, Power:	\$	-	\$ 370,687	\$ 370,687
8300.210	Rental Equipment (Surface):	\$	-	\$ 273,460	\$ 273,460
8300.277	Mancamp:	\$	-	\$ 22,601	\$ 22,601
8300.250	Rental Equipment (Downhole):	\$	-	\$ 41,784	\$ 41,784
8300.232	Disposal:	\$	-	\$ 31,612	\$ 31,612
8300.276	Safety & Environmental:	\$	-	\$ 7,050	\$ 7,050
8300.277	Consulting Services:	\$	-	\$ 87,908	\$ 87,908
8300.212	Contract Labor:	\$	-	\$ 19,926	\$ 19,926
8300.278	Roustabout Services:	\$	-	\$ 1,741	\$ 1,741
8300.220	Company Supervision:	\$	-	\$ 5,570	\$ 5,570
8300.230	Completions Rig:	\$	-	\$ 17,408	\$ 17,408
8300.271	Coil Tubing Unit	\$	-	\$ 89,316	\$ 89,316
8300.273	Flowback:	\$	-	\$ 44,097	\$ 44,097
8300.229	Transportation:	\$	-	\$ 15,436	\$ 15,436
8300.225	Contingency:	\$	-	\$ 186,699	\$ 186,699
	TOTAL INTANGIBLE COSTS >>>	\$ 3,43	8,205	\$ 3,920,677	\$ 7,358,883

TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	\$ 5,398,614	\$ 4,261,774	\$ 9,660,388
TOTAL D&C COSTS >>>	Drilling	Completion	Total

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JOINT INTEREST APPROVAL:

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AFE:	NM0110	Date:	March 7, 2023
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Well Name: Sandra Jean 23 Fed #755H Projected MD/TVD: 17073' / 11800'

Target:WolfcampSpud to TD:18.3 daysCounty:LeaLateral Length:5000'State:NMStages:32

 SHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 200 FSL, 1187 FWL
 Total Proppant (ppf): 2,500

 BHL:
 Sec: 23, T-20S, R-33E; 100 FSL, 792 FWL
 Total Fluid (gal/ft): 3,000

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The proposed AFE is for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed #755H, a 1 section Wolfcamp horizontal well to be drilled in Lea County, NM. The well is a 4 string casing design consisting of the following: 17.5" surface hole drilled on Fresh to 1300' and 13.375" 54.5# J-55 BTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 14.75" hole will then be drilled on Brine to 5300' and a string of 10.75" 40.5# J-55 LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 9.875" hole will then be drilled on Fresh to 10500' and a string of 7.625" 29.7# P-110 HC LTC casing will be set and cemented in place; 6.75" production hole will then be drilled on OBM to 17073' and a string of 5.5" 20# P-110 HC GBCD casing will be set and cemented in place. There will be 5000' of treatable lateral and the completions design will consist of +/-32 stages at 2500 lbs/ft & 3000 gals/ft. AFE includes associated costs for initial gas lift installation.

<u>TOTAL</u>

DRILLING: \$5,398,614

COMPLETIONS: \$4,261,774

COMPLETED WELL COST: \$9,660,388

OPERATOR APPROVAL:

Signature:	Jacob Nagy	Date:	Co-C.E.O.
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Signature:		Date:	
Name:	Skyler Gary	Title:	Co-C.E.O.
Signature:		Date:	
Name:	Pete Williams	Title:	C.F.O.
Signature:		Date:	
Name:	Braden Harris	Title:	S.V.P. Operations

AFE # NM0110 - Sandra Jean 23 Fed #755H

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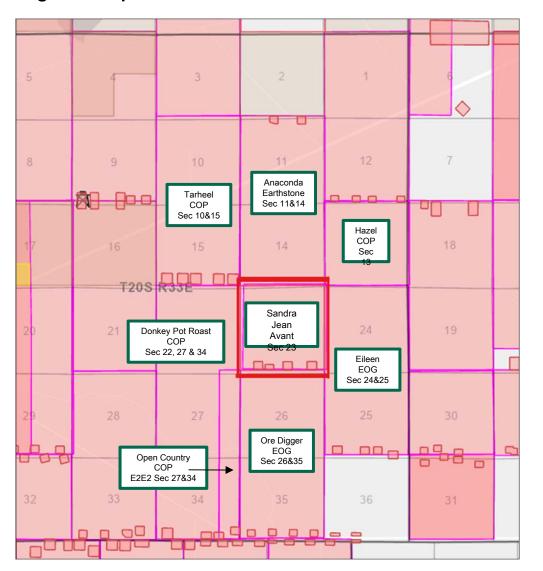
BLM Development Areas & Drill Islands

Sandra Jean 23 Federal Com #751H - #755H

Avant Operating, LLC Case Nos. 23677



ALL of Sections 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico **Surrounding Development Areas:**



BLM Approved Development Area's

BLM Approved Drill Islands



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

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23677

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23678

SELF-AFFIRMED DECLARATION OF DEANA M. BENNETT

Deana M. Bennett, attorney in fact and authorized representative of Avant Operating, LLC, the Applicant herein, declares as follows:

- 1) The above-referenced Application was provided under notice letter, dated July 13, 2023, notice letter dated August 18, 2023 to additional names, and notice letter dated August 23, 2023 sent to additional names, all attached hereto, as Exhibit A.
- 2) Exhibit B is the mailing list, which show the notice letters were delivered to the USPS for mailing on July 13, 2023, and mailing list for additional names delivered to the USPS for mailing on August 18, 2023 and August 23, 2023.
- 3) Exhibit C is the certified mailing tracking information, which is automatically compiled by CertifiedPro, the software Modrall uses to track the mailings. This spreadsheet shows the names and addresses of the parties to whom notice was sent and the status of the mailing.
- 4) Exhibit D is the Affidavit of Publication from the Hobbs News-Sun, confirming that notice of the August 3, 2023 hearing was published on July 19, 2023, and the Affidavit of Publication with additional names confirming that notice of the September 7, 2023 hearing was published on August 22, 2023, and another Affidavit of Publication with additional names was published August 29, 2023.

Exhibit B-8

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5) I attest under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico that the information provided herein is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated: September 28, 2023

Deana M. Bennett

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July 13, 2023

Deana M. Bennett 505.848.1834 dmb@modrail.com

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Re: APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23677

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23678

TO: AFFECTED PARTIES

This letter is to advise you that Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant") has filed the enclosed applications.

In Case No. 23677, Avant seeks an order from the Division (1) approving a non-standard 640-acre spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H; and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for the wells are expected to be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Avant Operating, LLC as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells. Said area is located approximately 22 miles west-southwest of Monument, New Mexico.

In Case No. 23678, Avant seeks an order from the Division (1) approving a non-standard 640-acre spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit

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EXHIBIT

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comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #501H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #502H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #503H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #601H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #602H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #603H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #303H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #304H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #305H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #504H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #505H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #506H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #604H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #605H; and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #606H wells to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for the wells are expected to be orthodox. The completed intervals for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #502H, Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #602H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #304H, Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #505H; and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #605H wells are expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, thereby allowing for the inclusion of the proximity tracts within the proposed spacing unit. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Avant Operating, LLC as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells. Said area is located approximately 22 miles west-southwest of Monument, New Mexico.

The hearing will be conducted remotely on August 3, 2023 beginning at 8:15 a.m. To participate in the electronic hearing, see the instructions posted on the docket for the hearing date: https://www.emnrd.nm.gov/ocd/hearing-info/.

As a party who may be affected by these applications, we are notifying you of your right to appear at the hearing and participate in these cases, including the right to present evidence either in support of or in opposition to the applications. Failure to appear at the hearing may preclude you from any involvement in these cases at a later date.

You are further notified that if you desire to appear in these cases, then you are requested to file a Pre-Hearing Statement with the Division at least four business days in advance of a scheduled hearing before the Division or the Commission, but in no event later than 5:00 p.m. mountain time, on the Thursday preceding the scheduled hearing date, with a copy delivered to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Deana M. Bennett

Attorney for Applicant

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

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 23677

APPLICATION

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), OGRID Number 330396, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17 and Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5) NMAC, for an order (1) approving a non-standard spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of this application, Avant states as follows:

- 1. Avant has an interest in the subject lands and has a right to drill and operate a well thereon.
- 2. Avant seeks to dedicate Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico to form a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit ("Unit").
 - 3. Avant seeks to dedicate the following proposed wells to the Unit:
 - a. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H wells to be drilled in the E/2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico; and

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- b. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be drilled in the W2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico.
- 4. The wells will be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Wolfcamp formation. The wells will be horizontally drilled, and, if the non-standard unit application is approved the producing areas for all of the wells are expected to be orthodox.
- 5. The completed interval for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753 is expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, which will be a standard location if the non-standard unit application is approved.
- 6. Avant sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit their interests to the wells.
- 7. The pooling of all interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.
- 8. Approval of a non-standard spacing unit is necessary to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Avant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 3, 2023, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order:

- A. Approving a non-standard horizontal spacing unit pursuant to Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5);
 - B. Pooling all uncommitted interests in the Unit;
 - C. Designating Avant as operator of the Unit and the wells to be drilled thereon;

- D. Authorizing Avant to recover its costs of drilling, equipping and completing the wells;
- E. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure; and
- F. Setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the wells in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the wells.

Respectfully submitted,

MODRALL, SPERLING, ROEHL, HARRIS & SISK, P.A.

By:/s/ Deana M. Bennett

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Attorneys for Avant Operating, LLC

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CASE NO. 23677: Application of Avant Operating, LLC for approval of a non-standard unit and compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order from the Division (1) approving a non-standard 640-acre spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H; and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for the wells are expected to be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Avant Operating, LLC as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells. Said area is located approximately 22 miles west-southwest of Monument, New Mexico.

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CASE NO. 23678

APPLICATION

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), OGRID Number 330396, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17 and Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5) NMAC, for an order (1) approving a non-standard spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of this application, Avant states as follows:

- 1. Avant has an interest in the subject lands and has a right to drill and operate a well thereon.
- 2. Avant seeks to dedicate Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico to form a 640-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit ("Unit").
 - 3. Avant seeks to dedicate the following proposed wells to the Unit:
 - a. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #501H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #502H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #503H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #601H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #602H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #603H wells to be drilled in the E/2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico; and

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- b. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #303H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #304H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #305H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #504H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #506H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #604H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #605H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #606H wells to be drilled in the W2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico.
- 4. The wells will be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation. The wells will be horizontally drilled, and, if the non-standard unit application is approved the producing areas for all of the wells are expected to be orthodox.
- 5. The completed intervals for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #502H, and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #602H wells, to be drilled in the E/2 of Section 23, are each expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts thereby allowing for the inclusion of the proximity tracts within the proposed spacing unit under Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(1)(b) NMAC.
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- 7. The completed interval for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #303H well is expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, which will be a standard location if the non-standard unit application is approved.
- 8. Avant sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit their interests to the wells.

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- 9. The pooling of all interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.
- 10. Approval of a non-standard spacing unit is necessary to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Avant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 3, 2023, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order:

- A. Approving a non-standard horizontal spacing unit pursuant to Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5);
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Respectfully submitted,

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August 18, 2023

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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Re: APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23677

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23678

TO: AFFECTED PARTIES

This letter is to advise you that Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant") has filed the enclosed applications.

In Case No. 23677, Avant seeks an order from the Division (1) approving a non-standard 640-acre spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H; and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for the wells are expected to be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Avant Operating, LLC as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells. Said area is located approximately 22 miles west-southwest of Monument, New Mexico.

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The hearing was originally set for hearing on August 3, 2023, but has been rescheduled and will be conducted on September 7, 2023 beginning at 8:15 a.m. To participate in the electronic hearing, see the instructions posted on the docket for the hearing date: https://www.emnrd.nm.gov/ocd/hearing-info/.

As a party who may be affected by these applications, we are notifying you of your right to appear at the hearing and participate in these cases, including the right to present evidence either in support of or in opposition to the applications. Failure to appear at the hearing may preclude you from any involvement in these cases at a later date.

You are further notified that if you desire to appear in these cases, then you are requested to file a Pre-Hearing Statement with the Division at least four business days in advance of a scheduled hearing before the Division or the Commission, but in no event later than 5:00 p.m. mountain time, on the Thursday preceding the scheduled hearing date, with a copy delivered to the undersigned.

Sincerely, Defina M. Bennett

Deana M. Bennett

Attorney for Applicant

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

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 23677

APPLICATION

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), OGRID Number 330396, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17 and Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5) NMAC, for an order (1) approving a non-standard spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of this application, Avant states as follows:

- 1. Avant has an interest in the subject lands and has a right to drill and operate a well thereon.
- 2. Avant seeks to dedicate Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico to form a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit ("Unit").
 - 3. Avant seeks to dedicate the following proposed wells to the Unit:
 - a. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H wells to be drilled in the E/2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico; and

- b. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be drilled in the W2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico.
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- 5. The completed interval for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753 is expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, which will be a standard location if the non-standard unit application is approved.
- 6. Avant sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit their interests to the wells.
- 7. The pooling of all interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.
- 8. Approval of a non-standard spacing unit is necessary to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Avant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 3, 2023, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order:

- A. Approving a non-standard horizontal spacing unit pursuant to Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5);
 - B. Pooling all uncommitted interests in the Unit;
 - C. Designating Avant as operator of the Unit and the wells to be drilled thereon;

- D. Authorizing Avant to recover its costs of drilling, equipping and completing the wells;
- E. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure; and
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Respectfully submitted,

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CASE NO. 23677: Application of Avant Operating, LLC for approval of a non-standard unit and compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order from the Division (1) approving a non-standard 640-acre spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for the wells are expected to be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Avant Operating, LLC as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells. Said area is located approximately 22 miles west-southwest of Monument, New Mexico.

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

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 23678

APPLICATION

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), OGRID Number 330396, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17 and Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5) NMAC, for an order (1) approving a non-standard spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of this application, Avant states as follows:

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- 4. The wells will be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation. The wells will be horizontally drilled, and, if the non-standard unit application is approved the producing areas for all of the wells are expected to be orthodox.
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- 7. The completed interval for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #303H well is expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, which will be a standard location if the non-standard unit application is approved.
- 8. Avant sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit their interests to the wells.

- 9. The pooling of all interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.
- 10. Approval of a non-standard spacing unit is necessary to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Avant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 3, 2023, and after notice and hearing as required by law. the Division enter its order:

- A. Approving a non-standard horizontal spacing unit pursuant to Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5);
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August 23, 2023

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CASE NO. 23677

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CASE NO. 23678

TO: AFFECTED PARTIES

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APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. <u>23677</u>

APPLICATION

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), OGRID Number 330396, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17 and Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5) NMAC, for an order (1) approving a non-standard spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of this application, Avant states as follows:

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WHEREFORE, Avant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 3, 2023, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order:

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Respectfully submitted,

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

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 23678

APPLICATION

Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), OGRID Number 330396, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17 and Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5) NMAC, for an order (1) approving a non-standard spacing unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a 640-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of this application, Avant states as follows:

- 1. Avant has an interest in the subject lands and has a right to drill and operate a well thereon.
- 2. Avant seeks to dedicate Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico to form a 640-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit ("Unit").
 - 3. Avant seeks to dedicate the following proposed wells to the Unit:
 - a. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #301H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #501H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #502H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #503H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #601H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #602H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #603H wells to be drilled in the E/2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico; and

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b. The Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #303H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #304H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #305H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #504H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #506H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #604H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #605H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #606H wells to be drilled in the W2 of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M, Lea County, New Mexico.

4. The wells will be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation. The wells will be horizontally drilled, and, if the non-standard unit application is approved the

producing areas for all of the wells are expected to be orthodox.

5. The completed intervals for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #302H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #502H, and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #602H wells, to be drilled in the E/2 of Section 23, are each expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts thereby allowing for the inclusion of the proximity tracts within the proposed spacing unit under Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(1)(b)

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6. The completed intervals for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #304H, Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #505H; and Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #605H wells, to be drilled in the W/2 of Section 23, are each expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, thereby allowing for the inclusion of the proximity tracts within the proposed spacing unit under Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(1)(b)

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7. The completed interval for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #303H well is expected to be less than 330 feet from the adjoining tracts, which will be a standard location if the non-standard unit application is approved.

8. Avant sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the

drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit their interests to the wells.

- 9. The pooling of all interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.
- 10. Approval of a non-standard spacing unit is necessary to prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Avant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 3, 2023, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order:

- A. Approving a non-standard horizontal spacing unit pursuant to Rule 19.15.16.15(B)(5);
 - B. Pooling all uncommitted interests in the Unit;
 - C. Designating Avant as operator of the Unit and the wells to be drilled thereon;
- D. Authorizing Avant to recover its costs of drilling, equipping and completing the wells;
- E. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure; and
- F. Setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the wells in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the wells.

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

APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 23677

SELF AFFIRMED DECLARATION OF JOHN HARPER

John Harper hereby states and declares as follows:

- 1. I am over the age of 18, I am a geologist for Avant Operating, LLC ("Avant"), and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein. I have previously testified before the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") and my credentials as an expert petroleum geologist were accepted by the Division as a matter of record.
 - 2. My area of responsibility at Avant includes the area of Lea County in New Mexico.
 - 3. I am familiar with the application filed by Avant in this case.
- 4. **Exhibit C.1** is a locator map showing the approximate location of the proposed unit in relation to the Capitan Reef.
- 5. **Exhibit C.2** is a wellbore schematic showing Avant's Sandra Jean development plan.
- 6. Exhibits C.3 through C.5 are the geology study I prepared for the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #751H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #752H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #753H; Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #754H; and the Sandra Jean 23 Fed Com #755H wells, which will target the Wolfcamp Formation.

- 7. **Exhibit C.3** is a structure map of the top of the Wolfcamp Formation. The proposed spacing unit is identified by a red box. The proposed wells are identified by the black-dashed line. The contour interval used in this exhibit is 100 feet. This exhibit shows that the structure dips gently to the south.
- 8. Exhibit C.4 is a cross-section reference map that identifies two wells in the vicinity of the proposed wells, shown by a line of cross-section running from A to A'.
- 9. **Exhibit C.5** is a stratigraphic cross-section, and the well logs shown on the crosssection give a representative sample of the Wolfcamp Formation in the area. The target zone is identified by a red-dashed line and a box identifying the wells. In my opinion, the Wolfcamp is relatively consistent.
- 10. Exhibit C.6 is a structural cross-section, and the well logs shown on the crosssection give a representative sample of the Wolfcamp Formation in the area. The target zone is identified by a red-dashed line and a box identifying the wells. In my opinion, the Wolfcamp dips gently to the south.
 - 11. I conclude from the geology studies referenced above that:
 - The horizontal spacing unit is justified from a geologic standpoint.
 - b. There are no structural impediments or faulting that will interfere with horizontal development.
 - c. Each quarter-quarter section in the proposed unit will contribute more or less equally to production.
- 12. The preferred well orientation in this area is either north/south or south/north, optimal for inducted fracture propagation. This is because the S_{Hmax} is at approximately 45 degrees ENE in this area of Lea County.

- 13. In my opinion, the granting of Avant's application is in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.
- 14. The attachments to this declaration were prepared by me, or compiled from company business records, or were prepared at my direction.

[Signature page follows]

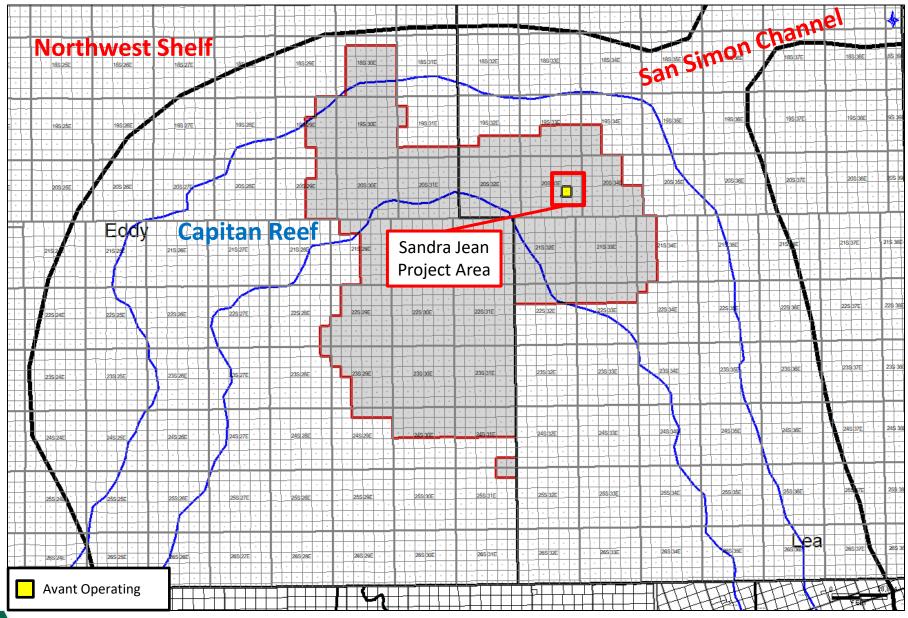
I attest under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico that the information provided herein is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated: September 26, 2023

John Harper

Regional Locator Map Sandra Jean 23 Federal Com #751H - #755H Avant Operating, LLC Case No. 23677 Exhibit C-1







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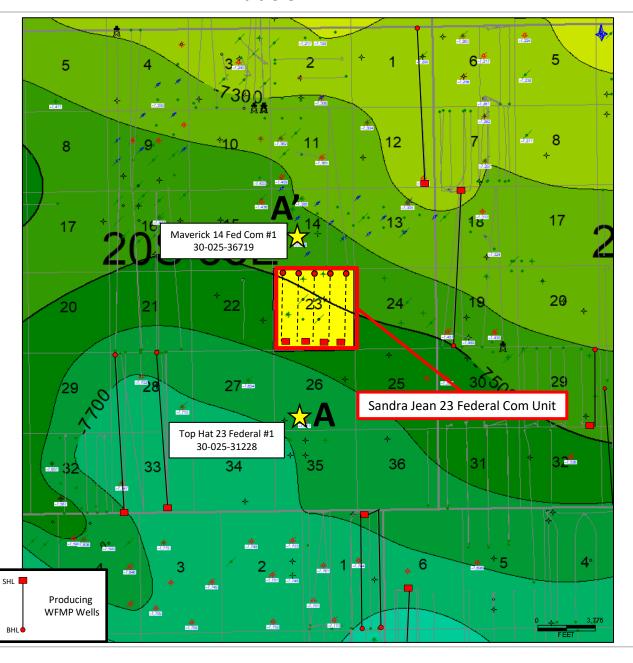
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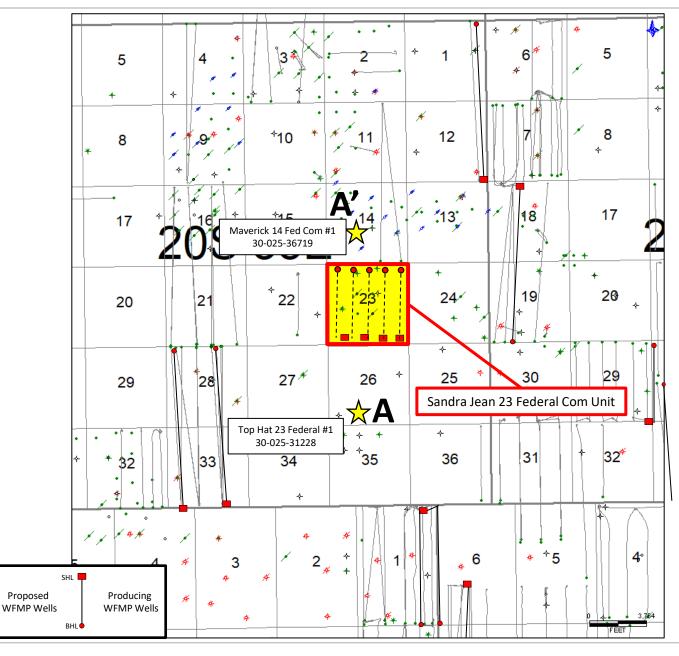


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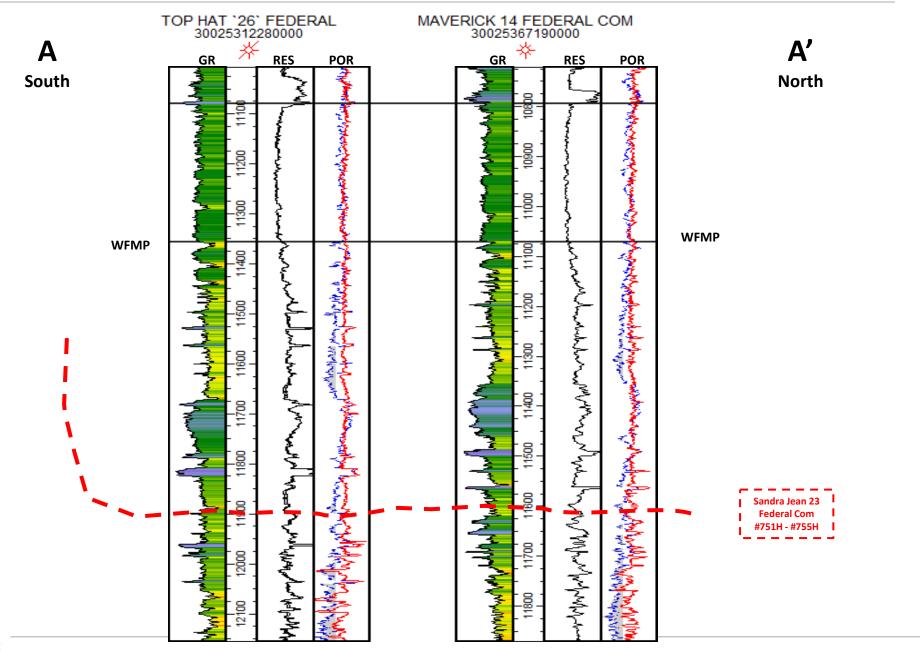




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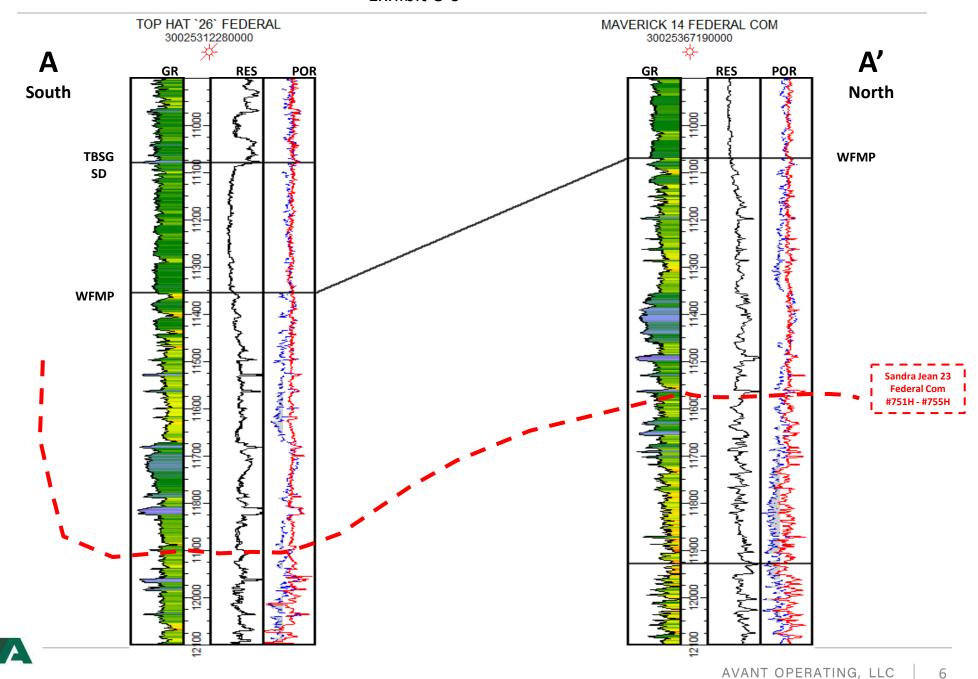
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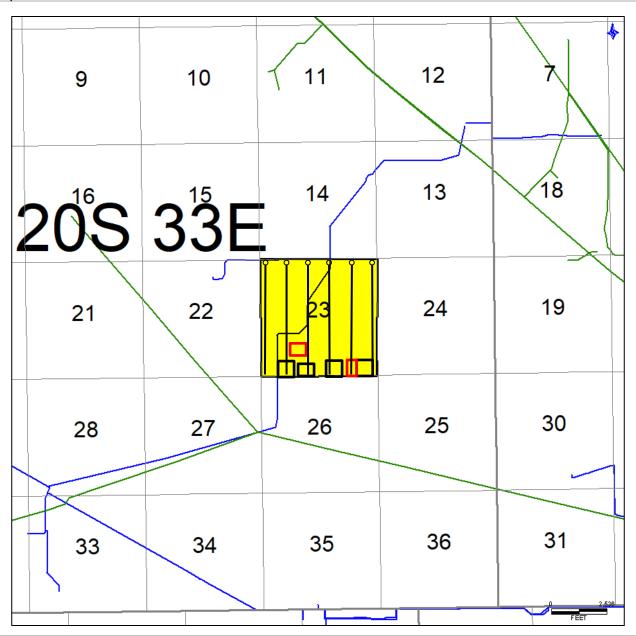
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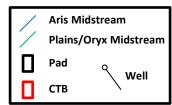




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CASE NO. 23677 & 23678

SELF AFFIRMED DECLARATION OF SHANE KELLY

Shane Kelly hereby states and declares as follows:

1. I am over the age of 18, I am a reservoir engineer for Avant Operating, LLC

("Avant") and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein. My area of responsibility

includes the area of Lea County in New Mexico.

2. I have previously testified before the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") and

my credentials as an expert petroleum engineer were accepted as a matter of record.

3. I graduated from Texas Tech University in 2014 with a Petroleum Engineering

Degree. I have worked as a reservoir engineer with Avant since 2019. Before joining Avant, I

worked as a reservoir engineer with Centennial Resources and EOG Resources. My resume is

attached as **Exhibit D.3**.

4. I am familiar with the applications filed by Avant in these cases and the surface

production facilities required to develop the oil underlying the subject acreage.

5. In these cases, Avant seeks approval of two 640-acre non-standard units—one Bone

Spring unit and one Wolfcamp unit.

Exhibit D

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6. Avant seeks to minimize surface disturbance and costs by consolidating facilities

and commingling production from the wells and future wells in the proposed non-standard spacing

units.

7. To allow the wells to be dedicated to the acreage subject to the desired

Communitzation Agreement, Avant requires approval of non-standard spacing units.

8. D.1 to D.2 illustrate the benefit of the non-standard units Avant is requesting.

9. If Avant has to develop the acreage using standard horizontal spacing units, Avant

will need a total of 4 units. Under Avant's requested non-standard unit applications, however,

Avant would only need a total of one unit.

10. **Exhibit D.1** compares the tank batteries and related surface production facilities

that would be required if Avant had to develop this acreage using standard horizontal spacing units

as oppose to non-standard units.

11. As these exhibits show, if Avant has to develop the acreage using standard spacing

units, two additional tank batteries will be required at a cost of approximately \$28,000,000 and

require an additional surface disturbance of 16.8 acres. If the non-standard spacing units are

approved, the additional cost and surface disturbance required for the tank batteries will be

avoided.

12. Approval of the non-standard units will allow for commingling of production,

which would not be possible if Avant has to move forward with standard units. Eliminating the

additional tank batteries will also lower the operating cost for this acreage.

13. **Exhibit D.2** identifies the reduced cost savings and surface disturbance that will

occur if the non-standard spacing units are not approved.

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14. In my opinion, approval of Avant's non-standard unit applications will allow Avant to efficiently locate surface facilities, reduce surface disturbance, and promote effective well spacing.

15. In my opinion, the granting of these applications is in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.

16. The attachments to this declaration were prepared by me, compiled from company business records, or were prepared at my direction.

[Signature page follows]

I attest under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico that the information provided herein is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated: September 28, 2023

Shane Kelly

Scenario	Design Basis Per CTB (BPOD)	CTB Cost (\$M)	Pipeline/Utilities Cost (\$M)	Total Capital (\$M)	CTB and Pipeline Disturbance (Acres)
Six Separate Facilities	6,000	\$36,000	\$10,000	\$46,000	25.2
Two Pooled Facilities	18,000	\$15,000	\$3,000	\$18,000	8.4
SAVINGS		\$21,000	\$7,000	\$28,000	16.8

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Professional Summary

Petroleum Engineer skilled in horizontal oil and gas field development, production, evaluation, and exploration. Knowledgeable in reservoir simulation tools as well as economic modeling programs. Can identify risks and forecasts for the recovery of oil and gas. Strong analytical skills, along with being proficient in many diverse reservoir programs and programming languages including Python. Have strong leadership skills combined with a willingness to work in a team environment.

Work Experience

AVANT NATURAL RESOURCES, Denver, CO

October, 2019 - Present

Vice President of Engineering

CENTENNIAL RESOURCES, Denver, CO

September, 2018 - October, 2019

Senior Reservoir Engineer

February, 2016 - September, 2018

EOG RESOURCES, Midland, TX Reservoir Engineer II

EOG RESOURCES, Midland, TX Engineer in Training Rotation

June, 2014 - January, 2016

Education

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY, Lubbock, TX

Awarded BS - Petroleum Engineering Awarded BBA - Management Information Systems

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