

# NSL

## Additional Information

# Application

Received: 06/24/19

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Revised March 23, 2017

RECEIVED: 06/24/19	REVIEWER: LRL	TYPE: NSL	APP NO: pLEL1914838103
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**NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
 - Geological & Engineering Bureau -  
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505

**ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

**Applicant:** Marathon Oil Permian LLC **OGRID Number:** 372098  
**Well Name:** Achilles 8 WA Fed Com 7H **API:** Pending  
**Pool:** Purple Sage; Wolfcamp **Pool Code:** 98220

**SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED BELOW**

**1) TYPE OF APPLICATION:** Check those which apply for [A]

A. Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication

☒ NSL ☐ NSP (PROJECT AREA) ☐ NSP (PRORATION UNIT) ☐ SD

B. Check one only for [ I ] or [ II ]

[ I ] Commingling - Storage - Measurement

☐ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☐ OLM

[ II ] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery

☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

**2) NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** Check those which apply.

- A. ☒ Offset operators or lease holders  
 B. ☐ Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue owners  
 C. ☐ Application requires published notice  
 D. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by SLO  
 E. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by BLM  
 F. ☐ Surface owner  
 G. ☒ For all of the above, proof of notification or publication is attached, and/or,  
 H. ☐ No notice required

**FOR OCD ONLY**

- ☐ Notice Complete  
☐ Application Content Complete

- 3) CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

**Note:** Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Deana M. Bennett

Print or Type Name

*Deana M. Bennett*

Signature

June 21, 2019

Date

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June 21, 2019

**Mr. Leonard Lowe**  
**New Mexico Oil Conservation Division**  
**Via e-mail only**

**Re: Application of Marathon Oil Permian LLC for administrative approval of unorthodox well location for its Achilles 8 WA Fed Com 7H well, located in the E/2 of Section 5, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.**

Dear Mr. Lowe:

After discussions with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, we realized that we inadvertently failed to provide notice to affected parties for the W/2 of Section 5, Township 23 South, Range 28 East and the SW/4 of Section 32, Township 22 South, Range 28 East. We provided that notice on Thursday, June 20, 2019. It is our understanding that this additional notice satisfies the requirements for the application we originally filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on May 24, 2019.

Sincerely,

Deana M. Bennett

***Attorney for Marathon Oil  
Permian LLC***

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Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department  
**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
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Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-102  
Revised August 1, 2011  
Submit one copy to appropriate  
District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

**WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT**

<sup>1</sup> API Number		<sup>2</sup> Pool Code 98220		<sup>3</sup> Pool Name PURPLE SAGE; WOLFCAMP (GAS)	
<sup>4</sup> Property Code		<sup>5</sup> Property Name ACHILLES 8 WA FED COM			<sup>6</sup> Well Number 7H
<sup>7</sup> OGRID No. 372098		<sup>8</sup> Operator Name MARATHON OIL PERMIAN LLC			<sup>9</sup> Elevation 3021'

<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
P	5	23S	28E		905	SOUTH	1250	EAST	EDDY

<sup>11</sup> 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
B	5	23S	28E		100	NORTH	2363	EAST	EDDY

<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres 320.09	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order No.
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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.

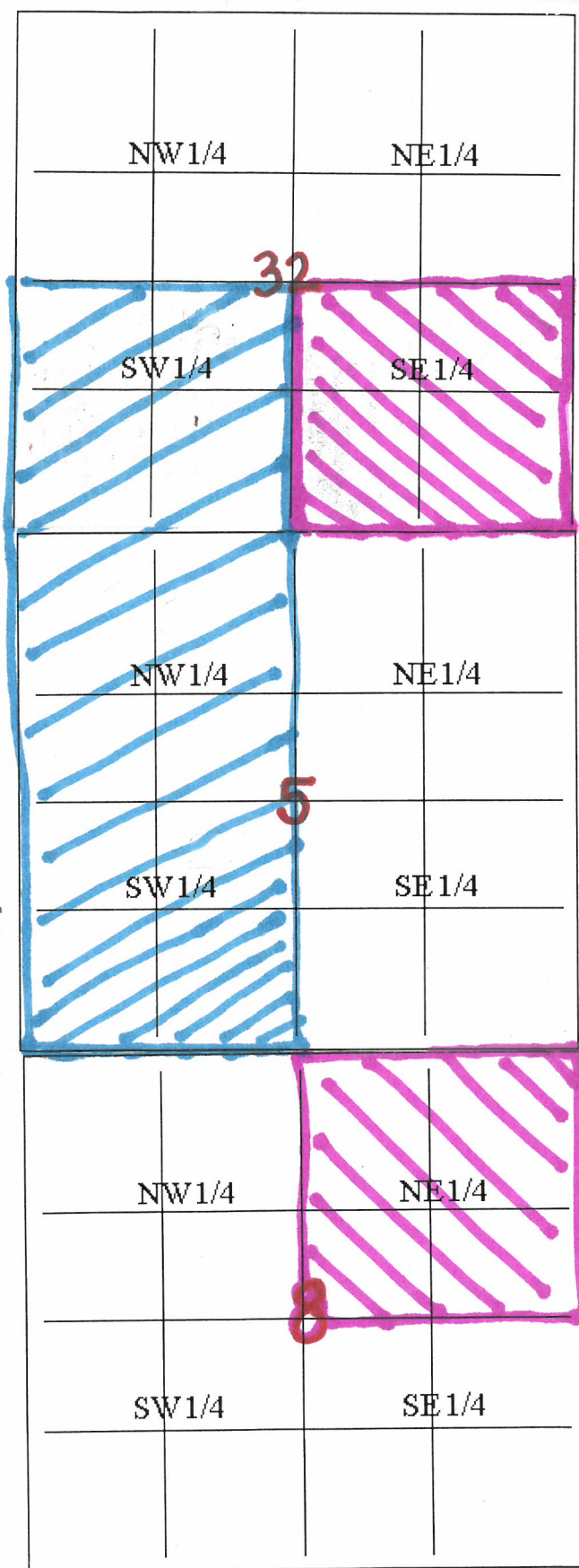
	<b>CORNER COORDINATES</b> NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST A - X: 610558.92' / Y: 488170.84' B - X: 613253.53' / Y: 488203.58' C - X: 613144.35' / Y: 482918.10' D - X: 610491.24' / Y: 482896.00'	<b>CORNER COORDINATES</b> NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST A - X: 569376.69' / Y: 488111.32' B - X: 572071.26' / Y: 488144.03' C - X: 571961.95' / Y: 482658.69' D - X: 569308.88' / Y: 482636.62'	<b>17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</b> 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 order heretofore entered by the division.  Signature _____ Date _____  Printed Name _____  E-mail Address _____
	<b>LAST TAKE POINT/BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION</b> 100' FNL 2363' FEL, SECTION 5 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X: 610887.71' / Y: 488074.83' LAT: 32.34158803N / LON: 104.10813050W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST X: 569705.48' / Y: 488015.31' LAT: 32.34146797N / LON: 104.10763292W		
	<b>FIRST TAKE POINT</b> 100' FSL 2323' FEL, SECTION 5 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X: 610822.58' / Y: 482998.77' LAT: 32.32763514N / LON: 104.10837590W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST X: 569640.23' / Y: 482939.37' LAT: 32.32751498N / LON: 104.10787878W		
	<b>KICK OFF POINT</b> 100' FSL 2323' FEL, SECTION 5 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X: 610822.58' / Y: 482998.77' LAT: 32.32763514N / LON: 104.10837590W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST X: 569640.23' / Y: 482939.37' LAT: 32.32751498N / LON: 104.10787878W		
<b>SURFACE HOLE LOCATION</b> 905' FSL 1250' FEL, SECTION 5 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X: 611912.56' / Y: 483812.87' LAT: 32.32986685N / LON: 104.10484151W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST X: 570730.21' / Y: 483753.45' LAT: 32.32974645N / LON: 104.10434444W			<b>18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</b> I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.  Date of Survey _____ Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor _____  Certificate Number _____

SHEET 1 OF 1  
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= notice provided on May 24, 2019



= notice provided on June 20, 2019

## **Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD**

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**From:** Deana M. Bennett <dmb@modrall.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 24, 2019 12:49 PM  
**To:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD  
**Cc:** Karlene S. Schuman  
**Subject:** [EXT] RE: NSLs Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H & Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H to be deleted  
**Attachments:** NSL\_XXXX\_Marathon Achilles 8 WA Fed Com Well No. 7H\_Supplemental Materials (W3450927x7A92D).PDF

Hello,

I am working on preparing the materials you have requested below. I have prepared the first set for Achilles, but before I send the Neptune materials I had a question about item 4. I am not sure what that is. I created a plat that is color coded to show the sections to which notice was given and when. Let me know if what I created is what you need. It is the final page of the materials. If that is what you need, I will prepare the same thing for the Neptune well. If you need something different, let me know and I will resubmit both.

Thanks,

Deana



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**From:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 24, 2019 11:54 AM  
**To:** Deana M. Bennett <dmb@modrall.com>  
**Subject:** RE: NSLs Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H & Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H to be deleted

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Deanna Bennett,

Good morning.

Can you please send in another signed Administrative Application Checklist for Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H and the Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H? Date those applications for 06/21/19.

All I need for each well are:

1. A signed, dated 06/21/19, AAC

2. A statement letter noting that additional public notice was needed and was given on Date; XX/XX/19. Indicate that this should meet the required notice that was needed on the initial application.
3. A copy of the C-102
4. A copy of the Plate map and affected areas, updated to reflect the latest public notice done.

Thank you,

## Leonard Lowe

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**From:** Deana M. Bennett <[dmb@modrall.com](mailto:dmb@modrall.com)>

**Sent:** Friday, June 21, 2019 8:45 AM

**To:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <[Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us](mailto:Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us)>

**Cc:** Jones, William V, EMNRD <[WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us](mailto:WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us)>; McMillan, Michael, EMNRD <[Michael.McMillan@state.nm.us](mailto:Michael.McMillan@state.nm.us)>

**Subject:** [EXT] RE: NSLs Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H & Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H to be deleted

Hello,

Attached please two documents that identify the addressees to whom I mailed notice letters to yesterday by certified mail for Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H and the Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H.

The red stamp is the stamp from the post office indicating that we delivered the letters to the post office yesterday for mailing.

Please let me know if this what you need or if you need additional information from me.

Thanks for the additional time to rectify the notice issue. Much appreciated.

Deana



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**From:** Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <[Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us](mailto:Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 19, 2019 2:58 PM  
**To:** Deana M. Bennett <[dmb@modrall.com](mailto:dmb@modrall.com)>  
**Cc:** Jones, William V, EMNRD <[WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us](mailto:WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us)>; McMillan, Michael, EMNRD <[Michael.McMillan@state.nm.us](mailto:Michael.McMillan@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** RE: NSLs Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H & Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H to be deleted  
**Importance:** High

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Ms. Deana M. Bennett,

You have two days to submit all information pertaining to your lacking public notice for each of the two wells. Your 20 days will start once I prove your application to be complete.

Only submit the additional information in reference to these two well's NSL application.

Two days will be Friday, June 21, 2019.

## Leonard Lowe

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**From:** Deana M. Bennett <[dmb@modrall.com](mailto:dmb@modrall.com)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 19, 2019 2:46 PM  
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**Cc:** Jones, William V, EMNRD <[WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us](mailto:WilliamV.Jones@state.nm.us)>; McMillan, Michael, EMNRD <[Michael.McMillan@state.nm.us](mailto:Michael.McMillan@state.nm.us)>  
**Subject:** [EXT] Re: NSLs Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H & Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H to be deleted

Hello,

My apologies for the delay. We have been working toward getting the letters out as you requested but needed additional address information from Marathon. We now have that information and so our goal was to send the letters out today or tomorrow. Can we have a couple more days before you cancel? I would really appreciate that if at all possible.

Thanks so much,

Deana



Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 19, 2019, at 2:17 PM, Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <[Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us](mailto:Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us)> wrote:

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Ms. Deana M. Bennet,

As of June 5, 2019 OCD spoke with you on Public Notice Lacking for the following TWO wells:

**Achilles 8 WA Federal Com Well No. 7H**

Application received on 05/24/19

Informed you of lacking PN on 6/5/19. OCD was informed Marathon is going to submit additional public notice.

**Neptune 8 WXY Fee Well No. 1H**

Application received on 05/24/19

Informed you of lacking PN on 6/5/19. OCD was informed Marathon is going to submit additional public notice.

These applications cannot sit idle for this long.

I will cancel these applications and await a new application with all required public notice.

**Leonard Lowe**

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