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NON-STANDARD LOCATION

Administrative Order NSL-7954

**Marathon Oil Permian, LLC [OGRID 372098]
Ender Wiggins 14 WC FC Well No. 13H
API No. 30-025-PENDING**

Proposed Location

	<u>Footages</u>	<u>Unit/Lot</u>	<u>Sec.</u>	<u>Twsp</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>County</u>
Surface	2451 FNL & 1825 FWL	F	14	25S	34E	Lea
First Take Point	2539 FNL & 2310 FEL	G	14	25S	34E	Lea
Last Take Point/ Terminus	100 FNL & 2310 FEL	B	11	25S	34E	Lea

Proposed Horizontal Gas Units

<u>Description</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pool</u>	<u>Pool Code</u>
E2 of Section 14 NE/4 of Section 11	640	Fairview Mills; Wolfcamp (Gas)	76560

Reference is made to your application received on September 30, 2019.

You have requested to complete this horizontal well as a gas well described above in the referenced pool or formation. This location is governed by Division Rule 19.15.15.10.B NMAC, which provides for 320 – acre units, with wells located at least 660 feet from the outer unit boundaries.

This well's completed interval is as close as 101 - 100 feet to the southern and northern edge of the horizontal spacing unit. Encroachment will impact the following tracts.

Section 14, encroachment to the SE/4
Section 2, encroachment to the SE/4

The Division understands you have given notice of this application to all operators or owners who are "affected persons," as defined in Paragraph (8) Subsection A of 19.15.2.7 NMAC, in all adjoining units towards which the proposed location encroaches.

Division understands you seek this unorthodox location as an efficient spacing of your horizontal wells, thereby preventing waste within the Wolfcamp formation underlying the NE4 of Section 14 and the E/2 Section 11.

Your application has been filed under Subsection 6 of Paragraph of Section (C) of 19.15.16.15 NMAC, 19.15.15.13 NMAC and Paragraph (2) of Subsection A of 19.15.4.12 NMAC.

Per Subsection B of 19.15.15.13 NMAC, Division approves this unorthodox location.

The above approvals are subject to your following all other applicable Division rules.

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of further orders as Division deems necessary.



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cc: Oil Conservation Division – Hobbs District Office
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