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XTO Permian Operating, LLC (OGRID 373075)
c/o Tracie Cherry
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RE: Administrative Order SWD-1888; Extension of Deadline to Inject
Well: Big Eddy Unit 29 Federal SWD Well No. 1 (API 30-015-43243)
Located: Unit M, Sec 29, T21S, R29E, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico
Order Date: September 25, 2019
Injection formations: Devonian and Silurian formation; 14,020 feet to 14,900 feet

Dear Ms. Cherry:

Reference is made to your September 16, 2020 request on behalf of XTO Permian Operating, LLC (the "operator") to extend the deadline stipulated in the above titled order to commence injection for the above referenced well for reasons outlined in your correspondence. The deadline date to commence injection under said order was one year after issuance of the order: September 25, 2020.

It is the OCD's understanding from your correspondence that since the date of issuance of this permit, no additional wells that penetrate the approved injection interval were drilled in the one-mile Area of Review (AOR). Additionally, no new affected parties have been identified in the AOR that need to be notified of the extension request. Therefore, the extension request could be reviewed administratively for approval.

The OCD finds that for reasons you have stated, the granting of this request to extend this administrative order is in the interest of conservation, will prevent waste, and will protect the environment. Therefore, the deadline to commence injection for the existing order is hereby extended until October 25, 2020.

All requirements of the above referenced administrative order and agreements in the application remain in full force and effect. If the operator has not commenced injection prior to the expiration of the extension order, then the operator shall be required to submit a new application to obtain injection authority for the referenced well.

ADRIENNE SANDOVAL
Director

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cc: Oil Conservation Division - Artesia District Office
Bureau of Land Management - Carlsbad Field Office
Order SWD-1688