# Protested SWD Application

By NMSLO 4/5/21

# Lamkin, Baylen, EMNRD

From: Lamkin, Baylen, EMNRD

Sent: Wednesday, April 14, 2021 2:15 PM

To: 'Joe Vargo'

Subject: Notification of Protest for Application to Inject: NGL\_Byrd SWD No.1\_New Mexico State Land Office

Attachments: SWD-2415\_NGL Water Solutions Permian, LLC\_Byrd SWD No.1\_NMSLO Protest.pdf

RE: Byrd SWD No.1 (API 30-25-Pending; Admin. Appl. No pBL2110450284) Unit D S22 T24S R35E, NMPM, Lea County

Mr. Vargo,

The OCD was notified by the New Mexico State Land Office that they are protesting this application. This party has been identified as an affected person for the location being considered. Because of the protest, the application can no longer be reviewed administratively. You are being notified that for this application to be considered, NGL Water Solutions Permian, LLC, currently has two options; the first is to go to hearing, the second is to negotiate a resolution with the protesting party. If the protest is withdrawn, then the application can be reviewed administratively. In the meantime, the application will be retained pending a hearing or other resolution. Please continue to provide OCD with information regarding the standing of this application and feel free to call me with any questions.

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### Kind regards,

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**Sent:** Sunday, April 4, 2021 5:23 PM

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**Cc:** Sanchez, Julie; Crosby, Faith; McMillan, Michael A.; Biernoff, Ari

**Subject:** [EXT] Protest re OCD Administrative Application: NGL Water Solutions, LLC, Byrd SWD #1,

D-22-24S-35E, Lea County

The New Mexico State Land Office (SLO) protests the SWD application of NGL Water Solutions, LLC for the Byrd SWD #1 well, D-22-24S-35E, Lea County.

SLO protests the intended location of this SWD due to its proximity to state trust lands. The proposed SWD is located around 200 feet from state trust land (full estate). In addition, the casing design for the well does not adequately protect the Capitan Reef. The State Land Office may determine that there are additional grounds for objection. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information.

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