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NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

BILL RICHARDSON
Governor

April 28, 2004

Joanna Prukop
Cabinet Secretary
Acting Director
Oil Conservation Division

Mr. Robert B. Eidson
Environmental Technology Group, Inc.
2540 West Marland
Hobbs, NM 88240

AP-13

RE: Your "Annual Sampling and Quarterly Gauging of Groundwater Monitor Wells Meeting Regulatory Cleanup Standards" letter dated March 25, 2004

Sampling of the below-listed monitor wells may be done in the timeframes indicated:

Darr Angell #1: MW-4, 11, 15, 16, 19, and 20 may be sampled annually; MW-7 may be sampled semi-annually.

Darr Angell #2: MW-1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 may be sampled annually; MW-3, and 4 may be sampled semi-annually.

Darr Angell #4: MW-1, 2, 4, 5, 7, and 12 may be sampled annually; MW-9 may be sampled semi-annually.

HDO 90-23: MW-1, 7, and 8 may be sampled annually; MW-4, and 5 may be sampled semi-annually.

LF-37: MW-1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 may be sampled annually; MW-4 may be sampled semi-annually.

LF-59: MW-3, 5, and 6 may be sampled annually; MW-7 may be sampled semi-annually.

Monument 2: MW-6, and 7 may be sampled annually; MW-4 may be sampled semi-annually.

Monument 10: MW-4 may be sampled annually; MW-6, and 7 may be sampled semi-annually.

Monument 11: MW-1, 2, and 3 may be sampled annually.

Monument 17: MW-5, and 8 may be sampled annually. MW-4, and 6 may be sampled semi-annually.

Monument 18: MW-2, 6, 7, and 8 may be sampled annually. MW-5 may be sampled semi-annually.

TNM 97-04: MW-1, 7, 8, 10, and 12 may be sampled annually.

TNM 97-17: MW-1, 3, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, and 28 may be sampled annually. MW-22, 23, 24, 25, and 27 may be sampled semi-annually.

TNM 97-18: MW-1, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, and 21 may be sampled annually. MW-22, 26, 28, 29, and 30 may be sampled semi-annually.

TNM 97-23: MW-1, 2, 3, and 5 may be sampled annually.

TNM 98-05: MW-3, and 4 may be sampled annually.

TNM 98-05A: MW-5, and 8 may be sampled annually. MW-6, and 7 may be sampled semi-annually.

SPS-11: MW-2, 3, 13, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 27, 30, and 31 may be sampled annually. MW-10, and 18 may be sampled semi-annually.

Conditions:

1. Gauging of all monitor wells will continue on a quarterly basis.
2. A request for a change in sampling frequency for any other monitor wells must be made specifically for those wells. This approval of annual and semi-annual sampling for the above wells does not constitute a "blanket" approval for any other monitor well not shown above.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Martin".

Ed Martin
Environmental Bureau

DRAFT

March 25, 2004

Mr. Ed Martin
New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: Annual sampling and quarterly gauging of groundwater monitor wells meeting regulatory cleanup standards.

Mr. Martin:

Environmental Technology Group, Inc. (ETGI) for Link Energy is requesting that the groundwater sampling schedule of the wells listed below be changed from a quarterly to an annual sampling schedule. Quarterly gauging will continue on all site monitor wells during the regularly scheduled monitoring events. Benzene and total BTEX concentrations have been below regulatory standards in all of the monitor wells listed below for at least eight consecutive monitoring periods:

- ✓ HDO 90-23: MW-1, 4, 5, 7 and 8;
- ✓ LF-37: MW-1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9;
- ✓ LF-59: MW-3, 5, 6 and 7;
- ✓ Monument 2: MW-4, 6 and 7;
- ✓ Monument 10: MW-1, 4, 5, 6 and 7;
- ✓ Monument 11: MW-1, 2 and 3;
- ✓ Monument 17: MW-4, 5, 6 and 8;
- ✓ Monument 18: MW-2, 5, 6, 7 and 8;
- ✓ TNM 97-04: MW-1, 7, 8, 10 and 12;
- ✓ TNM97-17: MW-1, 3, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27 and 28;
- ✓ TNM 97-18: MW-1; + E-mail
- ✓ TNM 97-23: MW-1, 2, 3 and 5;
- ✓ TNM 98-05: MW-3 and 4;
- ✓ TNM 98-05A: MW-5, 6, 7 and 8;
- ✓ SPS-11: MW-2, 3, 13, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 27, 30 and 31. + E-mail (#10)

As additional monitor wells meet the eight consecutive monitoring events requirement with concentrations below regulatory standards we will formally request that they too be sampled on an annual basis.

DRAFT

Please contact me with any questions you have concerning ETGI's proposed groundwater sampling schedule at these sites.

Sincerely;

Robert B. Edison
Geologist / Senior Project Manager
ETGI, Hobbs, New Mexico

(505) 397-4882 office phone

(505) 631-2974 cell

(505) 397-4701 fax

From: Robert Eidson [reidson@etgi.cc]
Sent: Tuesday, April 27, 2004 10:53 AM
To: Ed Martin
Subject: Groundwater sampling frequency letter
Ed:
The letter is attached for your reference.

Tabulated analytical results are included in all of the Annual Groundwater Monitoring reports. The Figure 3's should also be helpful in determining sampling frequency changes. Of those sites which show only seven consecutive quarters of acceptable groundwater sampling results, I checked the first quarter results of this year to meet the requirement (8). All wells will continue to be gauged during each sampling event.

- ✓ At the **Darr Angell 1 site (AP-07)** we would like to sample monitor wells MW-4, 7, 11, 15, 16, 19 and 20 annually.
- ✓ At the **Darr Angell 2 site (AP-07)** we would like to sample monitor wells MW-1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 annually.
- ✓ At the **Darr Angell 4 site (AP-07)** we would like to sample monitor wells MW-1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 9 and 12 annually.

Additionally, we would like to add the following monitor wells to the list shown on the attached letter:

- ✓ At **TNM 97-18 (AP-13)** monitor wells MW-8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 28, 29 and 30. and SPS-11.
- ✓ At **SPS-11** monitor wells MW-10 and MW-19.

I will send the corresponding maps in groups to speed transmission and delivery.

Sincerely,
Robert B. Eidson
Geologist / Sr. Project Manager
ETGI
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AP-15
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March 30, 2004

Mr. Bill Olsen
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department
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**RE: ANNUAL MONITORING, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE REPORT
ConocoPhillips East Hobbs Junction
Hobbs, Lea County, New Mexico**

Dear Mr. Olsen:

Pursuant to operations and monitoring requirements for the East Hobbs Junction remediation site, please find one copy of the above referenced report for your review and concurrence. This report presents an annual summary of all site activities performed from May 2003 through February 2004 relating to the operation, maintenance and monitoring of the remediation system, quarterly groundwater monitoring, sampling and analyses, and disposal of accumulated wastes.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact either myself at the above listed number or Greg W. Pope with Maxim Technologies at (432) 686-8081.

Sincerely,

Dianne Seefried
Site Manager
Risk Management and Remediation
ConocoPhillips

cc: w/ attachment

Chris Williams, NMOCD, Hobbs, NM
Greg Pope, Maxim, Midland, TX

AP-15

Olson, William

From: Chris Higgins [chiggins@higgins-and-associates.com]
Sent: Monday, May 19, 2003 2:55 PM
To: wolson@state.nm.us
Subject: Phillips NM1-1 and ~~East Hobbs A~~ Annual reports

Bill, as per our telephone conversation last week, the new due date for the annual reports for the referenced facilities will be May 30th. The time period covered by these reports was extended through April 2003 so that the data in the report included both system installation and startup to give OCD a clearer picture of site activities. Thank you again for the extension.

Chris Higgins

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:**

**CASE NO. 12759
ORDER NO. R-11715**

**APPLICATION OF PHILLIPS PIPE LINE COMPANY TO APPROVE
ABATEMENT PLANS FOR LINE NM-1-1 SITE AND EAST HOBBS JUNCTION
SITE, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on November 1, 2001, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner David R. Catanach.

NOW, on this 25th day of January, 2002, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record, and the recommendations of the Examiner,

FINDS THAT:

- (1) Due public notice has been given and the Division has jurisdiction of this case and its subject matter.
- (2) Phillips Pipe Line Company initially made application to the Division on April 6, 2001 for administrative approval of its Stage 2 Abatement Plan for remediation of soil and ground water contamination relating to a crude oil pipeline spill at its NM-1-1 site located in Unit N of Section 9, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (3) Phillips Pipe Line Company also initially made application to the Division on March 7, 2001 for administrative approval of its Stage 2 Abatement Plan for remediation of soil and ground water contamination relating to a crude oil pipeline spill at its East Hobbs Junction site located in Unit N of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- (4) Pursuant to an objection to the above-described applications filed by Mr. William F. McNeill on or about July 19, 2001, these applications were set to hearing.

(5) Prior to the hearing on November 1, 2001, the Division was made aware that Phillips Pipe Line Company had reached a tentative agreement with Mr. William F. McNeill whereby the objection to these applications would be withdrawn.

(6) This case was subsequently dismissed at the November 1, 2001 hearing.

(7) On January 23, 2002, the Division received a formal request from Mr. William F. McNeill requesting that this case be dismissed.

(8) Pursuant to the request by Mr. William F. McNeill, Case No. 12759 is hereby dismissed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

Case No. 12759 is hereby dismissed.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.



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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Lori Wrottenbery
LORI WROTENBERY
Director



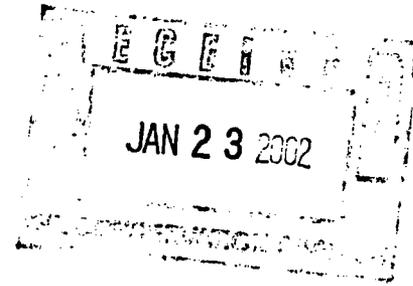
Law Offices of *James P. Lyle, P.C.*



Nationally Certified
Civil Trial Specialist

James P. Lyle, Esquire
Judith M. Seff, Paralegal

January 22, 2002



David Catanach, Examiner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

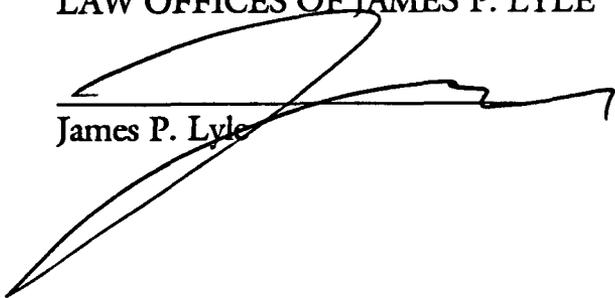
RE: *Division Case No. 12759 - Phillips Pipe Line Company*

Dear Mr. Catanach:

Please accept this letter as formal acknowledgment that the settlement with Phillips Pipe Line Company has been finalized. The McNeills are formally dismissing this case, based on the representations and promises received from and on behalf of Phillips that as the remediation work progresses, the McNeills will be compensated for all excavated materials at the rates set forth in the settlement agreement.

Very truly yours,

LAW OFFICES OF JAMES P. LYLE


James P. Lyle

cc: Gary Larson, Esq.
Mr. Bill McNeill



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and
NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Oil Conservation Division

November 16, 2001

Mr. James P. Lyle
Law Offices of James P. Lyle, P.C.
1904 Rio Grande Blvd. NW
Albuquerque, New Mexico 88104

Re: Division Case No. 12759
Phillips Pipe Line Company

Dear Mr. Lyle:

As per our phone conversation on November 16, 2001 regarding the disposition of Case No. 12759, which was heard by the Division on November 1, 2000 (Oil Conservation Division's Docket No. 35-01), following is a summary of our agreement:

- (1) On the advice of Mr. Bill Olson, Environmental Bureau, Oil Conservation Division, this case was dismissed at the November 1, 2001 hearing;
- (2) A letter from you formally dismissing the case is necessary in order to complete the record; and
- (3) A letter from you dismissing the case will be forthcoming as soon as the settlement agreement with Phillips Pipe Line Company is finalized.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact me at (505) 476-3466.

Sincerely,

David Catanach
Examiner

Xc: Case File-12759

August 9, 2001

Mr. James P. Lyle
Law Offices of James P. Lyle, P.C.
1904 Rio Grande Blvd. NW
Albuquerque, NM 87104

**Re: Phillips Pipeline Company
Stage II Abatement Plan for Groundwater AP10 and AP15
Line NM 1-1 Site and East Hobbs Junction Site**

Dear Mr. Lyle:

We are in receipt of your letter of July 19, 2001 directed to Roger Anderson.

Please be advised that hearings will be set with reference to approval of both of the captioned abatement plans. At that time you will have the opportunity to address and present evidence regarding your client's concern in the matter.

Very truly yours,

David K. Brooks
Assistant General Counsel



Law Offices of *James P. Lyle, P.C.* OIL CONSERVATION DIV.

01 JUL 27 PM 1:12

July 19, 2001

Mr. Roger Anderson
c/o New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, NM 87505

RE: Stage II Abatement Plan For Groundwater Abatement Plan AP10 & AP15
Line NM-1-1 Site and East Hobbs Junction Site
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Hobbs, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Anderson:

This is in response to your July 9, 2001 letter to Mr. McNeill. Please accept this as a formal request for hearing regarding the OCD's announced intention to approve the Stage II Abatement Plan.

Your letter to Mr. McNeill asks that our specific objections and concerns be presented with this request. These have already been submitted to the OCD on September 12, 2000. To date we have received no response whatsoever to any of these objections. At the hearing, we will present technical testimony regarding the objections previously submitted. We will also present testimony regarding the economic impact that the McNeill Ranch will sustain if the source of this contamination is allowed to remain in place while Phillips attempts bio-vent remediation.

If any portion of this request is incomplete or insufficient, please let me know immediately so that I can correct it.

Very truly yours,

LAW OFFICES OF JAMES P. LYLE, P.C.


James P. Lyle

JPL/jms
cc: William F. McNeill



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MEMORANDUM OF MEETING OR CONVERSATION

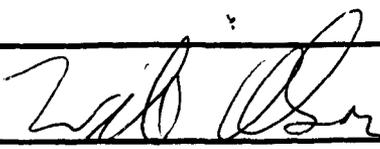
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<u>Originating Party</u>	<u>Other Parties</u>
Bill McNeill - Landowner	Bill Olson - Environmental Bureau

Subject
 Phillip's - East Hobbs Junction (AP-15)

Discussion
 He received OCD's recent letter stating that Stage 2 plan is administratively approvable and asking if he still wants a hearing on the plan.
 He still objects to remediation plan for the following reasons:
 - doesn't believe that plan (in situ remediation) is viable option
 - remediation will take long period of time
 - doesn't account for economic impacts on his land.

Conclusions or Agreements
 He is considering requesting a hearing on the matter by the 7/27 deadline.

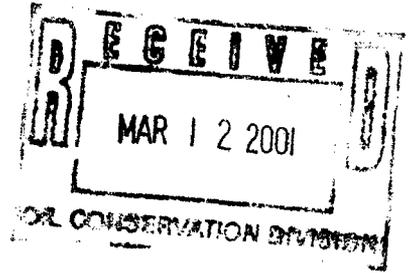
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OCD Hobbs

March 7, 2001



**Proof of Public Notice
Stage 2 Abatement Plan
Ground Water Abatement Plan AP-15
East Hobbs Junction Site
Phillips Pipe Line Company**



Mr. Bill Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Olson:

Phillips Pipe Line Company has enclosed copies of the following documents relating to the Public Notification for the Stage 2 Abatement Plan for a crude oil release that occurred near Hobbs, New Mexico in Lea County on March 23, 1999:

- For compliance with 19.G.1.a, an affidavit for the mailing of the Public Notice via the USPS to surface owners within one mile of the leak site.
- For compliance with 19.G.1.b, 19.G.1.c, and 19.G.1.d, an affidavit for the mailing of the Public Notice via the USPS to the county commissioner, the appropriate city officials, and those persons identified by the OCD as provided by diskette.
- For compliance with 19.G.1.e, an affidavit for the mailing of the Public Notice via USPS Certified Mail to the New Mexico Trustee for Natural Resources. A copy of the return receipt is attached for Charles De Saillan and William Turner.
- Copies of the "Affidavit of Publication"s from the *Lovington Daily Leader*, the *Albuquerque Journal*, and the *Hobbs News - Sun*.
- Copies of the maps of surface owners within a one-mile radius of the leak site.

PPL wishes to implement the proposed Plan as soon as possible.

If you need more information regarding the attached documentation or the proposed Plan, please contact me at 918-661-3557 or leave a voice mail at 918-232-1507.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Anthony C. Walker'.

Anthony "Tony" C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Staff Environmental Representative
3 B10 Adams Building

ACW: CvrLtrProofOfPublication.doc

cc: Chris Williams
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
District 1
1625 N. French Drive
Hobbs, NM 88240

AFFIDAVIT OF ANTHONY C. WALKER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
)SS
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON)

ANTHONY C. WALKER, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

I, Anthony C. Walker, a representative of Phillips Pipe Line Company, do hereby certify that on the 15th day of February, 2001, I mailed, via U. S. Postal Service, a true and correct copy of the attached Notice of Publication, State of New Mexico, Energy, Mineral and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division, to the persons as set out below, whose addresses are contained on the attachments.

Harbison-Fisher Sales Co.
GPM Gas Corporation
Jarrel Services, Inc.
Altura Energy Ltd. - Thomas A. Clifton,
Cactus Drilling Corp.
Bobby Tuggle
Kenneth J. Boerner - C/O Russell Boerner
Kenneth J. Boerner
Virgil E. Boyce
Brunson, Inc - Nolan H. Brunson
General Welding Supply, Inc.
Hobbs Iron & Metal, Inc
Kathy A. Wilson
Hill Engine, Inc
Sandra N. Hill
Babcock Equipment Co.
Lea County
Gregg Fuller
Patterson Drilling Company - C/O Jimmy G. Myska
Day Family Partnership
Bertha Boerner
Corrosion Ltd.
Billy Joe Smith
John Paul Pate
Mewbourne Special Trust
West Mariand Used Furniture
Charles D. Cline
Pedro Octavio Jara, Jr.
Sim H. Levy
Arturo Martinez
Jesus G. Martinez - dba J & R Goodies
D A Cochran
Texaco Exploration & Prod. Co. Dept - 1941
American National Red Cross
Dee A. Cochran
Lany Kent Gray
Carole Lynn Luck
Aurelio Castillo
Shell Pipeline Corp - Property Tax Dept
David L. Gideon
Samarita Petecostal Church
M. Olene Boyd

H M Ramirez - Bus Co.
Jacob Christopher Franko
Lawrence B. Cline
Mickey D. Welborn
Johnny Alton Savell
Amkco Ltd. Co.
Janice Vann Green
Mack B. Dunn
Harold J. Hanners
J R Franks
Bernard Leo Rodgers
Marion M. Lakins
Bob Kirkham
Katherine Hamilton
Banta Oilfield Services
Randall D. Holladay
Cayetano Hernandez
Wilton Williams
Nettie Rose Dudley
Jimmie Sue Lakins
The Western Trust
James H. Loftland
David Jett
Antonio Garcia
Chloe L. Mathews
Kathey J. Mathews
John W. Franklin
Franklin Mc Andrew
Beldon R. Pierce
Myrtle Baughn Sanford
Martha E. Magallanes
David Sebastian
Ruth Isreal
Michael Stinson
Damascus Land Company
J W Tippit
James D. Jones
Willie E. Williams
Harold Dean Wilson
Jesse R. Tovar
Wilma J. Black
Linda Marie Neely

Unifirm Holdings, LP - Tax Dept
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W L Shirley
Michael R. Striegel
Wilma Boyd Frier
Curley's Inspection Service - C/O ICO Corporation
AJAX Repair & Supply
Rotary Wireline Service
Tony P. Castillo
Bobby V. Munoz
Curtis Machine Shop
Harry A. Anderson
E D Berry
Dallas Pottinger
S & S Limited Partnership
John D. Stinson, Sr.
James H. Bizzell
Robert A. Glasspoole et al
Alice Goms
B & M Service Company
Liberto Padilla
Brown Well Service & Supply
Sweat Construction Co. - C/O Roben D. Silcott
Kenneth K. Phillips
M R Collins
NM State Hwy & Trans Dept
Antonio Davila
Clinton Mitchell Irvin
G W Grimes
David Pratt
R K W Rental Supply
Lee E. Howell
Jose Perez
H L Harrington
Marion C. Hightower, Jr.
Marcelo R. Baeza
City of Hobbs
Darell L. Boek
Cobra Industries Inc - Key Energy Services
Clarence Massey
Thomas Manes
G R Bowen

Mury K. Miles
Waymoud D. Smith
Liberto Ruiz Padilla
Raul Puebla
Leslie Leon Sharp
Charles Ray Oldaker
Thelma Phillips
Earlene Morris
Lee M. Roberts
Fred W. Smith
Jewel Roberts
Lowell G. Swift
Charles D. Lankford
Wilma Castleman
Raja Makarem
Agustin Chumacero
Cindy Harvill
T C Mc Gill
TOMSCO, LLC
Nadim Waldine
Wesley Merrill Williams
Rosalva Davila Falcon
X-Pert Well Service, Inc
Stephen M. Whittaker
Lowell G. Swift
Conley Walden
Joe B. Lukei
Billy Johnson
Jim C. Mabry
Daimel Keith Hall
Donald L. Mills
H W Dusty Smart
W D Stiggs
V R Jones
Southwestern Public Service
Carole Lynn Luck
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William F. McNeill et al
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Altura Energy Ltd - Thomas A. Clifton-Tax Rep

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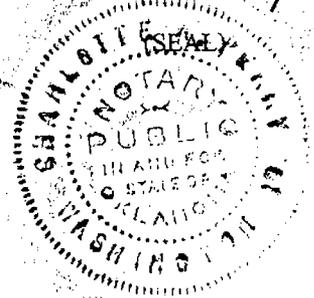
Anthony C. Walker (handwritten signature)

Anthony C. Walker
3B10 Adams Bldg.
Bartlesville, OK 74004

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 19th day of February 2001.

Charlotte A. Perry (handwritten signature)
Notary Public

My Comm. Exp: September 18, 2004



Elliott & Waldron Certificate No. 01-151-C

Uncertified listing of Surface Owners according to the Lea County Assessors Office

SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST

Harbison-Fisher Sales Co.	P.O. Box 11426	Fort Worth, TX 76110
GPM Gas Corporation Property Tax Dept.	P.O. Box 358	Borger, TX 79008
Jarrel Services, Inc.	P.O. Box 1230	Hobbs, NM 88240
Altura Energy Ltd. Thomas A. Clifton, Tax Rep	500 W. Texas, Suite 1225	Midland, TX 79701
Cactus Drilling Corp.	P.O. Box 489	Seagoville, TX 75159
Bobby Tuggle	1123 S. Cecil	Hobbs, NM 88240
Kenneth J. Boerner C/O Russell Boerner	1151 W. Marland	Hobbs, NM 88240
Kenneth J. Boerner	2014 W. Orangewood	Phoenix, AZ 85021
Virgil E. Boyce	1844 S. Hastee St. #48	Anaheim, CA 92802
Brunson, Inc. Nolan H. Brunson	P.O. Box 2390	Hobbs, NM 88241
General Welding Supply, Inc.	P.O. Box 1196	Hobbs, NM 88240
Hobbs Iron & Metal, Inc.	P.O. Box 2007	Hobbs, NM 88240
Kathy A. Wilson	8902 San Juan	Hobbs, NM 82840
Hill Engine, Inc.	Box 799	Hobbs, NM 88241
Sandra N. Hill	711 W. Cielo	Hobbs, NM 88240
Babcock Equipment Co.	P.O. Box 1543	Hobbs, NM 88241
Lea County	100 North Main Suite 4	Lovington, NM 88260
Gregg Fulfer	P.O. Box 578	Jal, NM 88252
Patterson Drilling Company C/O Jimmy G. Myska	P.O. box 246	Richmond, TX 77406
Day Family Partnership	4017 88 th St.	Lubbock, TX 79423

Bertha Boerner	P.O. Box 1064	Hobbs, NM 88241
Corrosion Ltd.	P.O. Box 5096	Hobbs, NM 88240
Billy Joe Smith	1007 S. Grimes	Hobbs, NM 88240
John Paul Pate	Rt 2 Box 263 BB	Colorado City, TX 79512
Mewbourne Special Trust Tax Management Group	1200 Walnut Hill Lane, St. 1800	Irving, TX 75038
West Marland Used Furniture	1407 E. Skelly	Hobbs, NM 88240
Charles D. Cline	P.O. Box 1110	Hobbs, NM 88241
Pedro Octavio Jara, Jr.	219 S. Coleman	Hobbs, NM 88240
Sim H. Levy	401 S. Turner	Hobbs, NM 88240

SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST

Arturo Martinez	724 S. Carlton	Hobbs, NM 88240
Jesus G. Martinez, dba J & R Goodies	2127 Steven Dr.	Hobbs, NM 88240
D A Cochran	Box 145	Hobbs, NM 88240
Texaco Exploration & Prod. Co. Dept - 1941	P.O. Box 1404	Houston, TX 77251
American National Red Cross	National Headquarters	Washington, DC 20006
Dee A. Cochran	Box 145	Hobbs, NM 88241
Larry Kent Gray	3323 Sandridge	Hobbs, NM 88240
Carole Lynn Luck	P.O. Box 186	Hobbs, NM 88240
Aurelio Castillo	906 S. Asher	Hobbs, NM 88240
Shell Pipeline Corp. Property Tax Dept.	P.O. Box 4369	Houston, TX 77210
David L. Gideon	2903 W. Marland	Hobbs, NM 88240
Samaria Petecostal Church	823 W. Dunnam	Hobbs, NM 88240
M. Olene Boyd	615 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240

H M Ramirez Bus Co.	716 E. Sanger	Hobbs, NM 88240
Jacob Christopher Franks	1117 S. Asher	Hobbs, NM 88240
Lawrence B. Cline	1421 E. Park	Hobbs, NM 88240
Mickey D. Welborn	P.O. Box 2735	Hobbs, NM 88241
Johnny Alton Savell	501 W. Castle	Hobbs, NM 88240
Amkco Ltd. Co.	2902 W. Marland	Hobbs, NM 88240
Janice Vann Green	P.O. Box 522	Hobbs, NM 88240
Mack B. Dunn	901 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240
Harold J. Hanners	P.O. Box 281	Marionville, MO 80202
J R Franks	122 Rachel Drive	Lovington, NM 88260
Bernard Leo Rodgers	829 Asher Rd.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Marion M. Lakins	800 Cochiti	Hobbs, NM 88240
Bob Kirkham	716 Asher Rd.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Katherine Hamilton	615 E. Yucca	Hobbs, NM 88240
Banta Oilfield Services	P.O. Box 1706	Hobbs, NM 88241
Randall D. Holladay	10418 N. Knowles Rd.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Cayetano Hernandez	716 S. Carleton	Hobbs, NM 88240
Wilton Williams	810 S. Asher Rd.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Nettie Rose Dudley	2903 W. Marland	Hobbs, NM 88240
Jimmie Sue Lakins	818 S. Gibbs Rd.	Hobbs, NM 88240
The Western Trust	P.O. Box 762	Hobbs, NM 88241
James H. Lofland	801 S. Asher	Hobbs, NM 88240
David Jett	629 Carlton	Hobbs, NM 88240
Antonio Garcia	617 E. Lea St.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Chloe L. Mathews	718 S. Gibbs Dr.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Kathey J. Mathews	723 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240
John W. Franklin	1418 Paige	Hobbs, NM 88240

Franklin Mc Andrew	718 S. Asher	Hobbs, NM 88240
Eldon R. Pierce	728 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240
Myrtle Baughn Sanford	2915 W. Marland	Hobbs, NM 88240
Martha E. Magallanez	P.O. Box 532	Hobbs, NM 88240
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J W Tipps	822 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240
James D. Jones	1007 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240
Willie E. Williams	227 Blanco	Hobbs, NM 88240
Harold Dean Wilson	1006 W. Scharbauer	Hobbs, NM 88240
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Wilma J. Black	P.O. Box 1601	Hobbs, NM 88240
Linda Marie Neely	908 Nambe St.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Unifirst Holdings, LP Tax Dept	68 Jonspin Rd.	Wilmington, MA 01887
Weldon Lad Teague	816 S. Carlton	Hobbs, NM 88240
W L Shirley	615 S. Asher	Hobbs, NM 88240
Michael R. Striegl	927 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240
Wilda Boyd Frier	700 S. Gibbs	Hobbs, NM 88240
Curley's Inspection Service C/O ICO Corporation	11490 Westheimer, Suite 1000	Houston, TX 77077
AJAX Repair & Supply	P.O. Box 475	Hobbs, NM 88241
Rotary Wireline Service	P.O. Box 2735	Hobbs, NM 88241
Tony P. Castillo	918 Asher	Hobbs, NM 88240
Bobby V. Munoz	7410 Plainfield Dr.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Curtis Machine Shop	P.O. Box 1374	Hobbs, NM 88241

Harry A. Anderson	817 S. Carlton	Hobbs, NM 88240
E D Berry	2662 Derbyshire Rd.	Maitland, FL 32751

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James H. Bizzell	58-R-3937	Farmington, NM 87401
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Alice Goins	2523 W. Humble St.	Hobbs, NM 88240
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Brown Well Service & Supply	2209 Ventura Ave.	Odessa, TX 79763
Sweatt Construction Co. C/O Robert D. Silcott	324 Spanish Spur	Fallbrook, CA 92028
Kenneth K. Phillips	1302 S. Linam	Hobbs, NM 88240
M R Collins	2518 W. Texas	Hobbs, NM 88240
NM State Hwy & Trans Dept	P.O. Box 1149	Santa Fe, NM 87504
Antonio Davila	2613 W. Humble	Hobbs, NM 88240
Clinton Mitchell Irvin	1531 Katy Lane	Hobbs, NM 88240
G W Grimes	2528 W. Midwest	Hobbs, NM 88240
David Pratt	810 Texaco	Hobbs, NM 88240
R K W Rental Supply	1907 N. Cielo	Hobbs, NM 88240
Lee E. Howell	1113 Hovey St.	Bridgeport, TX 76426
Jose Perez	2510 W. Midwest	Hobbs, NM 88240
H L Harrington	922 S. Texico	Hobbs, NM 88240
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Marcelo R. Baeza	2529 W. Humble	Hobbs, NM 88240

City of Hobbs	300 N. Turner	Hobbs, NM 88240
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Cobra Industries Inc. Key Energy Services	P.O. Box 10190	Midland, TX 79702
Clarence Massey	Box 301	Tatum, NM 88267
Thomas Manes	1103 S. Edwards	Hobbs, NM 88240
G R Bowen	408 E. Greenacres	Hobbs, NM 88240
Mary K. Miles	1309 N. Cochran	Hobbs, NM 88240
Waymond D. Smith	1200 Carver Rd.	Las Cruces, NM 88005
Liberto Ruiz Padilla	1205 S. Edwards	Hobbs, NM 88240
Raul Puebla	902 S. Texaco St.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Leslie Leon Sharp	2505 W. Midwest	Hobbs, NM 88240
Charles Ray Oldaker	Box 1274	Hobbs, NM 88241
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Earlene Morris	2604 W. Texas	Hobbs, NM 88240
Lee M. Roberts	P.O. Box 356	Hobbs, NM 88240
Fred W. Smith	1102 Texaco Rd.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Jewel Roberts	710 S. Rash	Hobbs, NM 88240
Lowell G. Swift	P.O. Box 564	Hobbs, NM 88240
Charles D. Lankford	209 E. Gypsy	Hobbs, NM 88240
Wilma Castleman	1807 S. Turner	Hobbs, NM 88240
Raja Makarem	P.O. Box 7657	Ruidoso, NM 88355
Agustin Chumacero	2626 W. Midwest	Hobbs, NM 88240
Cindy Harvill	2601 W. Marland	Hobbs, NM 88240
T C Mc Gill	821 S. Rash	Hobbs, NM 88240
TOMSCO, LLC	P.O. Box 660	Artesia, NM 88211
Nadim Waldine	2201 W. Marland	Hobbs, NM 88240

Wesley Merrell Williams	810 Ponderosa	Hobbs, NM 88240
Rosalva Davila Falcon	2613 W. Humble	Hobbs, NM 88240
X-Pert Well Service, Inc.	P.O. Box 10190	Midland, TX 79702
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Lowell G. Swift	P.O. Box 564	Hobbs, NM 88240
Conley Walden	2810 W. Humble	Hobbs, NM 88240
Joe B. Luker	3902 E. Bender St.	Hobbs, NM 88240
Billy Johnson	2726 E. Stanolind Rd.	Hobbs, NM 88240
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Donald L. Mills	1701 S. Houston	Hobbs, NM 88240
H W Dusty Smart	2109 E. Castleberry Road	Artesia, NM 88210
W D Staggs	P.O. Box 1496	Hobbs, NM 88241

SECTION 6, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST

V R Jones	Star Route A Box 440	Hobbs, NM 88240
Southwestern Public Service	P.O. Box 1261	Amarillo, TX 79170

SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST

Carole Lynn Luck	P.O. Box 186	Hobbs, NM 88240
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SECTION 8, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST

Dee A. Cochran	P.O. Box 145	Hobbs, NM 88241
William F. Mc Neill et al	P.O. Box 1058	Hobbs, NM 88241

SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 38 EAST

William F. Mc Neill	P.O. Box 1058	Hobbs, NM 88241
Altura Energy Ltd Thomas A. Clifton-Tax Rep	500 W. Texas Suite 1225	Midland, TX 79701

AFFIDAVIT OF ANTHONY C. WALKER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
)SS
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON)

ANTHONY C. WALKER, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

I, Anthony C. Walker, a representative of Phillips Pipe Line Company, do hereby certify that on the 16th day of November, 2001, I mailed, via U. S. Postal Service, a true and correct copy of the attached Notice of Publication, State of New Mexico, Energy, Mineral and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division, to the persons as set out below, whose addresses are contained on the attachments.

Lea County Commissioner -Dennis Holmberg
Hobbs City Manager - Bo Thomas
State Land Office- Hobbs District
Chris Shuey
Director - State Parks & Recreation
Marcia Simmons - KOAT-RV
Dr. Jay Sorenson
Bob Steele
Westinghouse Electric Corp.
George Vlahos
Lee Wilson & Associates
Secretary - New Mexico Env. Dept.
Thomas Kellahin
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Agri. Programs and Res. Div.
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State Engineer - Water Res. Div.
State Director - Bur. of Land Mgmt
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Lynn Brandvold

Kay Grotbeck
Jeanne Haffen
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Gerald R. Zimmerman
Director - Division of Water Quality
Jack A. Barnett
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Chief - Groundwater Bureau
Chief - Hazardous Waste Bureau
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Chester Rail
Ken Marsh - Controlled Recovery Inc.
Colin Adams - Public Service Company of NM
Devon E. Jercinovic - International Technology Corp.
NM Oil & Gas Association
Len Oyenque - The Tewa Company
William Turner - New Mexico Trustee for Nat. Res
c/o American Ground Water Cons.

Further Affiant sayeth not.

Anthony C. Walker
Anthony C Walker
3B10 Adams Bldg.
Bartlesville, OK 74004

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 19th day of February 2001.

Charlotte A. Perry
Notary Public

My Comm. Exp. September 18, 2004



Name	Address	City
Lea County Commissioner Dennis Holmberg Suite 4	100 N. Main	Lovington, NM 88260
Hobbs City Manager Bo Thomas	300 N. Turner	Hobbs, NM 88240

Name	Address	City
State Land Office Hobbs District	3830 North Grimes Suite C	Hobbs, NM 88240
Chris Shuey Southwest Res. & Inf. Center	P. O. Box 4524	Albuquerque, N.M. 87106
Director State Parks & Recreation	Villagra Building	Santa Fe, N.M. 87503
Marcia Simmons KOAT-RV	3801 Carlisle NE	Albuquerque, N.M. 87108
Dr. Jay Sorenson	2800 Charleston NE	Albuquerque, N.M. 87110
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Westinghouse Electric Corp. Manager - Uranium Resources Div.	P. O. Box 355	Pittsburg, P.A. 15230
George Vlahos Sierra Club	212 Tulane SE	Albuquerque, N.M. 87106
Lee Wilson & Associates	P. O. Box 931	Santa Fe, N.M. 87501
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Thomas Kellahin Kellahin & Kellahin	P. O. Box 2265	Santa Fe, NM 87501
Director Department of Game & Fish	Villagra Building	Santa Fe, NM 87503
Jackie Jennings Core Laboratories, Inc.	10703 E. Bethany Drive	Aurora, CO 80014
Olson Plunk Southwestern Public Service	P. O. Box 1261	Amarillo, TX 79170
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Environmental Affairs Public Service Company of NM	P. O. Box 2267	Albuquerque, NM 87103
Governor Pueblo of Laguna	P. O. Box 194	Laguna, NM 87026
State Engineer Water Resources Division	Bataan Building	Santa Fe, NM 87503
State Director Bureau of Land Management	P. O. Box 27115	Santa Fe, NM 87502-0115
NM Citizens - Clean Air & Water John Bartlit, Chairman	113 Monte Ray Dr., North	Los Alamos, NM 87544
William F. Carr Campbell & Black	P. O. Box 2208	Santa Fe, NM 87501
NM Municipal League P. O. Box 846	1229 Paseo De Peralta	Santa Fe, NM 87501
Jay Lazarus	P. O. Box 5727	Santa Fe, NM 87502
Director Water Resources Dept.	P. O. Box 1293	Albuquerque, NM 87103
NM Water Well Association	1205 California NE	Albuquerque, NM 87110

Field Supervisor US Fish & Wildlife Service	2105 Osuna Road, Northeast	Albuquerque, NM 87113-1001
Patricia A. D'Andrea	P. O. Box 6387	Santa Fe, NM 87502
Bruce S. Garber Attorney at Law	P. O. Box 0850	Santa Fe, NM 87504-0850
Mike Matush	State Land Office Building	Santa Fe, NM 87503
Science Applications, Inc.	P. O. Box 3344	Boulder, CO 80303
Dr. Harry Bishara	P. O. Box 748	Cuba, NM 87013
Director Albuquerque Env. Health Dept.	P. O. Box 1293	Albuquerque, NM 87103
John Draper Montgomery & Andrews	P. O. Box 2307	Santa Fe, NM 87504
Perry Pearce Burlington Resources	300 Galisteo, Suite 101	Santa Fe, NM 87501
Lynn Brandvold NM Bureau of Mines & Min. Res.	NM Institute of Mining & Tech.	Socorro, NM 87801
Kay Grotbeck	RR 3, Box 109 JK	Santa Fe, NM 87505-9532
Jeanne Haffen El Paso Natural Gas	P. O. Box 1492	El Paso, TX 79978
Richard P. Chagnon Hydrologist	2825 E. Malvern Drive	Tucson, AZ 85716
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Director Colorado River Comm of Nevada Suite 3100	555 East Washington Avenue	Las Vegas, NV 89158
Gerald R. Zimmerman Colorado River Board of Calif.	770 Fairmont Ave., Ste. 100	Glendale, CA 91203-1035
Director Division of Water Quality	288 North 1460 West	Salt Lake City, UT 84114
Jack A. Barnett Colorado River Basin Ctrl. Forum Suite 101	106 West 500 South	Bountiful, UT 84010
Chief Groundwater Bureau	Runnels Building	Santa Fe, NM 87504
Chief Hazardous Waste Bureau	Runnels Building	Santa Fe, NM 87504
Thomas W. Merlan, Director Villa Rivera Room 101	228 East Palace Avenue	Santa Fe, NM 87503
Chester Rail	10613 Calle De Elena NW	Albuquerque, NM 87048
Ken Marsh Controlled Recovery Inc.	P. O. Box 369	Hobbs, NM 88241
Colin Adams Environmental Counsel Public Service Company of NM	414 Silver, Southwest	Albuquerque, NM 87158
Devon E. Jercinovic International Technology Corp. Suite 700	5301 Central Avenue, N.E.	Albuquerque, NM 87108
NM Oil & Gas Association	P. O. Box 1864	Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-1864

Len Oyunque The Tewa Company	P.O. Box 1261	San Juan Pueblo, NM 87566
William Turner New Mexico Trustee for Nat. Res. c/o American Ground Water Cons.	610 Gold St. SW, Suite 111	Albuquerque, NM 87102

AFFIDAVIT OF ANTHONY C. WALKER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
)SS
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON)

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William Turner
Natural Resources Trustee
c/o American Ground Water Consultants
610 Gold St. SW - Suite 111
Albuquerque, NM 87102

Charles De Saillan
Office of the Attorney General
Environmental Enforcement Division
P. O. Drawer 1508
Santa Fe, NM 87504

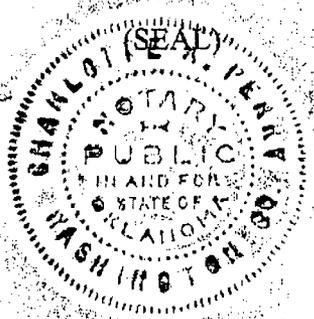
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Anthony C. Walker
Anthony C. Walker
3B10 Adams Bldg.
Bartlesville, OK 74004

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 19th day of February _____, 2001.

Charlotte A. Perry
Notary Public

My Comm. Exp: September 18, 2004



SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION

- Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.
- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
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1. Article Addressed to:

William Turner
 Natural Resources Trustee
 c/o American Ground Water Consult.
 610 Gold St. SW - Suite 111
 Albuquerque, NM 87102

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A. Received by (Please Print Clearly) E. Martinez B. Date of Delivery 2/21/07

C. Signature [Signature] Agent Addressee

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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss.
COUNTY OF LEA)

Joyce Clemens being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that she is Advertising Director of **THE LOVINGTON DAILY LEADER**, a daily newspaper of general paid circulation published in the English language at Lovington, Lea County, New Mexico; that said newspaper has been so published in such county continuously and uninterruptedly for a period in excess of Twenty-six (26) consecutive weeks next prior to the first publication of the notice hereto attached as hereinafter shown; and that said newspaper is in all things duly qualified to publish legal notices within the meaning of Chapter 167 of the 1937 Session Laws of the State of New Mexico.

That the notice which is hereto attached, entitled

Legal Notice

was published in a regular and entire issue of **THE LOVINGTON DAILY LEADER** and not in any supplement thereof, for one (1) day, beginning with the issue of February 22, 2001 and ending with the issue of February 22, 2001.

And that the cost of publishing said notice is the sum of \$ 47.63 which sum has been (Paid) as Court Costs.

Joyce Clemens
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of February, 2001.

Debbie Schilling
Debbie Schilling
Notary Public, Lea County, New Mexico
My Commission Expires June 22, 2002

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

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Regulations, the following Stage 2 Abatement Plan Proposal has been submitted to the Director of the Oil Conservation Division, 1220 St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, Telephone (505)476-3440.

Phillips Pipe Line Company, Anthony C. Walker, Project Manager, Telephone (918) 661-3557, 3B11 Adams Bldg., Bartlesville, Oklahoma 79702, has submitted a Stage 2 Abatement Plan Proposal for the East Hobbs Junction Leak Site, located south of Hobbs, New Mexico in Unit N of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Phillips Pipe Line Company operates a crude oil pipeline at the site. Phase-separated hydrocarbon has been observed on the ground water. The Stage 2 Abatement Plan Proposal presents Phillips Pipe Line Company's proposed methods for remediation of the site including remediation of contaminated soils, remediation of contaminated ground water, site maintenance activities, a monitoring and sampling plan for soils and ground water, preparation of regular remediation reports, and a schedule for implementation of all remediation and monitoring activities.

Any interested person may obtain further information from the Oil Conservation Division and may submit to the Director of the Oil Conservation Division, at the address given above, written comments or a written request for a public hearing that include reasons why a hearing should be held.

The Stage 2 Abatement Plan Proposal may be viewed at the above address or at the Oil Conservation Division Hobbs District Office, 1625 N. French Drive, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240, Telephone (505) 393-6161 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Prior to ruling on any proposed Stage 2 Abatement Plan Proposal, the Director of the Oil Conservation Division shall allow at least thirty (30) days after the date of publication of this notice during which written comments or a written request for a hearing may be submitted.

Published in the Lovington Daily Leader February 22, 2001.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
County of Bernalillo SS

Bill Tafoya, being duly sworn, declares and says that he is Classified Advertising Manager of The Albuquerque Journal, and that this newspaper is duly qualified to publish legal notices or advertisements within the meaning of Section 3, Chapter 167, Session Laws of 1937, and that payment therefore has been made of assessed as court cost; that the notice, copy of which is hereto attached, was published in said paper in the regular daily edition, for 1 times, the first publication being on the 22 day of Feb, 2001, and the subsequent consecutive publications on _____, 2001.

Bill Tafoya

Sworn and subscribed to before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Bernalillo and State of New Mexico this 22 day of Feb of 2001.

PRICE 3352
Statement to come at end of month
ACCOUNT NUMBER 088052

OFFICIAL SEAL
Samantha Weiss
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
My Commission Expires: 10/31/02
Samantha Weiss

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

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ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Journal: February 22, 2001

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of New Mexico,
County of Lea.

I, KATHI BEARDEN

Publisher

of the Hobbs News-Sun, a newspaper published at Hobbs, New Mexico, do solemnly swear that the clipping attached hereto was published once a week in the regular and entire issue of said paper, and not a supplement thereof for a period

of 1 weeks.

Beginning with the issue dated February 22 2001

and ending with the issue dated February 22 2001

Kathi Bearden

Publisher

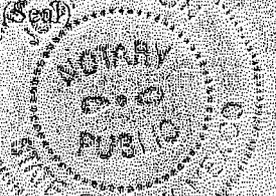
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of

February 2001

Jodi Jensen

Notary Public

My Commission expires October 18, 2004



This newspaper is duly qualified to publish legal notices or advertisements within the meaning of Section 3, Chapter 167, Laws of 1937, and payment of fees for said publication has been made.

LEGAL NOTICE
February 22, 2001
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

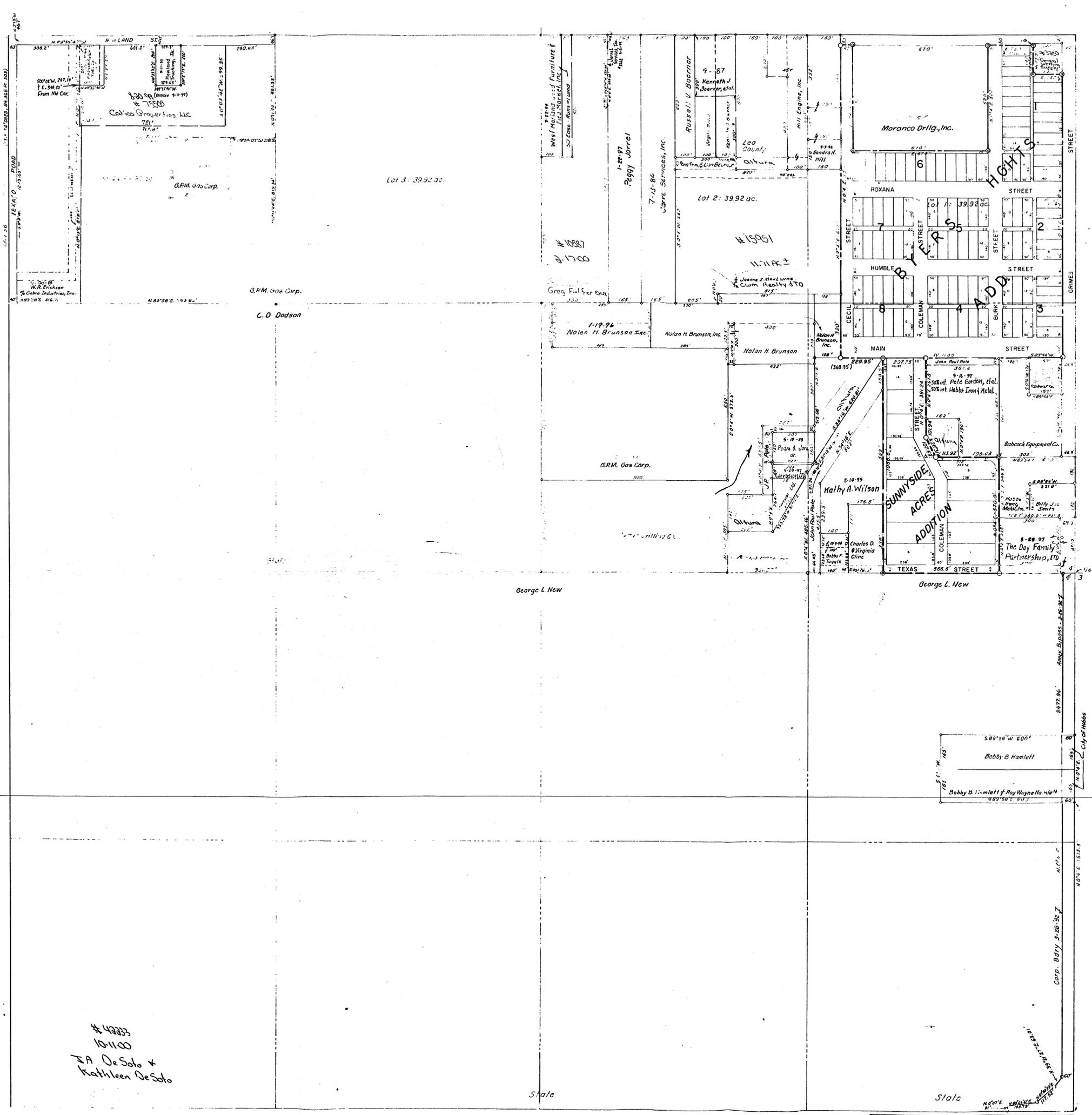
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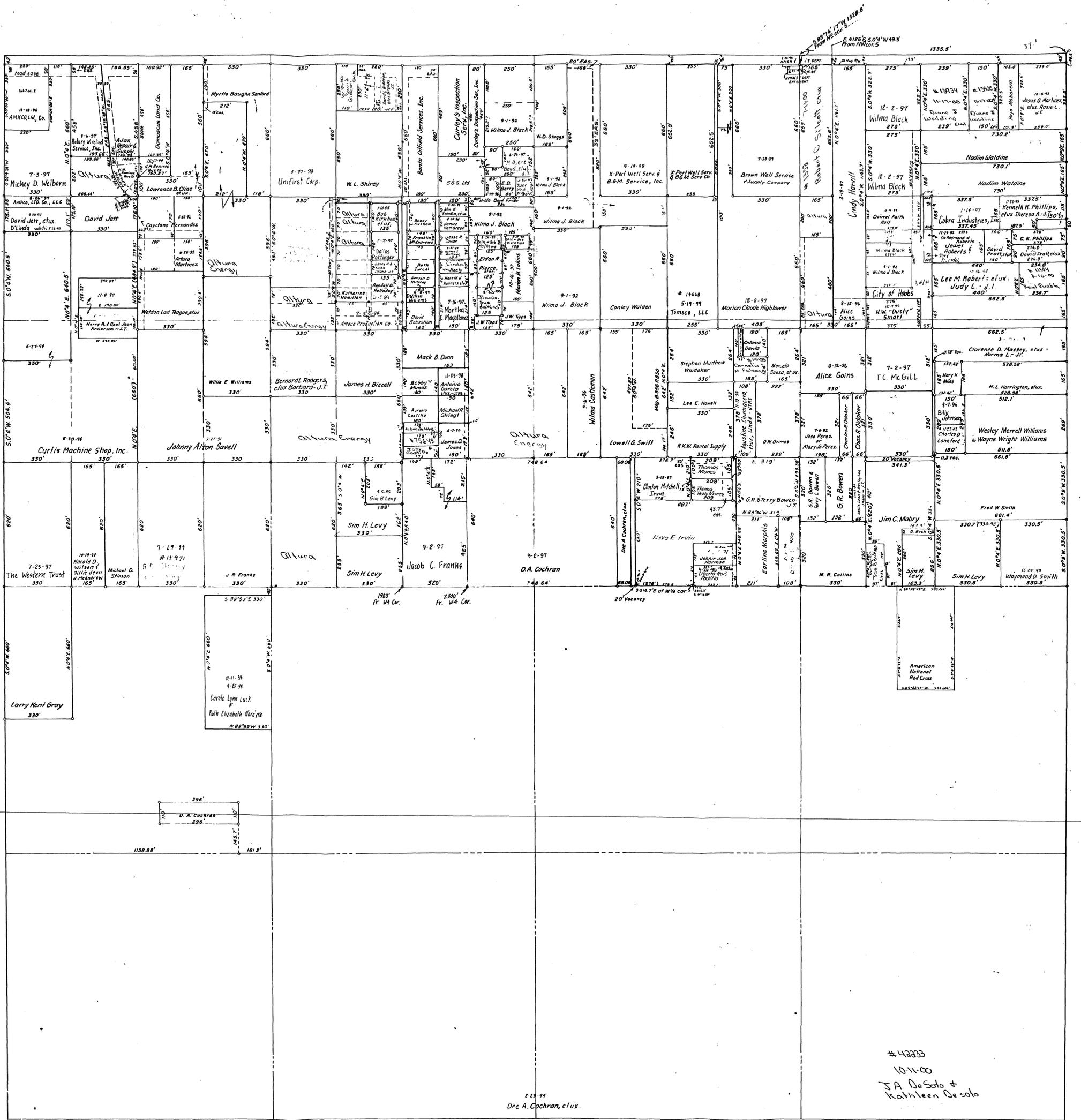
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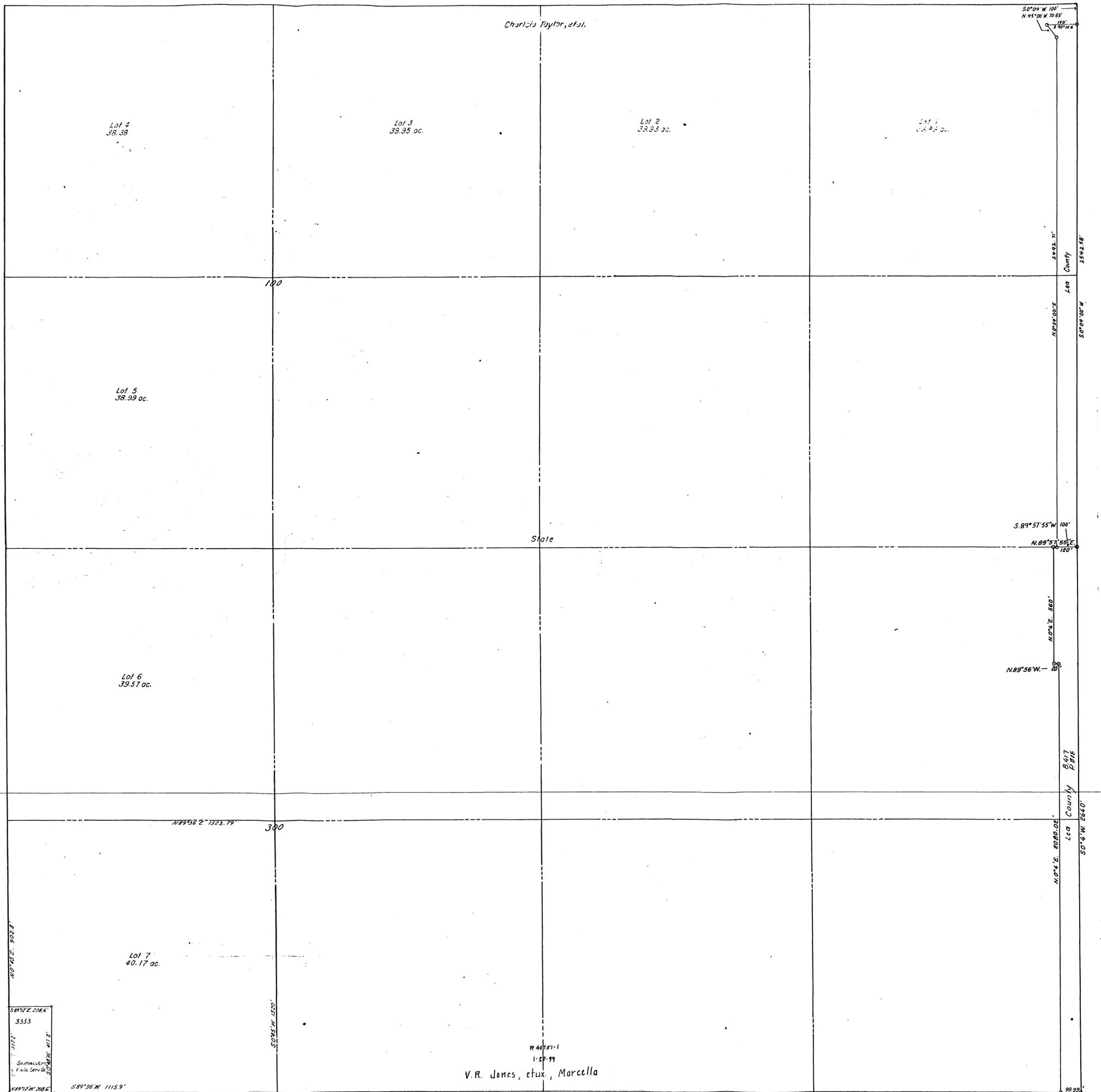
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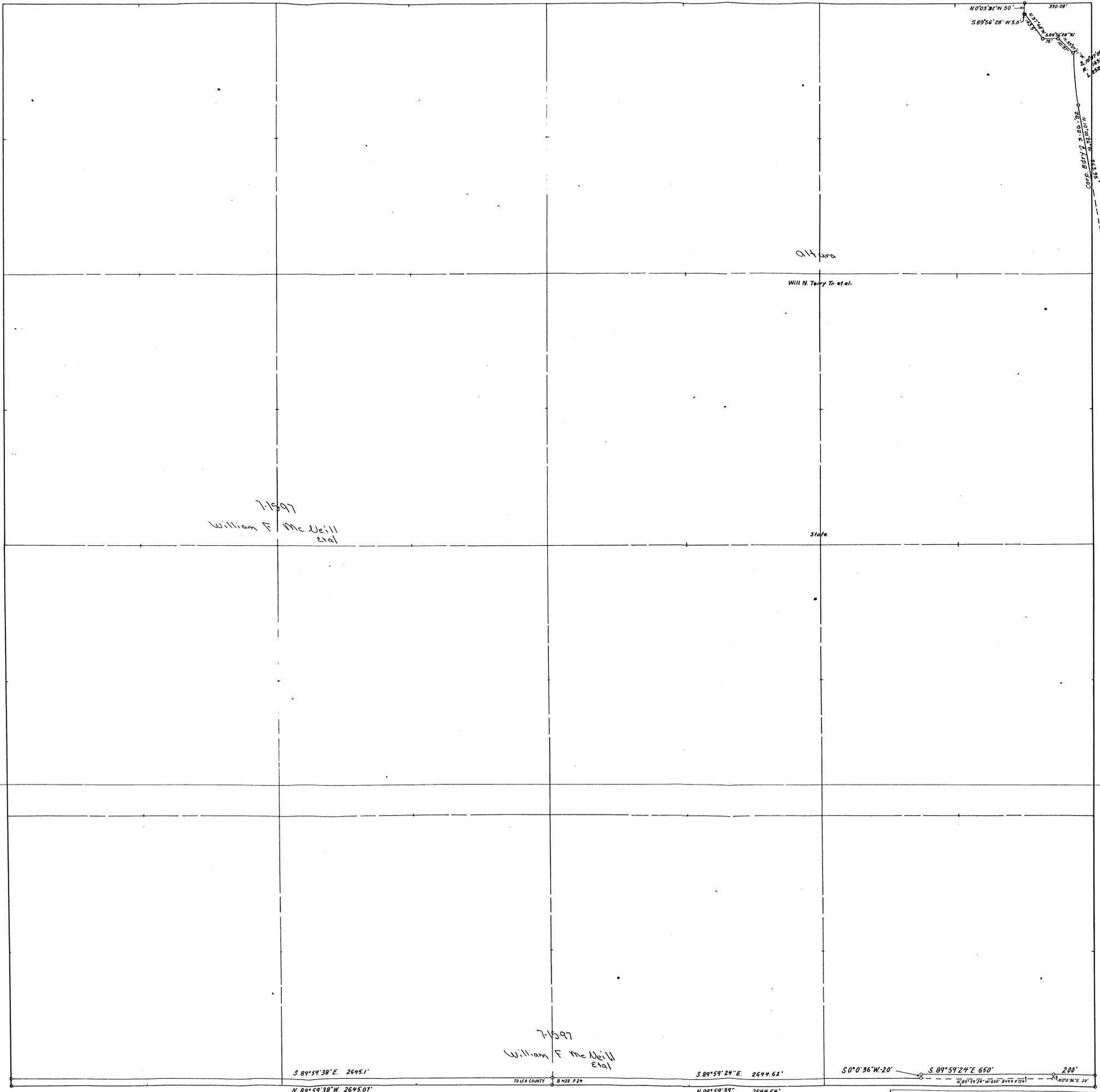
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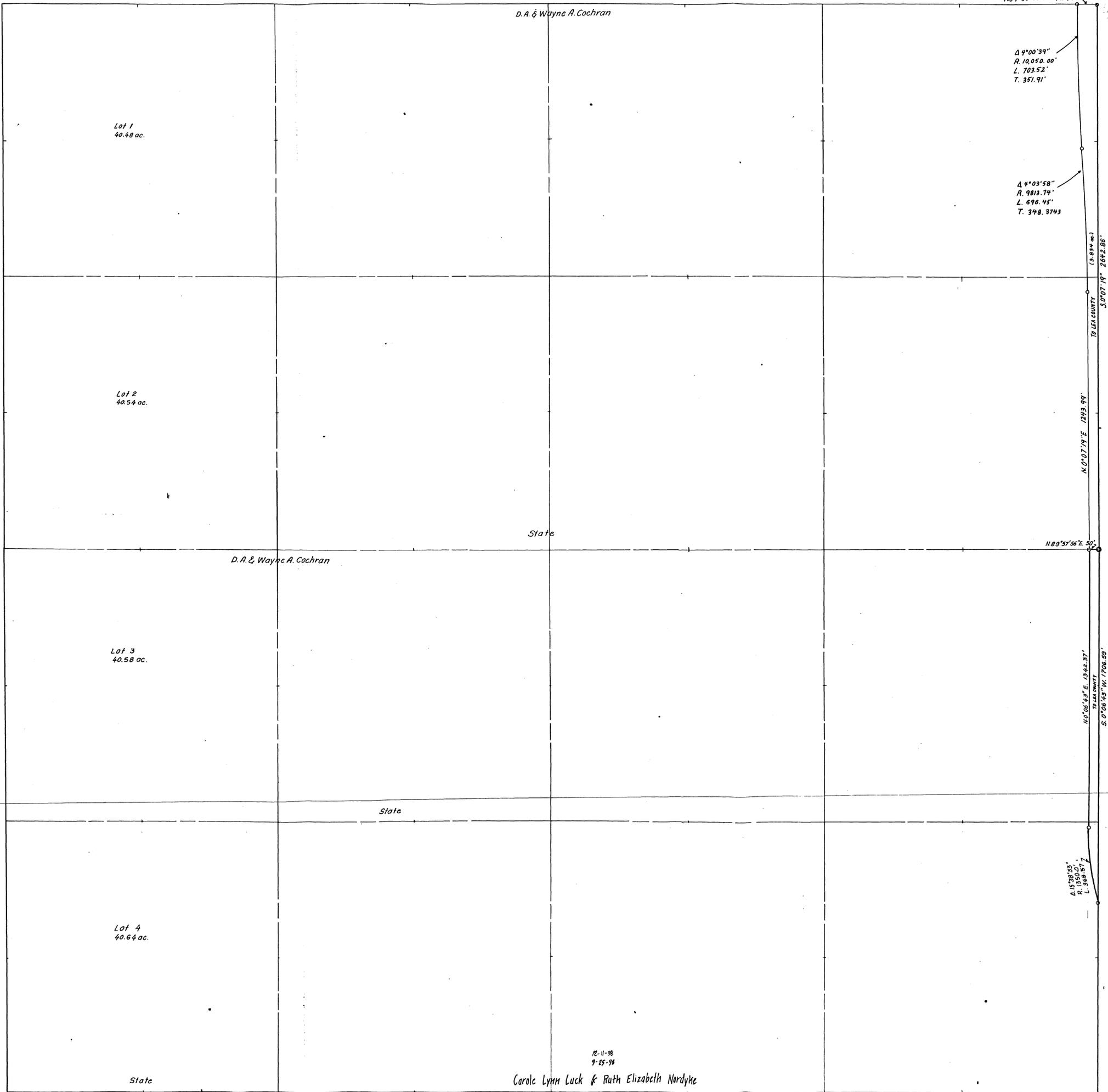
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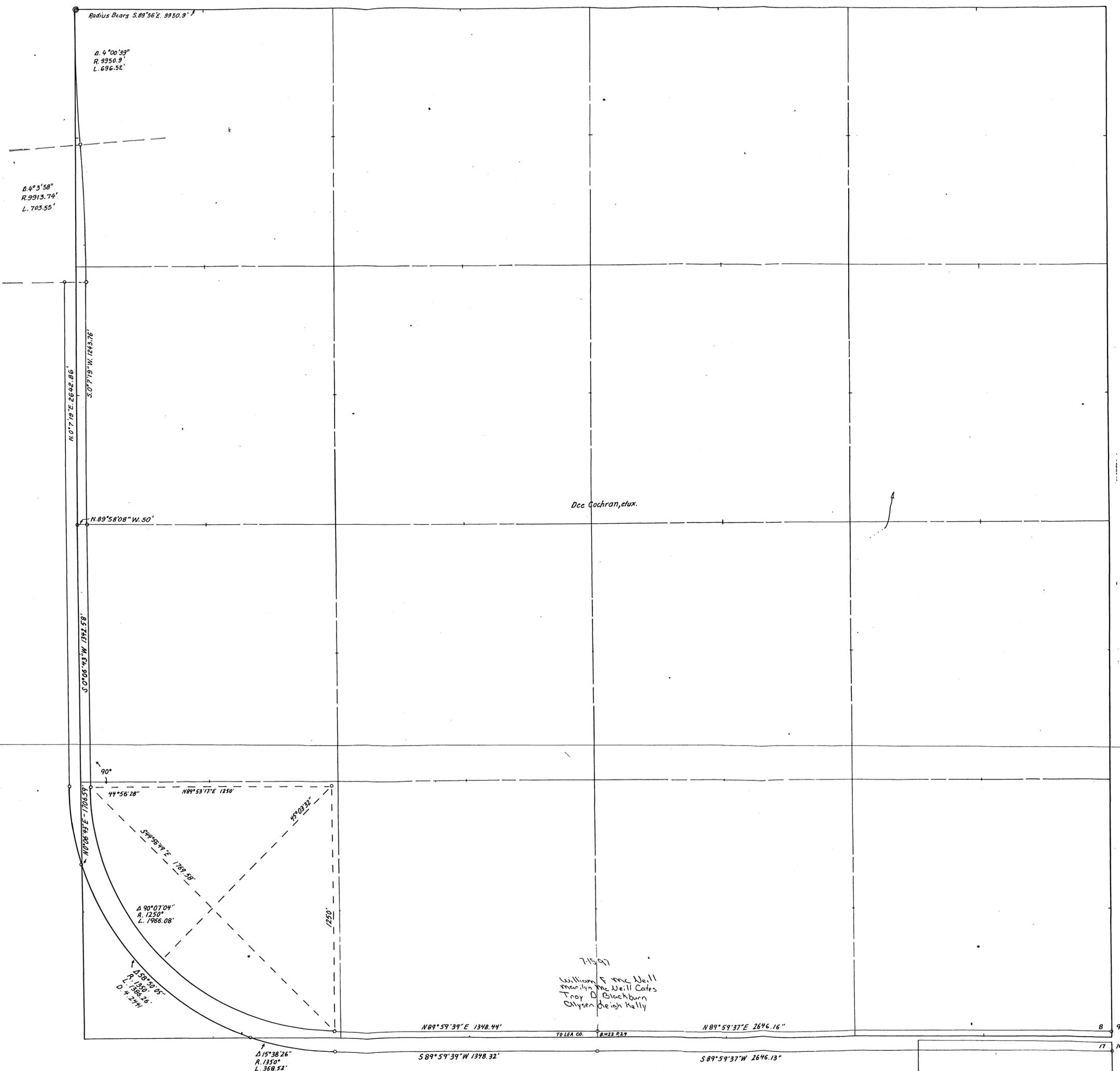
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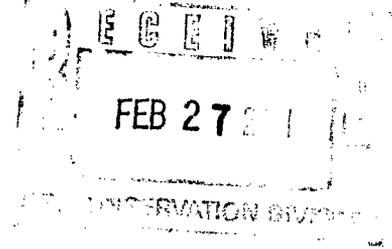
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McNeill Ranch

William F. McNeill

P.O. BOX 1068
Hobbs, N.M. 88241



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February 23, 2001

Mr. Roger C. Anderson
Environmental Bureau Chief
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

RE: Stage 2 Ground Water Abatement Plan (AP-15) East Hobbs Junction Site

Dear Mr. Anderson:

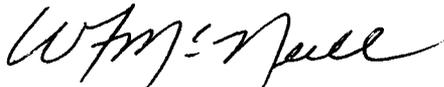
As the landowner of the property that the two Phillips Pipeline leaks occurred I am objecting to Phillip's abatement plan for the cleanup of the contaminated soils. Phillips is applying for permission to clean the contaminated soils with a bio-vent remediation system. I request that the N.M.O.C.D. reject this request and require Phillips to remove all contaminated soils to N.M.O.C.D. standards.

The veridose zone at the contamination sites is approximately 32 feet thick before the Ogalala Aquifer is reached. Bio vent remediation has proven to have a very poor record with heavy end cleanup such as crude oil at the very best. Taking the length of time for this process to begin to show results the aquifer will be continuously impacted. Because of the large area of contamination this impact will prove to be catastrophic for the quality of the aquifer. I might remind you that this aquifer is one of the important resources for this area of southeastern New Mexico.

Because of the importance of this aquifer I am requesting that you reject Phillip's plan and require that all contaminated soil above O.C.D. standards be removed and hauled to a dirt farm for remediation and clean materials put in their place. I as the landowner will forever be impacted economically if removal of contaminates am not accomplished. Selling the ranch or borrowing money from lending institutions are almost impossible if not impossible with such conditions remaining on the ranch.

My attorney Mr. Jim Lyle has written you in the past objecting this process and I am doing so at the present as is allowed to me under the enclosed rules of "Notice of Publication". If this process requires that I come to your office in Santa Fe and state my objection in person please contact me and at your request I will personally state my request. Contact me at your convenience if you have questions.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W F McNeill".

William F. McNeill

Enclosures: 1

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Olson, William

From: Olson, William
Sent: Tuesday, March 06, 2001 8:25 AM
To: 'Anthony C Walker'
Subject: RE: Proof of Publication for AP-15 Stage 2 / Due date 3-7-2001

The below extension request is approved.

From: Anthony C Walker [SMTP:awalker@ppco.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 06, 2001 12:02 AM
To: Olson, William
Subject: Proof of Publication for AP-15 Stage 2 / Due date 3-7-2001

Bill, I have been out in Hobbs installing a product recovery system at Line NM-1-1 (AP-10) and East Hobbs Junction (AP-15) since Tuesday of last week. I should arrive in my office in Bartlesville on Wed the 7th, which happens to be the date you requested that we have the proof of publication to your office. At this point, I do not even know if we have received the Affidavits of Publication from the newspapers. I will find that out Wednesday. Anyway, I will put everything that I do have together on Wednesday and overnite the info to your office that day, which means that you will not receive the info until Thursay the 8th at the earliest. In order to meet a "deadline", I am requesting an extension until Monday of the following week, just to be safe. If you cannot agree to an extension, I can fax over the "faxable" info and just overnite the maps. Just let me know how you would like to handle this. You can respond to this email, or give me a call on my cell phone, 918-232-1507. Thanks.

Tony Walker
<awalker@ppco.com>
Phillips Pipe Line Company
3B10 Adams Building
Bartlesville, OK 74004
918-661-3557



NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Director
Oil Conservation Division

February 7, 2001

CERTIFIED MAIL

RETURN RECEIPT NO: 5051-4089

Mr. Anthony C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
3B11 Adams Bldg.
Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74004

**RE: STAGE 2 GROUND WATER ABATEMENT PLAN (AP-15)
EAST HOBBS JUNCTION SITE**

Dear Mr. Walker:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed Phillips Pipe Line Company's (PPL) November 3, 2000 "STAGE 2 ABATEMENT PLAN (AP-15), EAST HOBBS JUNCTION LEAK SITE, PHILLIPS PIPE LINE COMPANY". This document contains PPL's Stage 2 Abatement Plan Proposal for remediation of soil and ground water contamination resulting from a crude oil pipeline spill at PPL's East Hobbs Junction site in Unit N, Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

The OCD has determined that the above referenced Stage 2 Abatement Plan Proposal is administratively complete. Before the OCD can complete a review of the Stage 2 proposal, the OCD requires that:

1. PPL issue by February 22, 2001 the attached public notice of the Stage 2 proposal in the Albuquerque Journal, Hobbs News-Sun and the Lovington Daily Leader pursuant to OCD Rule 19.G.
2. Prior to issuing the public notice, PPL shall issue written notice of the Stage 2 proposal pursuant to OCD Rule 19.G.(1). Please refer to the previously supplied 3.5" disk for a listing of "those persons, as identified by the Director, who have requested notification" pursuant to OCD Rule 19.G.(1):(d) and the contact for the New Mexico Trustee for Natural Resources.

Please provide the OCD with proof of written and public notice by March 7, 2001. Proof of notice shall include a map of the surface owners of record within one (1) mile of the perimeter of the site and shall identify compliance with each of the provisions of Rule 19.G (1).

If you have any questions, please contact Bill Olson at (505) 476-3491.

Sincerely,



Roger C. Anderson
Environmental Bureau Chief

RCA/wco

xc: w/attachment: Chris Williams, OCD Hobbs District Supervisor
William McNeil

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November 3, 2000

**Stage 2 Abatement Plan (AP-15)
East Hobbs Junction Leak Site
Phillips Pipe Line Company**

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**ENVIRONMENTAL BUREAU
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Mr. Bill Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco St.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Olson:

Phillips Pipe Line Company has enclosed a Stage 2 Abatement Plan for the crude oil release that occurred near Hobbs, New Mexico in Lea County on March 23, 1999.

If you need more information regarding this plan, please contact me at 918-661-3557.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Anthony C. Walker'.

Anthony "Tony" C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Staff Environmental Representative
3 B10 Adams Building

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cc: Mr. Chris Williams
State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources Dept.
Oil Conservation Division
District 1
1625 N. French Drive
Hobbs, New Mexico 88240

Mr. Chris Higgins (cover letter only)
Higgins and Associates, L.L.C.
8200 South Akron St.
Suite 120
Englewood, CO 80112



July 6, 2000

**Ground Water Abatement Plan AP-15
East Hobbs Junction
Phillips Pipe Line Company**

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ENVIRONMENTAL BUREAU
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Mr. Bill Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco St.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Olson:

Phillips Pipe Line Company (PPL) hereby submits the Comprehensive Report for the Stage 1 Abatement Plan for the East Hobbs Junction (AP-15) leak site.

If you need more information regarding this report, please contact me at 918-661-3557.

Sincerely,

Anthony "Tony" C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Staff Environmental Representative
3 B10 Adams Building

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cc: Mr. Chris Williams
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
District 1
1625 N. French Drive
Hobbs, NM 88240

Mr. Chris Higgins w/out report
Higgins and Associates, L.L.C.
9940 East Costilla Avenue
Suite B
Englewood, CO 80112

Olson, William

From: Anthony C Walker [SMTP:AWALKER@ppco.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 30, 2000 12:28 PM
To: Olson, William
Cc: Williams, Chris
Subject: RE: AP-15 Comprehensive Report

Mr. Olson,

This email confirms our conversation of Tuesday, May 30, 2000. In this conversation, OCD accepted PPL's request for an extension for the submittal of the Comprehensive Report for AP-15 (East Hobbs Junction). The extended date for the submittal of this report is July 6, 2000. The following information was discussed:

Due to problems in gaining access and scheduling drillers, PPL requested an extension for the filing of the Comprehensive Report for AP-15. We are scheduled to drill wells beginning at 8:30 AM Wednesday, May 31. The requested extension allows time for sample analysis, report preparation, report review, and mailing.

My cell phone number is 918-232-1507, should you wish to contact me during this week. Thanks for your cooperation in this matter.

Tony Walker
<awalker@ppco.com>
Phillips Pipe Line Company
3B10 Adams Building
Bartlesville, OK 74004
918-661-3557

Olson, William

From: Olson, William
Sent: Friday, April 21, 2000 10:30 AM
To: 'Anthony C Walker'
Cc: Williams, Chris; Williams, Donna
Subject: RE: AP-15 Comprehensive Report

The below referenced extension request is approved on the condition that Phillip's submit the comprehensive investigation report to the OCD by June 2, 2000.

From: Anthony C Walker [SMTP:AWALKER@ppco.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 20, 2000 10:31 PM
To: Olson, William
Cc: Williams, Chris
Subject: AP-15 Comprehensive Report

Mr. Olson,

PPL hereby requests an extension on the Comprehensive Report for AP-15 for the East Hobbs Junction Site. The reasons for this extension are as follows:

The analyses for the most recently drilled wells indicated a presence of hydrocarbons. More wells will be proposed.

The most recently drilled wells have not been surveyed in as of the date of this correspondence.

For the above reasons, a comprehensive report for the activities would be incomplete.

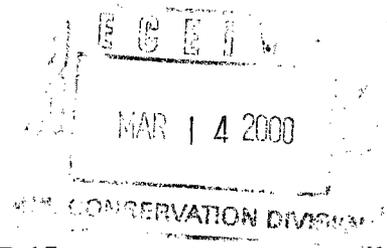
Please contact me at 918-232-1507 if you have any questions regarding this extension.

Thanks for your cooperation.

Tony Walker
<awalker@ppco.com>
Phillips Pipe Line Company
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Bartlesville, OK 74004
918-661-3557



March 9, 2000



**Ground Water Abatement Plan AP-15
East Hobbs Junction
Phillips Pipe Line Company**

Mr. Bill Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco St.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Olson:

Phillips Pipe Line Company (PPL) submits this letter to confirm our conversation of Wednesday, March 8, 1999. During this conversation, NMOCDD granted PPL an extension for the submittal of the Comprehensive Report for PPL's East Hobbs Junction Site in Lea County, New Mexico. The extended date for the submittal of this Report is April 21, 2000.

The purpose for this extension is to allow PPL and its Consultants time to schedule and perform additional drilling activities for plume definition. The current data indicates that the plume has not been completely defined. This extension will also allow for the submittal of only one Comprehensive Report for all activities.

If you need more information regarding this letter, please contact me at 918-661-3557.

Sincerely,

Anthony "Tony" C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Staff Environmental Representative
3 B11 Adams Building

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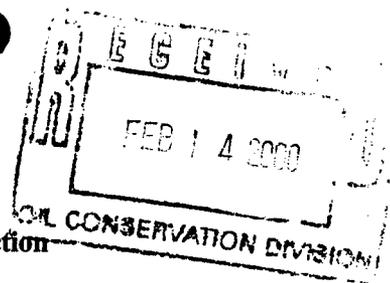
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1625 N. French Drive
Hobbs, NM 88240

Mr. Chris Higgins
Higgins and Associates, L.L.C.
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January 28, 2000

Hydrocarbon Removal
Line NM-1-1 & East Hobbs Junction



Mr. Bill Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco St.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Olson:

The purpose of this letter is to advise the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) that Phillips Pipe Line (PPL) Company believes additional measures may need to be implemented to prevent hydrocarbon plume migration at the Line NM-1-1 and East Hobbs Junction sites located near Hobbs, NM. Accordingly, PPL intends to install systems, including free product recovery and soil bioventing wells, to remove free-phase and absorbed hydrocarbons from the release areas. PPL's plan is to determine optimal locations for hydrocarbon removal at both sites and implement these systems as quickly as practical. These systems are intended to supplement the ongoing cleanup efforts and will be compatible with the overall cleanup program subject to review and approval by the NMOCD under 19 NMAC 15.A.19. Consequently, the removal systems that are implemented will be included in future Abatement Plans submitted to the Oil Conservation Division.

PPL discovered the Line NM-1-1 leak on October 27, 1998, and the East Hobbs Junction leak on March 23, 1999. Upon discovering these releases, PPL acted in accordance with the requirements of 19 NMAC 15.A.19 and intends to continue to act in accordance with these regulations. The activities planned by PPL are intended only to prevent the possibility of plume migration.

If you have any questions regarding the information obtained in this letter, please contact me at 918-661-3557.

Sincerely,

Anthony "Tony" C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Environmental Representative
3 B11 Adams Building

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cc: Mr. Chris Williams
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Olson, William

From: Anthony C Walker [SMTP:AWALKER@ppco.com]
Sent: Friday, January 07, 2000 1:43 PM
To: Olson, William
Cc: Williams, Chris
Subject: AP-15 48 Hour Notification

Bill,

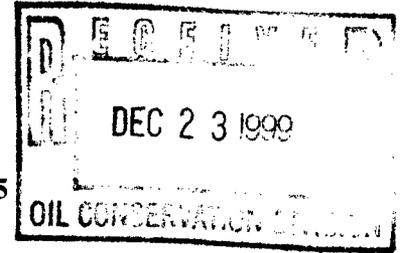
Per our conversation, this email serves as the advance notification for work that PPL will be performing at our East Hobbs Junction site referenced in the Groundwater Abatement Plan (AP-15). PPL plans to begin drilling activities the morning of Tuesday, January 11, 2000. If you ave any questions or concerns, please email me or contact me at 918-232-1507.

Tony Walker
<awalker@ppco.com>
Phillips Pipe Line Company
3B10 Adams Building
Bartlesville, OK 74004
918-661-3557

December 15, 1999



**Public Comment Period
Ground Water Abatement Plan AP-15
East Hobbs Junction Site
Phillips Pipe Line Company**



Mr. Bill Olson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco St.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Olson:

Phillips Pipe Line Company has enclosed copies of the following documents relating to the Public Notification for a Stage 1 Abatement Plan for a crude oil release that occurred near Hobbs, New Mexico in Lea County on March 23, 1999:

- An "Affidavit of Publication" from the *Lovington Daily Leader*,
- An "Affidavit of Publication" from the *Albuquerque Journal*,
- An "Affidavit of Publication" from the *Hobbs News - Sun*,
- An affidavit for the mailing of the Public Notice to the persons provided by the NMOCD,
- One envelope marked "Return To Sender" from the list provided by the NMOCD,
- An affidavit for the mailing of the Public Notice via Certified Mail to landowners in the area,
- Twelve "Domestic Return Receipts" from the Public Notices sent to Landowners, and
- One envelope that was sent certified mail but returned unopened.

Please note that the Public Notices in the *Albuquerque Journal*, the *Lovington Daily Leader* and the *Hobbs News - Sun* were issued on November 10, 1999. The notices sent via USPS were mailed on November 6, 1999, and the notices sent via Certified Mail were mailed on November 5, 1999. Therefore, the thirty-day public comment period has passed.

PPL wishes to implement the proposed Plan as soon as possible in order to determine the limits of impacts of this release.

If you need more information regarding the attached documentation or the proposed Plan, please contact me at 918-661-3557 or leave a voice mail at 918-232-1507.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Anthony C. Walker'.

Anthony "Tony" C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Staff Environmental Representative
3 B10 Adams Building

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cc: Chris Williams
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
District 1
1625 N. French Drive
Hobbs, NM 88240

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss.
COUNTY OF LEA)

Joyce Clemens being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that she is Advertising Director of THE LOVINGTON DAILY LEADER, a daily newspaper of general paid circulation published in the English language at Lovington, Lea County, New Mexico; that said newspaper has been so published in such county continuously and uninterruptedly for a period in excess of Twenty-six (26) consecutive weeks next prior to the first publication of the notice hereto attached as hereinafter shown; and that said newspaper is in all things duly qualified to publish legal notices within the meaning of Chapter 167 of the 1937 Session Laws of the State of New Mexico.

That the notice which is hereto attached, entitled
Notice of Publication

was published in a regular and entire issue of THE LOVINGTON DAILY LEADER and not in any supplement thereof, for One (1) Day, beginning with the issue of November 10, 1999 and ending with the issue of November 10, 1999.

And that the cost of publishing said notice is the sum of \$ 52.30 which sum has been (Paid) as Court Costs.

Joyce Clemens
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of
November 10, 1999.

Debbie Schilling
Debbie Schilling
Notary Public, Lea County, New Mexico
My Commission Expires June 22, 2002

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
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Mexico. Phillips Pipe Line Company operates a crude oil pipeline at the site. Phase-separated hydrocarbons (PSH) have been observed on the ground water. The Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal presents the following subsurface investigation activities: determine site geology and hydrogeology; conduct a registered water well search within a 1 mile radius of the site; install monitoring wells; collect soil samples for field screening and/or laboratory analysis from each boring; collect ground water samples for laboratory analysis from each monitoring well; obtain depth to ground water measurements and calculate the ground water gradient and direction; survey all well locations by a professional land surveyor registered in the State of New Mexico; and prepare a report summarizing field activities and laboratory results.

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Published in the Lovington Daily Leader November 10, 1999.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
County of Bernalillo SS

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Sworn and subscribed to before me, a Notary Public, in and for the County of Bernalillo and State of New Mexico this 10 day Nov of 1999

PRICE 35.30

Statement to come at end of month.

ACCOUNT NUMBER 288052

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ENERGY, MINERALS AND
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DEPARTMENT OIL
CONSERVATION DIVISION

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of New Mexico,
County of Lea.

I, KATHI BEARDEN

Publisher

of the Hobbs News-Sun, a newspaper published at Hobbs, New Mexico, do solemnly swear that the clipping attached hereto was published once a week in the regular and entire issue of said paper, and not a supplement thereof for a period.

of 1 weeks.

Beginning with the issue dated November 10 1999 and ending with the issue dated November 10 1999

Kathi Bearden
Publisher

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 10th day of November 1999

Godi Jensen
Notary Public.

My Commission expires October 18, 2000
(Seal)

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Phillips Pipeline
3B10 Adams Building
Bartlesville, OK 74004

AFFIDAVIT OF ANTHONY C. WALKER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
)SS
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON)

ANTHONY C. WALKER, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

I, Anthony C. Walker, a representative of Phillips Pipe Line Company, do hereby certify that on the 6th day of November, 1999, I mailed, via U. S. Postal Service, a true and correct copy of the attached Notice of Publication, State of New Mexico, Energy, Mineral and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division, to the persons as set out below, whose addresses are contained on the attachments.

State Land Office - Hobbs District
Chris Shuey - Southwest Research & Information Center
Director - State Parks & Recreation
Marcia Simmons - KOAT-RV
Dr. Jay Sorenson
Bob Steele - Land & Mineral Resources
Westinghouse Electric Corp.
George Vlahos - Sierra Club
Lee Wilson & Associates
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Further Affiant sayeth not.

Anthony C. Walker
Anthony C. Walker
3B11 Adams Bldg.
Bartlesville, OK 74004

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 4th day of November, 1999.

Lesene Schornack
Notary Public

My Comm. Exp: January 2, 2001

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Mr. Ray Powell, Jr.
State Land Commissioner
New Mexico State Land Office
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, NM 87501

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P. O. Box 186
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Dennis Holmberg
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Further Affiant sayeth not.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 9th day of November, 1999.

Serene Schornick
Notary Public

My Comm. Exp: January 7, 2001

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4a. Article Number
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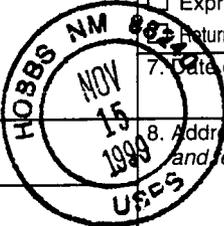
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103138

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X *Barbara Gray*

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Bo Thomas
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X *Bob Hamlett*

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3. Article Addressed to:

Carolyn Luck
P. O. Box 186
Hobbs, NM 88240

4a. Article Number

981801

4b. Service Type

- Registered Insured
- Certified COD
- Express Mail Return Receipt for Merchandise

7. Date of Delivery

11-15

5. Signature (Addressee)

6. Signature (Agent)

Carolyn Luck

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

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Lea County Commissioner
Dennis Holmberg
100 N. Main
Suite 4
Lovington, NM 88260

4a. Article Number

981801

4b. Service Type

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- Certified COD
- Express Mail Return Receipt for Merchandise

7. Date of Delivery

11-8-99

5. Signature (Addressee)

6. Signature (Agent)

X *Marilyn Marquez*
X *Marilyn Marquez*

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

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3. Article Addressed to:

Amoco Production
200 North Loraine, Suite 1205
Midland, TX 79701

4a. Article Number

1E1E01

4b. Service Type

- Registered Certified
- Express Mail Insured
- Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery

11-12-99

5. Received By: (Print Name)

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

X *Cindy Suggart*

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3. Article Addressed to:

Mr. Ray Powell, Jr.
State Land Commissioner
New Mexico State Land Office
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, NM 87501

4a. Article Number

103132

4b. Service Type

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- Express Mail Insured
- Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery



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6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

X *Julie A. Smith*

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3. Article Addressed to:

TEXACO, INC.
ATTN: Marte D. Lightstone
500 Marquette Ave., NW
Suite 1100
Albuquerque, NM 87102

4a. Article Number

521801

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- Return Receipt for Merchandise COD

7. Date of Delivery

11-8-99

5. Received By: (Print Name)

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

X *A. Jones*

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Domestic Return Receipt

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BARTLESVILLE, OKLAHOMA 74004



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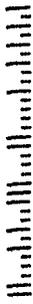
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
2040 S. PACHECO
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87505
(505) 827-7131

October 26, 1999

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT NO: Z-274-520-722

Mr. Anthony C. Walker
Phillips Pipeline Company
3B11 Adams Bldg.
Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74004

**RE: GROUND WATER ABATEMENT PLAN (AP-15)
EAST HOBBS JUNCTION
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

Dear Mr. Walker:

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (OCD) has reviewed Phillips Pipeline Company's (PPL) September 15, 1999 "GROUND WATER ABATEMENT PLAN, EAST HOBBS JUNCTION LEAK SITE, PHILLIPS PIPE LINE COMPANY". This document contains PPL's Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal for investigating soil and ground water contamination resulting from a crude oil spill at PPL's East Hobbs Junction Line leak site in Unit N, Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

The OCD has determined that the above referenced Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal is administratively complete. Before the OCD can complete a review of the Stage 1 proposal, the OCD requires that:

1. PPL issue by November 10, 1999 the attached public notice of the Stage 1 proposal in the Albuquerque Journal, Hobbs News-Sun and the Lovington Daily Leader pursuant to OCD Rule 19.G.(2).
2. Prior to issuing the public notice, PPL shall issue written notice of the Stage 1 proposal pursuant to OCD Rule 19.G.(1). Enclosed you will find a 3.5" disk containing a "WordPerfect" listing of "those persons, as identified by the Director, who have requested notification" pursuant to OCD Rule 19.G.(1).(d) and the contact for the New Mexico Trustee for Natural Resources.

Please provide the OCD with proof of notice as soon as possible upon completing issuance of the written and public notice.

If you have any questions, please contact Bill Olson of my staff at (505) 827-7154.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Roger C. Anderson".

Roger C. Anderson
Environmental Bureau Chief

cc: Chris Williams, OCD Hobbs District Office

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

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

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Regulations, the following Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal has been submitted to the Director of the Oil Conservation Division, 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, Telephone (505) 827-7131.

Phillips Pipe Line Company, Anthony C. Walker, Project Manager, Telephone (918) 661-3557, 3B11 Adams Bldg., Bartlesville, Oklahoma 79702, has submitted a Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal for the East Hobbs Junction Leak Site, located south of Hobbs, New Mexico in Unit N of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Phillips Pipe Line Company operates a crude oil pipeline at the site. Phase-separated hydrocarbons (PSH) have been observed on the ground water. The Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal presents the following subsurface investigation activities: determine site geology and hydrogeology; conduct a registered water well search within a 1 mile radius of the site; install monitoring wells; collect soil samples for field screening and/or laboratory analysis from each boring; collect ground water samples for laboratory analysis from each monitoring well; obtain depth to ground water measurements and calculate the ground water gradient and direction; survey all well locations by a professional land surveyor registered in the State of New Mexico; and prepare a report summarizing field activities and laboratory results.

Any interested person may obtain further information from the Oil Conservation Division and may submit written comments to the Director of the Oil Conservation Division at the address given above. The Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal may be viewed at the above address or at the Oil Conservation Division Hobbs District Office, 1625 N. French Drive, Hobbs, New Mexico 88240, Telephone (505) 393-6161 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Prior to ruling on any proposed Stage 1 Abatement Plan Proposal, the Director of the Oil Conservation Division shall allow at least thirty (30) days after the date of publication of this notice during which written comments may be submitted.



May 4, 1999

**Spill Update
West Texas Area - New Mexico
Phillips Pipe Line Company**

Mr. Roger Anderson
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
2040 S. Pacheco St.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Dear Mr. Anderson:

This letter serves to update the status of a release that occurred on March 23, 1999. In the initial C-141 report, Phillips Pipe Line Company stated that the vertical extent had not yet been determined. Upon further investigation, PPL has determined that groundwater has been impacted at this leak site. PPL reported this observation verbally to Roger Anderson on April 28, 1999.

Three permanent monitoring wells have been installed. An abatement plan will follow upon request from the NMOCD.

If you need more information regarding this notification, please contact me at 918-661-3557.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Anthony C. Walker". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

Anthony "Tony" C. Walker
Phillips Pipe Line Company
Staff Environmental Representative
3 B11 Adams Building

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