



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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April 4, 1995

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Northwest Pipeline Corporation  
c/o Walsh Engineering & Production Corp.  
7415 East Main  
Farmington, New Mexico 87402

Attention: Paul C. Thompson, P.E.

*Administrative Order NSL-3511(NSP)*

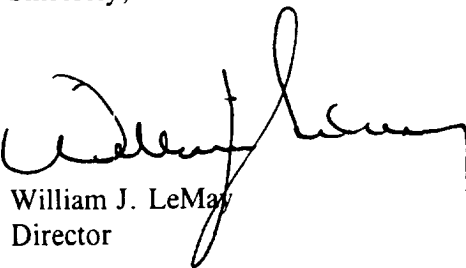
Dear Mr. Thompson:

Reference is made to your application dated March 24, 1995 on behalf of the operator, Northwest Pipeline Corporation, for an unorthodox gas well location in the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool for the proposed Rosa Unit Well No. 72. Said well to be drilled 2315 feet from the South line and 620 feet from the East line (Unit I) of Section 6, Township 31 North, Range 5 West, NMPM, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.

All of said irregular Section 6 being a non-standard 264.56-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool is to be dedicated to said well.

By the authority granted me under the provisions of Rules 2(a)4 and 2(c) of the "*General Rules for the Prorated Gas Pools of New Mexico/Special Rules and Regulations for the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool*", as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8170, as amended, the above-described unorthodox gas well location and non-standard gas spacing and proration unit are hereby approved.

Sincerely,



William J. LeMay  
Director

WJL/MES/kv

cc: Oil Conservation Division - Aztec  
U. S. Bureau of Land Management

## **Ernie Busch**

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**From:** Ernie Busch  
**To:** Mike Stogner  
**Subject:** WALSH ENG & PROD CORP (NSL)  
**Date:** Thursday, April 20, 1995 10:49AM  
**Priority:** High

ROSA UNIT #72  
2315' FSL ; 620' FEL  
I-06-31N-05W  
RECOMMEND: APPROVAL

**WALSH**

ENGINEERING &amp; PRODUCTION CORP.

Petroleum Engineering Consulting  
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Farmington, New Mexico 87402  
(505) 327-4892

March 27, 1995

Mr. William J. LeMay  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division  
P.O. Box 2088  
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Re: Non-Standard Location  
Northwest Pipeline Corporation  
Rosa Unit #72  
2315' FSL, 620' FEL  
Section 6, T31N R5W  
Rio Arriba, NM  
Blanco Mesa Verde

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Dear Mr. LeMay,

This is a request on behalf of Northwest Pipeline Corporation for administrative approval for a non-standard gas location in the Blanco Mesa Verde pool for the referenced well.

At the request of the Bureau of Land Management, the surface owner, this well has been located to utilize part of an existing well pad. An alternate location was staked on a ridge in the southeast part of this section. The alternate location was located in a heavily wooded area which is prime habitat for deer and elk. The alternate location would also have required approximately 1500' of new road and pipeline right-of-way up a relatively steep hillside that would have been near several archaeological sites.

The proposed spacing unit is all of Section 6, T31N, R5W, which is 264.60 acres due to a variation in the legal subdivision of the U.S. Public Land Surveys.

As the Unit Operator of the Rosa Unit, Northwest Pipeline is the only offset operator. Attached is a plat indicating the well location and proposed spacing unit and a topographical map of the area.



Thank you for your consideration and approval of this application. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call upon me.

Sincerely,

*Paul C. Thompson*

Paul C. Thompson, P.E.  
President, Walsh Engineering

cc: Mark McCallister, WPC  
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BLM Farmington NM

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Revised February 21, 1994  
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Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Copies  
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☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number		Well Code 72319		Well Name BLANCO MESA VERDE	
Property Code 008480		Property Name Rosa Unit			Well Number 72
OGRID No. 16189		Operator Name Northwest Pipeline Production			Elevation 6335'

10 Surface Location

UL or lot no. I	Section 6	Township 31 N	Range 5 W	Lot Ida	Feet from the 2315'	North/South line South	Feet from the 620	East/West line East	County R.A.
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11 Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Ida	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
Dedicated Acres 264.60		Joint or Infill		Consolidation Code U		Order No.			

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

<div>16</div> <div>16</div>	<div>17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</div> <p>I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief</p> <p><i>Paul C. Thompson</i> Signature Paul C. Thompson, PE (AGENT) Printed Name President Walsh Engr. &amp; Prod. Corp. Title 3/28/95 Date</p>
	<div>18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</div> <p>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.</p> <p>3-15-95 Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor <i>HERB C. EDWARDS</i> 8837 8857 Certificate Number</p>

