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plicant: XTO Permian				lumber: <u>373075</u>
ell Name:Big Eddy Uni	t 36 Lagoon State SWD 1		API: To be	
OI: Devonian; SWD (96101)			Pool Coo	de:
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**RESOURCES DEPARTMENT** 

ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL

Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

FORM C-108 <sup>2</sup> of 22	
Revised June 10, 2003	

	APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT
I.	PURPOSE:       Secondary Recovery       Pressure Maintenance       XX       Disposal       Storage         Application qualifies for administrative approval?       XX       Yes       No       Storage
II.	OPERATOR: XTO Permian Operator LLC
	ADDRESS: 6401 Holiday Hill Rd Bldg #5, Midland, TX 79707
	CONTACT PARTY: Cassie Evans, Regulatory Analyst PHONE: 432.218.3671
III.	WELL DATA: Complete the data required on the reverse side of this form for each well proposed for injection. Additional sheets may be attached if necessary.
IV.	Is this an expansion of an existing project?YesNo If yes, give the Division order number authorizing the project:
V.	Attach a map that identifies all wells and leases within two miles of any proposed injection well with a one-half mile radius circle drawn around each proposed injection well. This circle identifies the well's area of review.
VI.	Attach a tabulation of data on all wells of public record within the area of review which penetrate the proposed injection zone. Such data shall include a description of each well's type, construction, date drilled, location, depth, record of completion, and a schematic of any plugged well illustrating all plugging detail.
VII.	Attach data on the proposed operation, including:
*VIII	<ol> <li>Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected;</li> <li>Whether the system is open or closed;</li> <li>Proposed average and maximum injection pressure;</li> <li>Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; and,</li> <li>If injection is for disposal purposes into a zone not productive of oil or gas at or within one mile of the proposed well, attach a chemical analysis of the disposal zone formation water (may be measured or inferred from existing literature, studies, nearby wells, etc.).</li> <li>Attach appropriate geologic data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geologic name, thickness, and depth. Give the geologic name, and depth to bottom of all underground sources of drinking water (aquifers containing waters with total</li> </ol>
	dissolved solids concentrations of 10,000 mg/l or less) overlying the proposed injection zone as well as any such sources known to be immediately underlying the injection interval.
IX.	Describe the proposed stimulation program, if any.
*X.	Attach appropriate logging and test data on the well. (If well logs have been filed with the Division, they need not be resubmitted).
*XI.	Attach a chemical analysis of fresh water from two or more fresh water wells (if available and producing) within one mile of any injection or disposal well showing location of wells and dates samples were taken.
XII.	Applicants for disposal wells must make an affirmative statement that they have examined available geologic and engineering data and find no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground sources of drinking water.
XIII.	Applicants must complete the "Proof of Notice" section on the reverse side of this form.
XIV.	Certification: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
	NAME: Cassie Evans TITLE: Regulatory Analyst
	SIGNATURE: Case Wang DATE: January 03, 2020
	E-MAIL ADDRESS: <u>Cassie_evans@xtoenergy.com</u> If the information required under Sections VI, VIII, X, and XI above has been previously submitted, it need not be resubmitted. Please show the date and circumstances of the earlier submittal:

DISTRIBUTION: Original and one copy to Santa Fe with one copy to the appropriate District Office

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### III. WELL DATA

- A. The following well data must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. The data must be both in tabular and schematic form and shall include:
  - (1) Lease name; Well No.; Location by Section, Township and Range; and footage location within the section.
  - (2) Each casing string used with its size, setting depth, sacks of cement used, hole size, top of cement, and how such top was determined.
  - (3) A description of the tubing to be used including its size, lining material, and setting depth.
  - (4) The name, model, and setting depth of the packer used or a description of any other seal system or assembly used.

Division District Offices have supplies of Well Data Sheets which may be used or which may be used as models for this purpose. Applicants for several identical wells may submit a "typical data sheet" rather than submitting the data for each well.

- B. The following must be submitted for each injection well covered by this application. All items must be addressed for the initial well. Responses for additional wells need be shown only when different. Information shown on schematics need not be repeated.
  - (1) The name of the injection formation and, if applicable, the field or pool name.
  - (2) The injection interval and whether it is perforated or open-hole.
  - (3) State if the well was drilled for injection or, if not, the original purpose of the well.
  - (4) Give the depths of any other perforated intervals and detail on the sacks of cement or bridge plugs used to seal off such perforations.
  - (5) Give the depth to and the name of the next higher and next lower oil or gas zone in the area of the well, if any.

### XIV. PROOF OF NOTICE

All applicants must furnish proof that a copy of the application has been furnished, by certified or registered mail, to the owner of the surface of the land on which the well is to be located and to each leasehold operator within one-half mile of the well location.

Where an application is subject to administrative approval, a proof of publication must be submitted. Such proof shall consist of a copy of the legal advertisement which was published in the county in which the well is located. The contents of such advertisement must include:

- (1) The name, address, phone number, and contact party for the applicant;
- (2) The intended purpose of the injection well; with the exact location of single wells or the Section, Township, and Range location of multiple wells;
- (3) The formation name and depth with expected maximum injection rates and pressures; and,

(4) A notation that interested parties must file objections or requests for hearing with the Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within 15 days.

### NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN ON THE APPLICATION UNTIL PROPER PROOF OF NOTICE HAS BEEN SUBMITTED.

NOTICE: Surface owners or offset operators must file any objections or requests for hearing of administrative applications within 15 days from the date this application was mailed to them.

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(Per	14020'		Total Depth: 14,020	Top of Cement: 9700'	Cemented with: 630	Hole Size: 8 1/2"		Top of Cement: Surf	Cemented with: 2975	Hole Size: 121/4"		Top of Cement: Suf	1	Hole Size: 17 1/2"		P UNIT LETTER			INJECTION WELL DATA SHEET
orated or Open Ho	feet	Injection Interval			SX.		Production Casing		SX.		Intermediate Casing		SX.	I	WELL CONSTR Surface Casing	36 SECTION			
(Perforated or Open Hole; indicate which)	to15000'	<u>nterval</u>		Method Determined:	or	Casing Size: 7"	Casing	Method Determined:	or	Casing Size: 95/8"	e Casing	Method Determined:	or	Casing Size: 13 3/8"	WELL CONSTRUCTION DATA Surface Casing	21S TOWNSHIP			
	Open Hole			Circ	   ft <sup>3</sup>			circ	ft <sup>3</sup>			Circ	ft <sup>3</sup>	8		28E RANGE			

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Lower: None Known

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		BEU	posed SWD	Schematic (D	ec 14, 2019	))	
	C	ounty: Eddy SHL: 312' FSL, 683' FEL		/			
		Sec 36, T 21S, R 28E	2	СТС			
				ENERG	Y	API#	N/A
		BHL: 312' FSecL, 683' FEL Sec 36, T 21S, R 28E				Elevation Rig:	GL 3224', KB 3256' (32' AGL) TBD (RKB 32')
	Geology	Casing & Cement		Wellhead		Hole Size	General Notes
TVD	Formation		(Te	ach Data Shee	t)		
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196'	Rustler		and the second second				
		Tail (100% OH excess)			818		
		565 sx 14.8ppg Class C					
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		18-5/8" 87.5# J-55 BTC		240' MD			
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299	Top Salt	Lead (150% OH excess) 1835 sx 12.8ppg Poz/C					
		Top of Lead @ 0	1.1				
		Tal (100% OH average)	-		1		
		Tail (100% OH excess) 620 sx 14.8ppg Class C			6.2		
0.404	D	Top of Tail @ 2100'					
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11,309'	Strawn	630 sx 14.5ppg Poz/H Top of Tail @ 9700'	-		10		
11,539'	Atoka						
11,971'							
13.500'	Mississippian Lm						
13,791'	Woodford						
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15,000'	TVD at BHL	Open hole completion					
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				15,000' TVD			
				Approvals			
ared by:				Peer Rev	iewed by:		Date

- < Map Attached Attach a map that identifies all wells and leases within two miles of any proposed injection well with a one-half mile radius circle drawn around each proposed injection well
- ۷I. There are no wells penetrating the proposed injection zone within the one mile area of review type, construction, date drilled, location, depth, record of completion, and a schematic of any plugged well illustrating all plugging detail. Attach a tabulation of data on all wells of public record within the area of review which penetrate the proposed injection zone. Such data shall include a description of each well's
- VII. Attach data on the proposed operation, including
- 2 :-Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected; Avg rate 20,000, max rate 40,000 bbls.
- Whether the system is open or closed; Closed
- ယ Proposed average and maximum injection pressure; Avg psi 2,000, max psi is 2,804
- 4 Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; Well will be part of a multi-well SWD system taking Permian waters. The majority of the produced water will come from Delaware, Bone Spring and Wolfcamp formations with minor amounts from Atoka and Morrow. An analysis of water to be disposed is attached.
- $\mathbf{S}$ If injection is for disposal purposes into a zone not productive of oil or gas at or within one mile of the proposed well, attach a chemical analysis of the disposal zone formation water (may be measured or inferred from existing literature, studies, nearby wells, etc.). There is no disposal well within a 1 mile radius of the proposed well
- \*VIII. Attach appropriate geologic data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geologic name, thickness, and depth. Give the geologic name, and depth to bottom as well as any such sources known to be immediately underlying the injection interval: of all underground sources of drinking water (aquifers containing waters with total dissolved solids concentrations of 10,000 mg/l or less) overlying the proposed injection zone

Depth: Geological Name: Thickness: Lithologic Detail: Devonian (Silurian-Devonian) **Carbonates** (Dolomite and Limestone) Est. 1007' Est. 14002' to 15009' (includes 100' buffer)

Mexico Office of the State Engineer website, there were no water wells within a mile and half radius fresh water throughout this geographic area, but it is not likely of drinking water quality (TDS of 10,000 mg/L or less). Based on a water well search on the New Rustler Anhydrite is estimated to be at approximately 196 feet below the surface in this BEU 36 Lagoon State SWD 1 well. These Dewey Lake Red Beds may contain The Dewey Lake Red Beds consisting of alluvial sandstones, siltstones, and shales are present from the surface to the top of the Rustler Anhydrite. The top of the

Based on published maps, the Capitan Reef Aquifer is not present in this area

No sources of fresh water are known to exist below the proposed disposal zone

Describe the proposed stimulation program, if any. Acid Stimulate with approximately 5,000 gallons of 15% NEFE HCL acid

- ×\* Attach appropriate logging and test data on the well. (If well logs have been filed with the Division, they need not be resubmitted) Logs will be submitted with completion papers when well is drilled, but prior to disposal.
- \*XI. wells and dates samples were taken. Attach a chemical analysis of fresh water from two or more fresh water wells (if available and producing) within one mile of any injection or disposal well showing location of
- According to the New Mexico Office of State Engineering database there are no water well within a 1 mile radius of the proposed well
- XII. Applicants for disposal wells must make an affirmative statement that they have examined available geologic and engineering data and find no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground sources of drinking water. (See attached affidavit)

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New Mexico, Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Geology Statement per Question XII on the Application for Authorization to Inject Form C-108 for

XTO Energy Inc., an ExxonMobil subsidiary

Big Eddy Unit 36 Lagoon State SWD 1,

Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 28 East,

Eddy County, New Mexico

To whom it may concern:

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XTO Energy, Inc., an ExxonMobil subsidiary, has examined available geological data at the abovementioned well located at 312 feet from the south line and 683 feet from the east line of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico; and finds no evidence of open faults or other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and the near surface underground sources of drinking water.

YTO Energy Inc., an ExxonMobil subsidiary Jeitneiceos INN Matthew W. Kearney, P.G. 030 KEARNEY Respectively Submitted,

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### Big Eddy Unit 36 Lagoon State SWD 1 Eddy County, New Mexico



### Big Eddy Unit 36 Lagoon State SWD 1 Eddy County, New Mexico



NON-PRODUCING OTHER wellbore Well Status Name State Lease GAS O CO2 Federal Lease two mile buffer HULTI OIL AND GAS PRODUCER BLM active unit • OIL X OIL AND GAS PRODUCER THE CAS PRODUCER MULTIPLE DIL PRODUCER
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& DRY STORAGE ф свм WATER SUPPLY WELL WELL START

known operators in buffer BASS ENTRPRS PROD CO BASS PERRY R BOPCO LP CHEVRON U S A INC GULF OIL CORP HUDSON WM A&HUDSON E

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### Big Eddy Unit 36 Lagoon State SWD 1 Eddy County, New Mexico



vater well -location -surface declaration -surface permit Stale Lease Federal Lease one mile buffer BLM Active Unit -

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### **Complete Water Analysis Report**

Region: Carlsbad, NM San San	ble Point: Inlet Receive Date: 06/21/2018
	ile iD: AL07042 Report Date: 06/25/2018
System: Production System Acc	Rep Email: Anthony.Baeza@ecolab.com Location Code: 373826

Field Analysis										
Bicarbonate	<b>12</b> mg/L	Dissolved CO2	350 mg/L	Dissolved H2S	<b>9</b> mg/L					
Pressure Surface	<b>20</b> psi	Temperature	98 ° F	pH of Water	6.1					
Oil per Day	<b>0</b> B/D	Gas per Day	0 Mcf/D	Water per Day	6500 B/D					

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Calculated Gase	Calculated Gaseous CO2 0.12% Calculated pH 6.10 Conductivity (Calculated) 437728 µS - cm3												
Ionic Strength	5.	82	Resistivity	0.0	23 ohms - m	Specific Gravity	1.2	00					
Total Dissolved 5	Solids <b>28016</b>	9.9 mg/L											
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Iron	15.7	mg/L	Manganese	8.03	mg/L	Barium	3.97	mg/L					
Strontium	1480	mg/L	Calcium	27900	mg/L	Magnesium	4440	mg/L					
Sodium	71900.00	mg/L	Potassium	1800	mg/L	Boron	28.7	mg/L					
Lithium	10.8	mg/L	Copper	0.01	mg/L	Nickel	0.055	mg/L					
Zinc	0.138	mg/L	Lead	0.033	mg/L	Cobalt	0.053	mg/L					
Chromium	0.003	mg/L	Silicon	3.02	mg/L	Aluminum	Not Detected	mg/L					
Molybdenum	0.023	mg/L	Phosphorus	Not Detected	mg/L								
	1000	80.0		Anions			N WERM	012-1221					
Bromide	1832.85	mg/L	Chloride	174225	mg/L	Sulfate	184.663	mg/L					

			PTB	Valu	е					Saturation Index					
	Barite PTB	Calcite PTB	Celestite PTB	Gypsum PTB	Halite PTB	iron Carbonate PTB	Iron Sulfide PTB		Barite Si	Calcite Si	Celestite SI	Gypsum SI	Hallte SI	Iron Carbonate SI	iron Sulfide Si
50°	2.13	0.13	89.54	31.55	0.00	0.00	2.08	50°	1.01	0.05	0.6D	0.14	-0.26	-1.89	1.55
75°	1 79	0.00	70.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.75	75°	0.62	-0.14	0.40	-0.03	-0.29	-1.96	1.16
100°	1.19	0.00	54.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.42	100°	0.31	-0.30	0.28	-0.13	-0.31	-2.03	0.85
125°	0.28	0.00	43.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.11	125°	0.05	-0.44	0.20	-0.19	-0.33	-2.09	0.62
150°	0.00	0.00	35.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.86	150°	-0.15	-0.55	0.16	-0.24	-0.35	-2.14	0.45
175°	0.00	0.00	31.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.66	175°	-0.33	-0.64	0.14	-0.29	-0.37	-2.18	0.34
200°	0.00	0.00	29.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.53	200°	-0.48	-0.70	0.14	-0.35	-0.39	-2.22	0.26
225°	0.00	0.00	28.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.45	225°	-0.61	-0.75	0.12	-0.41	-0.41	-2.26	0.22
250°	0.00	0.00	27.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.41	250°	-0.72	-0.78	0.12	-0.48	-0.43	-2.30	0.20
275°	0.00	0.00	27.18	0.00	0.00 <sub>1</sub>	0.00	0.41	275°	-0.83	-0.80	0.12	+0.55	-0.45	-2.35	0.20
300°	0.00	0.00	26.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.43	300°	-0.93	-0.81	0.12	-0.60	-0.47	-2.40	0.20
325°	0.00	0.00	26 54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.46	325°	-1.04	-0.82	0.12	-0.63	-0.49	-2.47	0.21
350°	0.00	0.00	26.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.48	350°	-1.14	-0.83	0.11	-0.60	-0.51	-2.56	0.22
375°	0.00	0.00	26.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.47	375°	-1.25	-0.86	0.11	-0.51	-0.52	-2.67	0.21
400°	0.00	0.00	25.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.14	400°	-1.37	0.00	0.11	-0.33	-0.53	0.00	0.48

Scaling predictions calculated using Scale Soft Pitzer 2017

Scaling predictions dependent on provided field data. Incomplete/partial field data may impact results generated by scaling software.

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### **Complete Water Analysis Report**

Customer: XTO ENERGY INC Region: Carlsbad, NM Location: James Ranch Unit 29 Federal Lease System: Production System Equipment: SWD Sample Point: Inlet

Sample Point: Inlet Sample ID: AL07042 Collection Date: 06/12/2018 Receive Date: 06/21/2018 Report Date: 06/25/2018 Location Code: 373826



Scaling predictions calculated using Scale Soft Pitzer 2017

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### Statements Regarding Seismicity

XTO has performed a seismicity risk assessment associated with the proposed Big Eddy Unit Lagoon Federal SWD 1 Well by investigating historic seismicity, the presence of deep faulting, orientation of faults relative to the current stress regime and the potential for pore pressure build up that might cause a fault to slip. The analysis was done utilizing Stanford's Fault Slip Potential Tool version 2.0 (FSP; Walsh et al. 2017). To accommodate the tool's analytics, a simplified spatial relationship between the proposed well and possible faulting was established.

As part of our risk assessment we also consider mitigation options to address inherent uncertainties associated with the evaluation of possible seismicity. XTO has developed and will implement, as a precautionary measure, a seismicity monitoring plan to address the inherent uncertainty in the subsurface characterization, future rates of disposal and reservoir response.

A summary of the evaluation and seismicity monitoring plan follows:

### **Historic Seismicity**

There are no seismic events reported by the USGS within ~6 miles of the proposed well. There is 1 event within ~6 miles recorded by New Mexico Tech (Figure 1).

### Deep Faulting

Utilizing licensed 3D seismic data in the area of the proposed SWD well, XTO has evaluated several faults and/or linear features. Additionally, there are several seismic discontinuities that are interpreted as karst features in the Devonian section that do not appear to have significant lateral continuity.

### Stress Regime

Utilizing data and analysis from Snee and Zoback, 'State of Stress in the Permian Basin, Texas and New Mexico: Implications for Induced Seismicity' (Feb 2018, The Leading Edge) the region of the proposed well is primarily a normal faulting regime (Figure 1).

### Geomechanical Modeling

A simple screening level geometric / geomechanical assessment of the faults was performed utilizing the FSP tool. The models were run using the Aphi option which makes a simplifying and conservative assumption that faults are critically stressed and thus close to failure. Additionally, given the uncertainties in the geophysical interpretation and stress information, probabilistic scenarios were run using two Hmax orientations and associated uncertainties as well as varying fault characteristics. FSP model deterministic and uncertainty inputs and results of the modeling are shown in Figure 2

### Pore Pressure Modeling

A screening level investigation of possible pore pressure increases due to the proposed SWD well was performed utilizing the FSP tool and a range of reservoir parameters. For this screening level analysis a 'high-side', flat rate model was run assuming disposal of 40,000 BWPD beginning in 2019 and continuing at that rate until 2040. Sensitivities were performed by varying several reservoir parameters. Deterministic models, snap shots of the calculated pore pressure increases

in 2025 and 2040 and cross-plots of pore pressure uncertainty analysis and fault slip probabilities are shown in Figure 3.

### Integration of Geomechanical and Pore Pressure Modeling

Integration of the geomechanical and hydrological elements of the assessment was performed using the FSP Integrated module. The results are shown in Figure 4. Note the y-axis in the lower right hand colored graphs in Figure 4 are labeled 'Fault Slip Potential'. This is a labeling convention within the tool but overstates the efficacy of the analysis. The FSP output should not be taken as calculating a reliable probability of a fault slipping but rather a screening method for assessing the relative potential of faults to slip.

### Uncertainty

The analysis presented is a screening level approach that encompasses a range of uncertainties in several components that are difficult to individually constrain due to the limited static and dynamic data available for deep disposal wells. Accordingly, the analysis was done by varying key inputs to understand the relative importance of each and guide the focus of future data collection efforts.

### Monitoring Plan

To manage the inherent uncertainty, XTO has contracted with a third party to provide seismicity monitoring using public seismometers augmented by a private array in the area of the proposed well. This will allow for a better determination of baseline seismicity as well as early detection should there be anomalous events. Additionally, XTO will monitor disposal zone reservoir pressure for a minimum period of five years to better constrain reservoir properties and pore pressure increase (if any). Upon request, XTO will share the results of this work with the EMNRD's UIC staff.

Tim Tyrrell XTO Geoscience Technical Manager



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Figure 3



# BEU Lagoon Federal SWD 1 – Pore Pressure Analysis

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### December 27, 2019

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Subscribed and sworn before me this December 27,

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### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR WATER DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

XTO Permian Operating, LLC has applied to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division for a permit to dispose of pro-duced water into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

or gas. The applicant proposes to dispose of produced water into the **Big Eddy Unit 36 Lagoon State SWD** #1 (Siluriam-Devonian and Fusselman Formations). The maximum injec-tion pressure will be 2,804 psi and the maximum rate will be 40,000 bbls. produced water per day. The proposed disposal well is located approximately 11.5 miles East of Carlsbad, New Mexico in Section 36, T21S, R28E, 312' FSL & 683' FEL, Eddy County, New Mexico. The produced water will be dis-posed at a subsurface depth of 14,020'-15,000'. Any questions concerning this application should be direct-ed to Cassie Evans, Regulatory Analyst XTO Permian Operat-ing, LLC, 6401 Holiday Hill Rd, Bldg 5, Midland, Texas 79707, (432) 218-3671. Interested parties must file objections or requests for hear-

Interested parties must file objections or requests for hear-ing with the Oil Conservation Division, 1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505 within 15 days. 3966564, Current-Argus, December 27, 2019

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I, Cassie Evans, do hereby certify the surface owner and offset leaseholder operator for the well shown were furnished a copy of XTO Permian Operating LLC's application for salt water disposal, Signed:

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Title: Date: Cassie Evans Regulatory Analyst 2-Jan-20