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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 - Geological & Engineering Bureau -
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505

**ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND
 REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Applicant: Matador Production Company
Well Name: Tim Parker 18-16S-37E State #1
Pool: Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast

OGRID Number: 228937
API: 30-025-51530
Pool Code: 40760

**SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION
 INDICATED BELOW**

1) TYPE OF APPLICATION: Check those which apply for [A]

A. Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication

☒ NSL☐ NSP (PROJECT AREA)☐ NSP (PRORATION UNIT)☐ SD

B. Check one only for [I] or [II]

[I] Commingling - Storage - Measurement

☐ DHC☐ CTB☐ PLC☐ PC☐ OLS☐ OLM

[II] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery

☐ WFX☐ PMX☐ SWD☐ IPI☐ EOR☐ PPR**2) NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** Check those which apply.A. ☐ Offset operators or lease holdersB. ☐ Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue ownersC. ☐ Application requires published noticeD. ☒ Notification and/or concurrent approval by SLOE. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by BLMF. ☐ Surface ownerG. ☒ For all of the above, proof of notification or publication is attached, and/or,H. ☐ No notice required**FOR OCD ONLY**☐ Notice Complete☐ Application
Content
Complete

3) CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Kyle Perkins

Print or Type Name

Date

6/23/23

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Signature

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Vice President and Assistant General Counsel

June 23, 2023

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL/RRR

TO AFFECTED PARTIES

Re: Application for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Location for Matador's Tim Parker 18-16S-37E State #1 (API 30-025-51530) – Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast (Pool Code 40760).

To Whom It May Concern,

Enclosed is a copy of the above-referenced application that was filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division on this date. Any objection to this application must be filed in writing within twenty days from this date with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. If no objection is received within this twenty-day period, this application may be approved administratively by the Division.

If you have any questions about this application, please give me a call at your convenience.

Sincerely,



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June 23, 2023

VIA ONLINE FILING

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Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Application for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Location for Matador's Tim Parker 18-16S-37E State #1 (API 30-025-51530) – Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast (Pool Code 40760).

Dear Mr. Lowe,

Matador Production Company respectfully requests administrative approval of a non-standard location for our Tim Parker 18-16S-37E State #1 (API 30-025-51530), to be completed in the Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast (Pool Code 40760).

Matador's Tim Parker 18-16S-37E #1 State (API 30-025-51530) is a directional well to be completed only at the bottom hole location. The special pool rules for the Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast (Pool Code 40760) were originally created in Division Order R-3816. Pursuant to those special pool rules:

- a. Each well shall be located on a standard unit containing 80 acres, more or less, consisting of the N/2, S/2, E/2 or W/2 of a governmental quarter section; and
- b. Each well shall be located within 150 feet of the center of a governmental quarter-quarter section or lot.

As set forth below, the proposed bottom hole is located outside 150 feet of the center of the subject governmental quarter-quarter section; however, the only tract in which it is otherwise encroaching is the other quarter-quarter section within its designated 80-acre spacing unit. It was Matador's understanding that being closer to this interior unit line would not require approval of a non-standard location. However, the conditions of approval for the approved drilling permit listed

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a requirement of obtaining an administrative order for a non-standard location before producing the well, so Matador is filing this application to comply with that condition of approval.

1. Well name: Tim Parker 18-16S-37E State #1 (API 30-025-51530)
2. Pool: Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast (Pool Code 40760)
3. Spacing Unit: E/2 NE/4 of Section 18, Township 16 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

This is a standard spacing unit in this pool pursuant to Division Order R-3816. A copy of a form C102 for the well is enclosed. The well will be the first well drilled in this spacing unit.

4. Acreage in Spacing Unit: 80 acres.
5. Directional Well Location:
 - a. Directional Well Surface Location: 1,166' FNL, 440 FEL of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico.
 - b. Directional Well Bottom Hole Location: 1,236' FNL, 621' FEL of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico.
 - c. Directional Well's Completed Interval: The well's entire completed interval will be located at the bottom hole location; specifically, 1,236' FNL, 621' FEL of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico.
6. Matador requests this non-standard location because it will allow for the most efficient development of this acreage, thereby preventing waste. Specifically, as set forth in the attached letter from Matador's Vice President of Geology, 3D seismic has revealed discrete reservoirs within the Strawn formation in this area, including the discrete reservoir Matador is targeting with this proposed well. Matador's proposed bottom hole location—1,236' FNL, 621' FEL of Section 18, T16S, R37E—is located where Matador believes it can most efficiently drain the discrete reservoir identified on this acreage. Matador does not believe it can efficiently drain this reservoir from a standard location within 150 feet of the center of a quarter-quarter section, and believes that attempting to do so would leave significant production volumes in place and result in waste. Accordingly, the granting of Matador's application would prevent this waste and lead to the most efficient development of this acreage.
7. The well is in an oil pool and we anticipate the well will produce both oil and gas.

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8. Pursuant to NMAC 19.15.4.12(B)(a), the affected persons in this circumstance are those located in the adjoining quarter section because the spacing unit that is the subject of this application is greater than 40 acres under the special pool rules. Accordingly, the area of encroachment is the W/2 NE/4 and SE/4 NE/4 of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico.

The W/2 NE/4 and SE/4 NE/4 of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico is State acreage that is leased. Matador's affiliate, Greyhound Resources, LLC, owns 100% of the working interest in that State lease and thus owns 100% of the working interest in the entirety of the W/2 NE/4 and SE/4 NE/4 of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico.

Attached hereto is a signed statement from Greyhound Resources, LLC acknowledging receipt of this application and waiving any protest to this application. Matador will also mail a copy of this application to the New Mexico State Land Office, as shown on the enclosed exhibits.

If you would like any additional information regarding this application, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Kyle Perkins

Matador Production Company

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Andrew Parker
Vice President of Geology

June 21, 2023

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Re: Application for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Location for Matador's Tim Parker 18-16S-37E #1 (API 30-025-51530) – Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast (Pool Code 40760).

Dear Mr. Lowe,

I am writing in support of Matador Production Company's application for approval of a non-standard location for our Tim Parker 18-16S-37E #1 (API 30-025-51530), to be completed in the Lovington; Upper Penn, Northeast (Pool Code 40760).

Matador has access to 3D seismic data covering the Strawn formation on this acreage. Based on our interpretation of that 3D seismic data, we have found that there are discrete reservoirs within the Strawn formation in this area, including the discrete reservoir Matador is targeting with this proposed well. Matador's proposed bottom hole location—1,236' FNL, 621' FEL of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico—is located where we believe we can most efficiently drain the reservoir we have identified on this acreage. We do not believe we can efficiently drain this reservoir from a standard location within 150 feet of the center of a quarter-quarter section, and we believe that attempting to do so would leave significant production volumes in place and result in waste. The granting of Matador's application would prevent this waste and lead to the most efficient development of this acreage.

Sincerely,



Andrew Parker

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Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
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Form C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number	Pool Code 40760	Pool Name Louington; Upper Penn, Northeast
Property Code	Property Name TIM PARKER 18-16S-37E STATE	Well Number 1
OGRID No. 228937	Operator Name MATADOR PRODUCTION COMPANY	Elevation 3855.1'

Surface Location

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
A	18	16-S	37-E		1166	NORTH	440	EAST	LEA

Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
A	18	16-S	37-E		1236	NORTH	621	EAST	LEA
Dedicated Acres 80	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	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**

<p>NAD 83 NME <u>SURFACE LOCATION</u> Y=702292.2 N X=863822.2 E LAT.=32.926195° N LONG.=103.282342° W</p>	<p>NAD 27 NME <u>SURFACE LOCATION</u> Y=702228.2 N X=822644.5 E LAT.=32.926077° N LONG.=103.281846° W</p>	<p>NAD 83 NME GRID AZ. - 248°33'46" HORZ. DIST. - 193.9' NAD 27 NME GRID AZ. - 248°33'44" HORZ. DIST. - 193.9'</p>		<p>OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.</p> <p><i>Reece Clark</i> 5/15/23 Signature Date Reece Clark Printed Name reece.clark@matadorenergy.com E-mail Address</p>
<p>NAD 83 NME <u>PROPOSED BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION</u> Y=702221.3 N X=863641.7 E LAT.=32.926005° N LONG.=103.282933° W</p>	<p>NAD 27 NME <u>PROPOSED BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION</u> Y=702157.3 N X=822464.0 E LAT.=32.925887° N LONG.=103.282436° W</p>	<p>DEDICATED ACRES 80</p>		<p>SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION 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>APRIL 27, 2023 Date of Survey</p> <p>Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor Chad L. Harcrow 5/5/23 Certificate No. CHAD HARCROW 17777 W.O. # 23-351 DRAWN BY: WN</p>

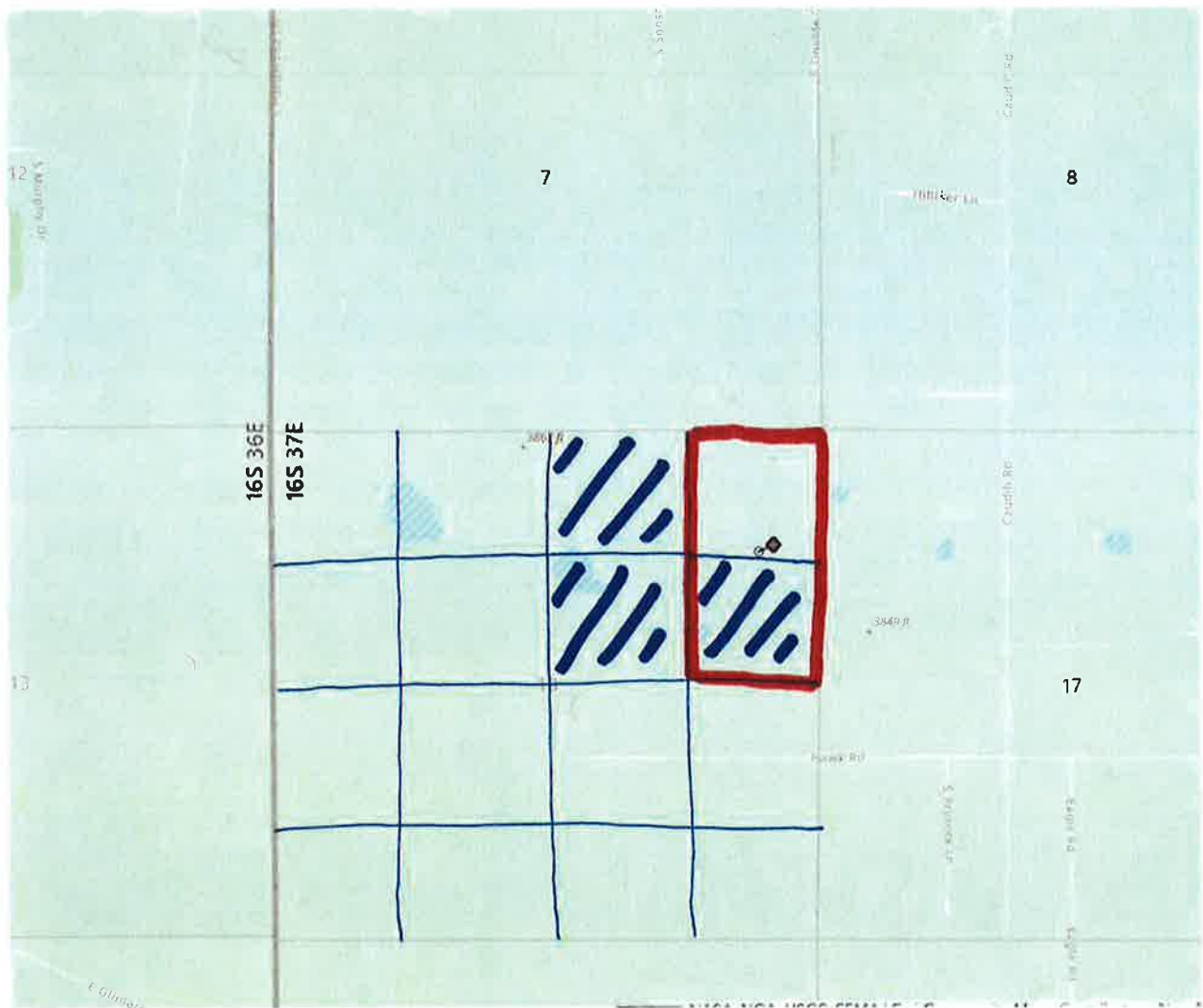
POINT LEGEND NAD 83

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	X=862834.4 E
2	Y=703461.0 N
	X=864253.0 E
3	Y=700816.2 N
	X=864273.7 E
4	Y=700810.0 N
	X=862810.2 E

POINT LEGEND NAD 27

1	Y=703386.3 N
	X=821756.7 E
2	Y=703397.6 N
	X=823075.3 E
3	Y=700754.2 N
	X=823086.0 E
4	Y=700746.0 N
	X=821732.4 E

Tim Parker 18-16S-37E State #1



Spacing Unit



Affected Tract

- The W/2 NE/4 and SE/4 NE/4 of Section 18 is part of one State lease. Greyhound Resources, LLC owns 100% of the working interest in the lease.

Greyhound Resources, LLC

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Reece Clark
Senior Landman

June 21, 2023

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Greyhound Resources, LLC owns 100% of the working interest in the NE/4 of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico, which is part of one State lease.

Greyhound Resources, LLC has been provided a copy of our affiliate's, Matador Production Company's, above-referenced application for approval of a non-standard location for the Tim Parker 18-16S-37E #1 (API 30-025-51530), with a proposed bottom hole location located at 1,236' FNL, 621' FEL of Section 18, T16S, R37E, Lea County, New Mexico in the Strawn formation.

I write to inform you that Greyhound Resources, LLC is in support of the Matador Production Company's application and waives any protest to the application.

Sincerely,



Reece Clark

Tin Parker 18-16S-37E State #1						
Affected Party	Type	Ownership Location	Address	City, State, Zip	Date Letter Sent	Tracking Number
New Mexico State Land Office	Mineral Owner	W/2 NE/4 and SE/4 NE/4 Sec. 18, T16S-R37E	P.O. Box 1148	Santa Fe, NM 87504	6/23/2023	9488 9090 0027 6009 9808 24

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CONDITIONS

Action 232220

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Operator: MATADOR PRODUCTION COMPANY One Lincoln Centre Dallas, TX 75240	OGRID: 228937
	Action Number: 232220
	Action Type: [UF-NSL] Non-Standard Location (NSL)

CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
llowe	None	6/26/2023