

CASE NO. 25286

**APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

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Part II

**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:**

**APPLICATIONS OF MEWBOURNE OIL
COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

Case Nos. 25285 & 25286

VERIFIED STATEMENT OF CHARLES CROSBY

Charles Crosby, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

1. I am a geologist for Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne"), and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein. I have previously been qualified by the Division as an expert geologist.

2. In Case No. 25285, Mewbourne has filed an application with the Oil Conservation Division for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a non-standard spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, NMPM and all of Sections 7 and 8, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant proposes to drill the following wells in the unit:

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(c) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 718H, with a first take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the SW/4SE/4 of Section 12.

4. Attached as Exhibit 3-A is a Horizontal Activity Map showing all existing Bone Spring and Wolfcamp development in this immediate area, as well as the proposed wells. It also shows the Base of the Third Bone Spring/ Top of the Wolfcamp structure. Structure dips gently to the east-southeast.

5. Attached as Exhibit 3-B is a cross-section of the Third Bone Sprong and Upper Wolfcamp. The logs on the cross-section give a representative sample of the Bone Spring and Wolfcamp. Both target zones are continuous and uniformly thick in the well units.

6. From the maps I conclude that:

(a) The horizontal spacing units are justified from a geologic standpoint;

(b) The target zones in the two cases are continuous and uniformly thick in the well units.

(c) Each quarter-quarter section in the Bone Spring well unit, and each quarter section in the Wolfcamp well unit, will contribute more or less equally to each particular well.

(d) There is no faulting or other Impediment affecting the drilling of the wells.

7. Bone Spring and Wolfcamp wells drilled in the area show a preference for laydown well units.

8. Exhibit 3-C contains horizontal drilling plans for all wells. All well locations are orthodox.

9. The attachments to this affidavit were prepared by me or under my supervision, or compiled from company business records.

10. The granting of this application is in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.

I understand that this Self-Affirmed Statement will be used as written testimony in these cases. I affirm that my testimony in paragraphs 1 through 10 above is true and correct and is made under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico. My testimony is made as of the date handwritten next to my signature below.

May 1, 2025

Date

Charles Crosby

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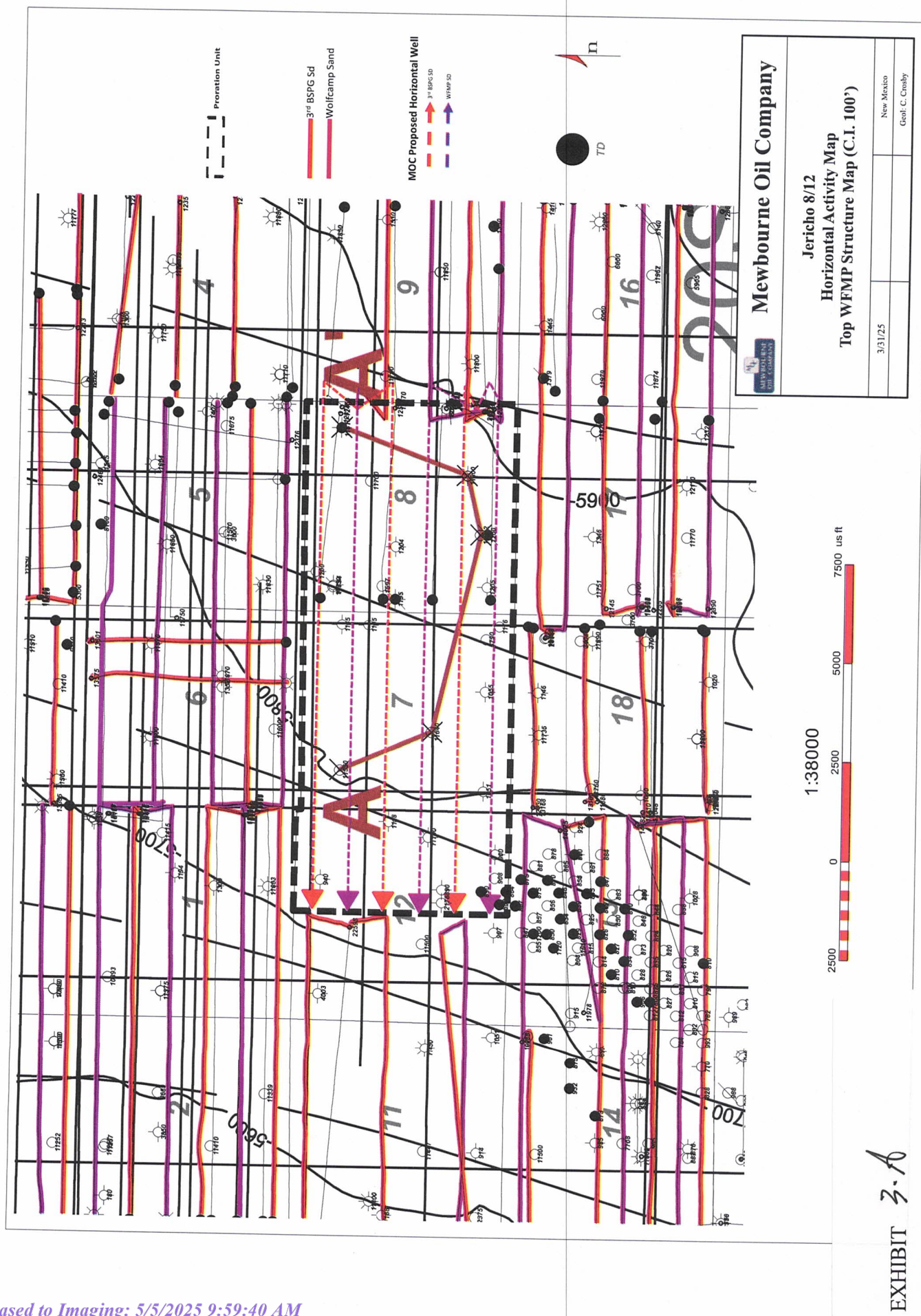
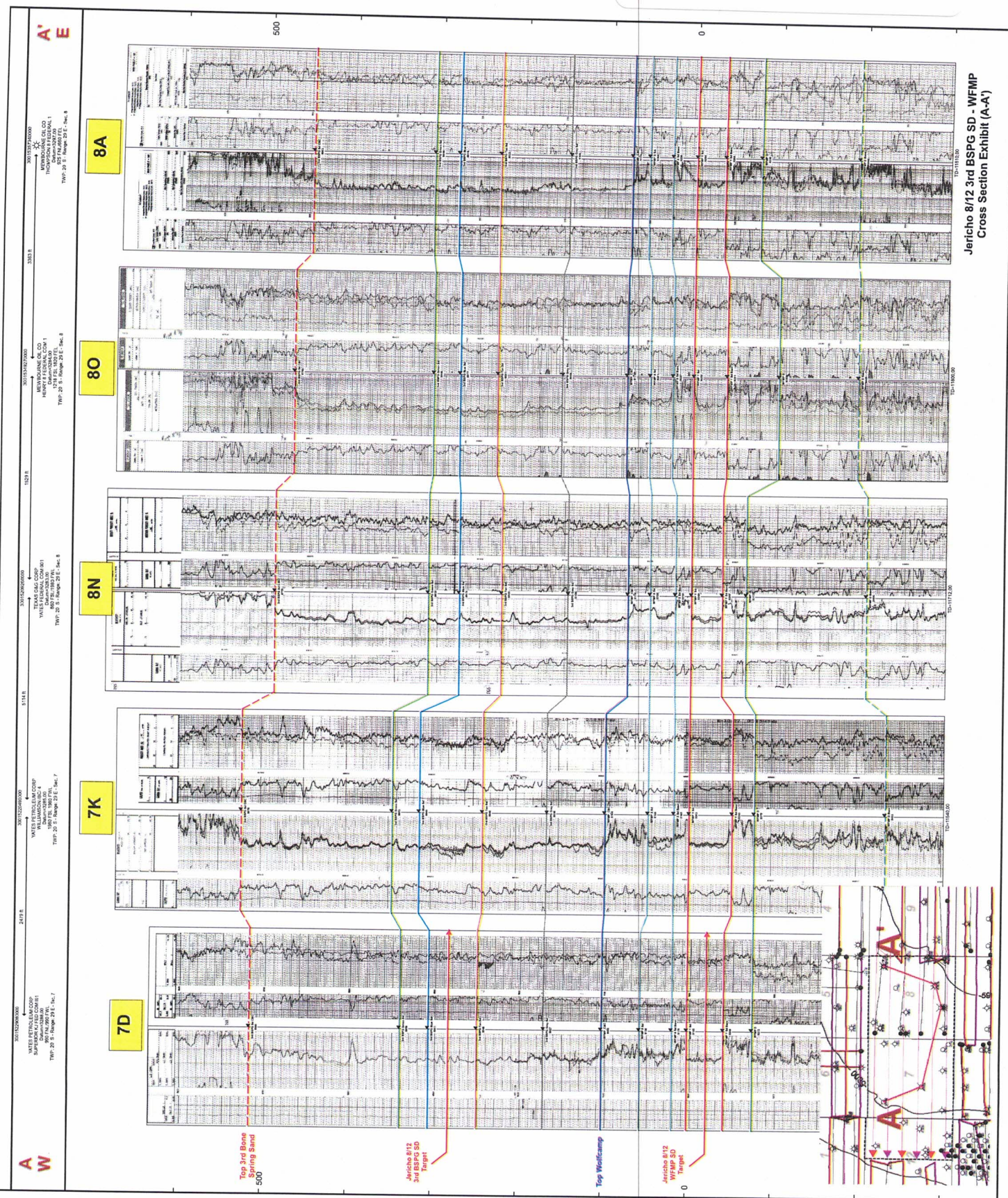
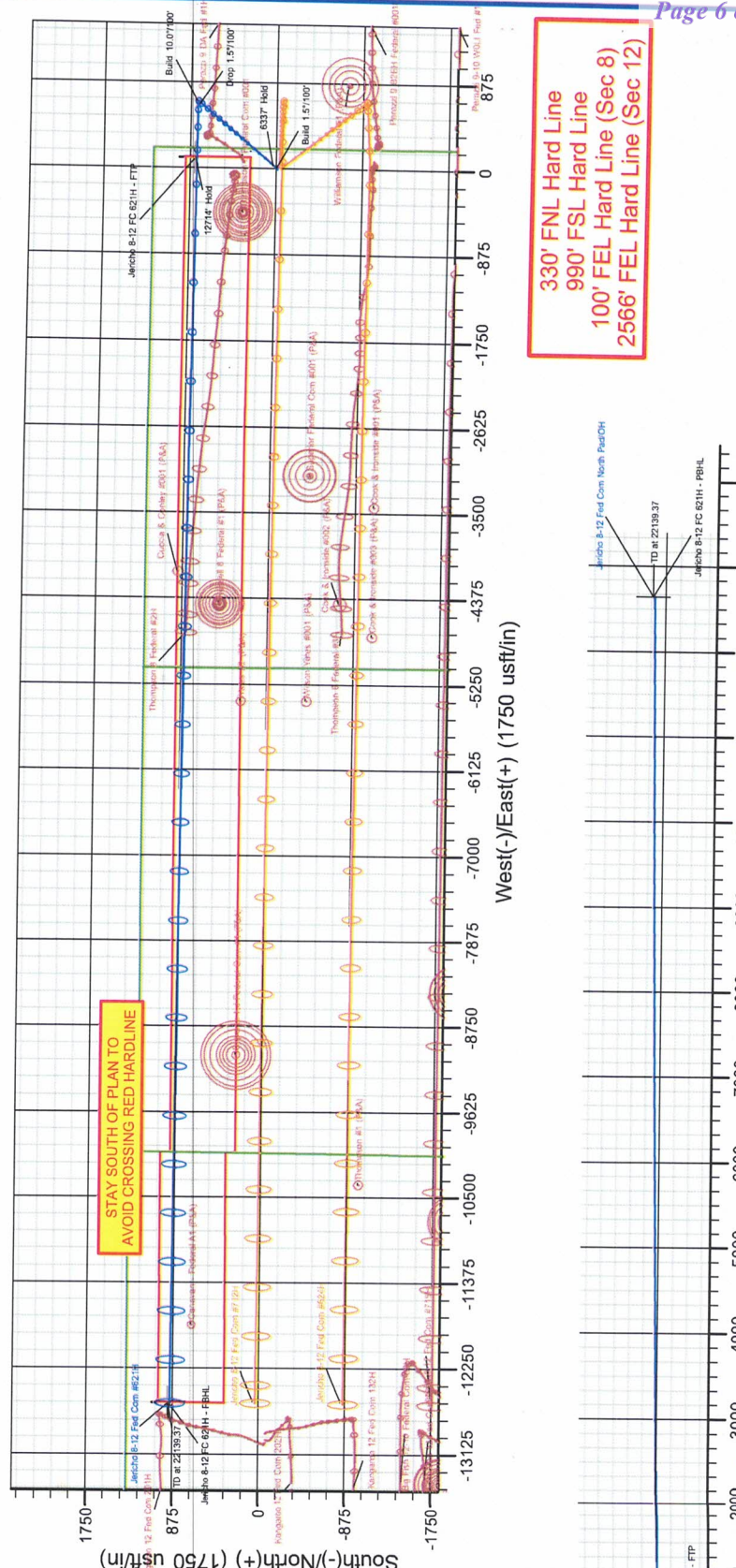
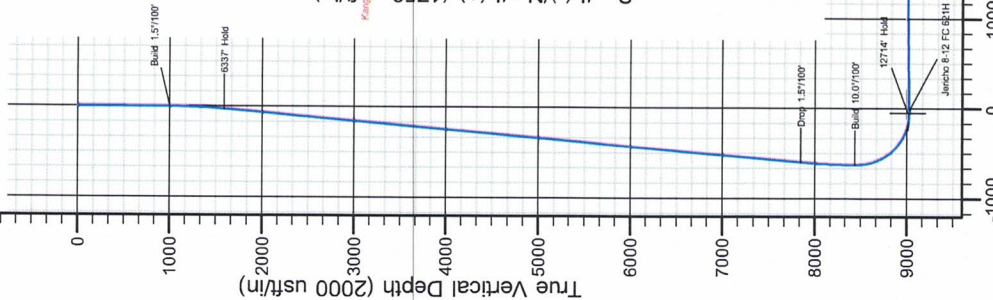


EXHIBIT 3-B



ENERGY PARTICLES
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Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #621H
SHL: 1260' FNL & 210' FEL
BHL: 440' FNL & 2566' FEL



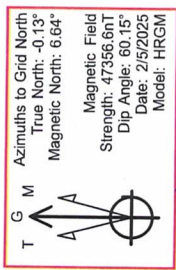
330' FNL Hard Line
990' FSL Hard Line
100' FEL Hard Line (Sec 8)
2566' FEL Hard Line (Sec 12)

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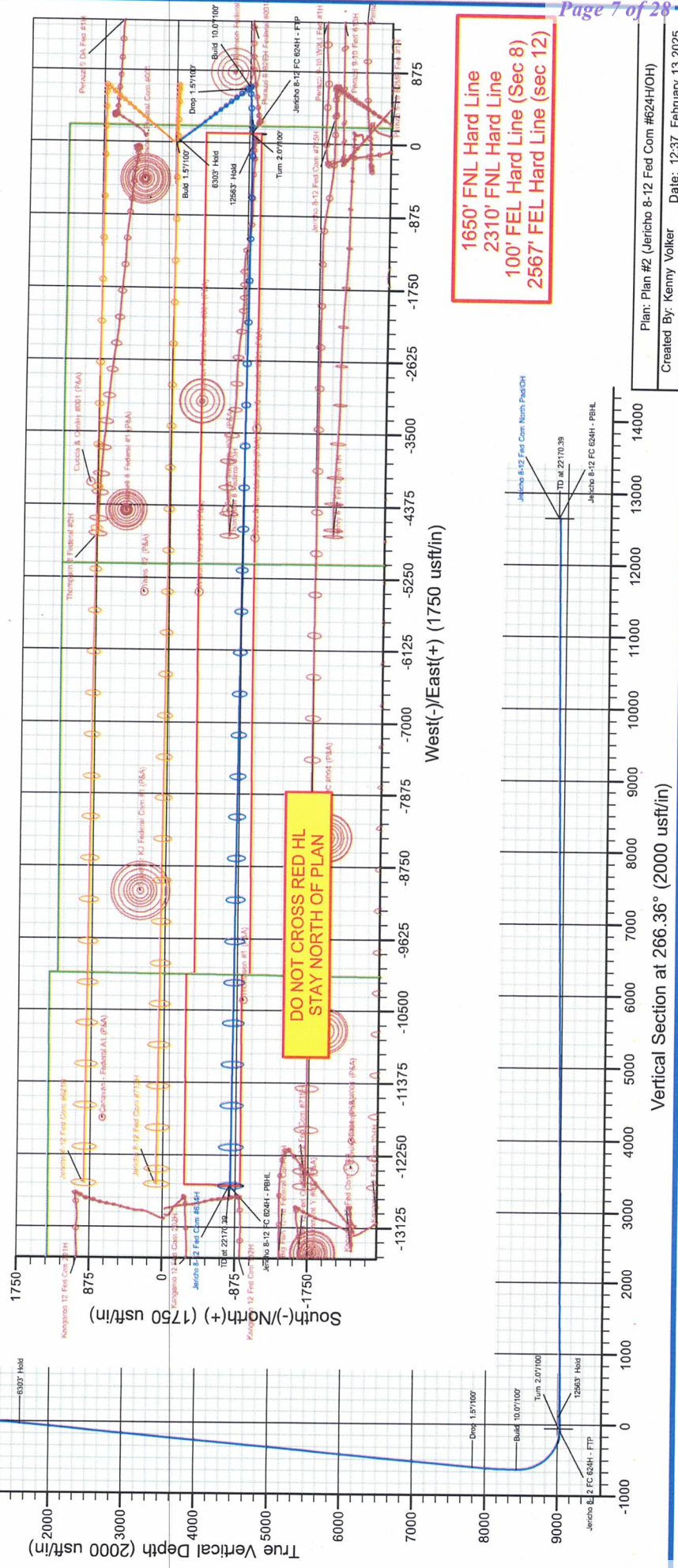


Project: Eddy Co., NM (NAD 83)
Site: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com North Pad
Well: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #624H
Wellbore: OH
Design: Plan #2
Lat: 32.591668
Long: -104.089290
GCS: 3263.00
KB: KB=28 @ 3311.00usit (Patterson 575)



WELL DETAILS: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #624H					
+N/S	+E/W	Northing	Easting	Latitude	Longitude
0.00	0.00	579065.70	616498.20	32.591668	-104.089290
WELLBORE TARGET DETAILS (LAT/LONG)					
Name	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	Northing	Easting
Jericho 8-12 FC 624H - PBHL	8881.00	-802.80	-12623.00	578262.90	603875.20
Jericho 8-12 FC 624H - FTP	9016.00	-900.56	111.47	578165.14	616609.67
SECTION DETAILS					
MD	Inc	Azi	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W
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7916.12	9.20	141.46	7832.43	-826.57	688.39
8529.40	0.00	270.44	8443.07	-865.00	689.00
9435.50	90.61	267.00	9016.00	-895.31	110.74
9607.46	90.61	270.44	9014.17	-899.15	-61.15
22170.39	90.61	270.44	8881.00	-802.80	-12623.00
Annotation					
Build 1.5"/100'					
6303' Hold					
Drop 1.5"/100'					
Build 10.0"/100'					
Turn 2.0"/100'					
12563' Hold					
TD at 22170.39					

Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #624H
SHL: 1300' FNL & 210' FEL
BHL: 2200' FNL & 2568' FEL



Vertical Section at 266.36° (2000 usft/in)

Plan: Plan #2 (Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #624H/OH)
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Plan #1



Project: Eddy Co., NM (NAD 83)
Site: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com Pad
Well: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #627H
Wellbore: OH
Design: Plan #1
Lat: 32.583557
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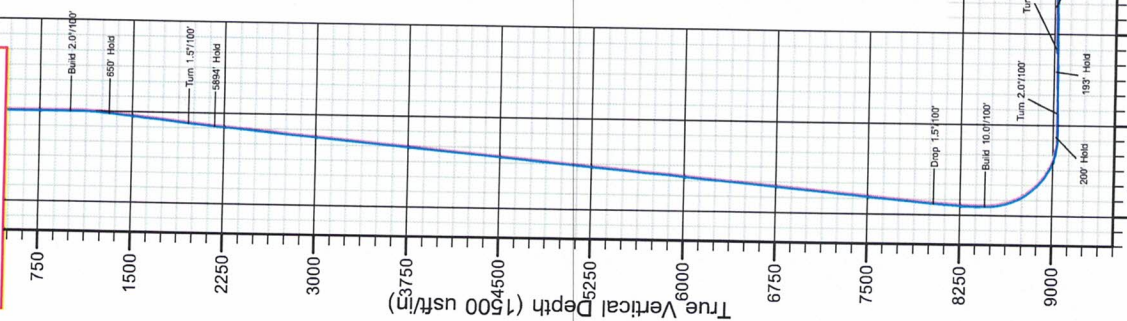


WELL DETAILS: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #627H

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Inc	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Azi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
MD	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

Model: HRGM

Azimuths to Grid North
True North: -0.13°
Magnetic North: 6.64°
Strength: 47366.2nT
Dip Angle: 60.15°
Date: 12/31/2024



SECTION DETAILS

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1314.00	6.28	90.00	1313.37	0.00	17.19	0.00	90.00	0.00	Turn 1.5°/100'
1964.00	6.28	90.00	1959.47	0.00	88.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	5894' Hold
2180.48	6.28	59.98	2174.71	5.93	110.39	1.50	-104.92	0.00	Drop 1.5°/100'
8074.38	6.28	59.98	8033.24	328.53	668.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	Build 10.0°/100'
8493.08	0.00	0.00	8451.10	340.00	668.65	0.00	180.00	0.00	200' Hold
9399.68	90.66	270.33	9024.02	343.34	108.95	10.00	270.33	0.00	Build 2.0°/100'
9599.68	90.66	270.33	9021.72	344.49	-91.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	193' Hold
9943.18	90.66	263.46	9017.74	325.90	-433.79	2.00	-89.93	0.00	Turn 2.0°/100'
10136.06	90.66	263.46	9015.51	303.93	-625.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	11680' Hold
10479.55	90.66	270.33	9011.54	285.33	-968.17	2.00	89.99	0.00	TD at 22159.55
22159.55	90.66	270.33	8877.00	352.60	-12647.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	

Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #627H
SHL: 1030' FSL & 210' FEL
BHL: 1310' FSL & 2569' FEL

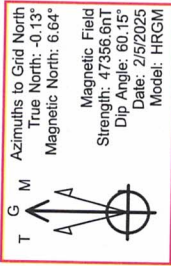
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330' FSL Hard Line
2310' FSL Hard Line
100' FEL Hard Line (Sec 8)
2567' FEL Hard Line (Sec 12)

Vertical Section at 271.60° (1500 usft/in)



Project: Eddy Co., NM (NAD 83)
Site: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com North Pad
Well: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #712H
Design: Plan #2
Wellbore: OH
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Long: -104.089290
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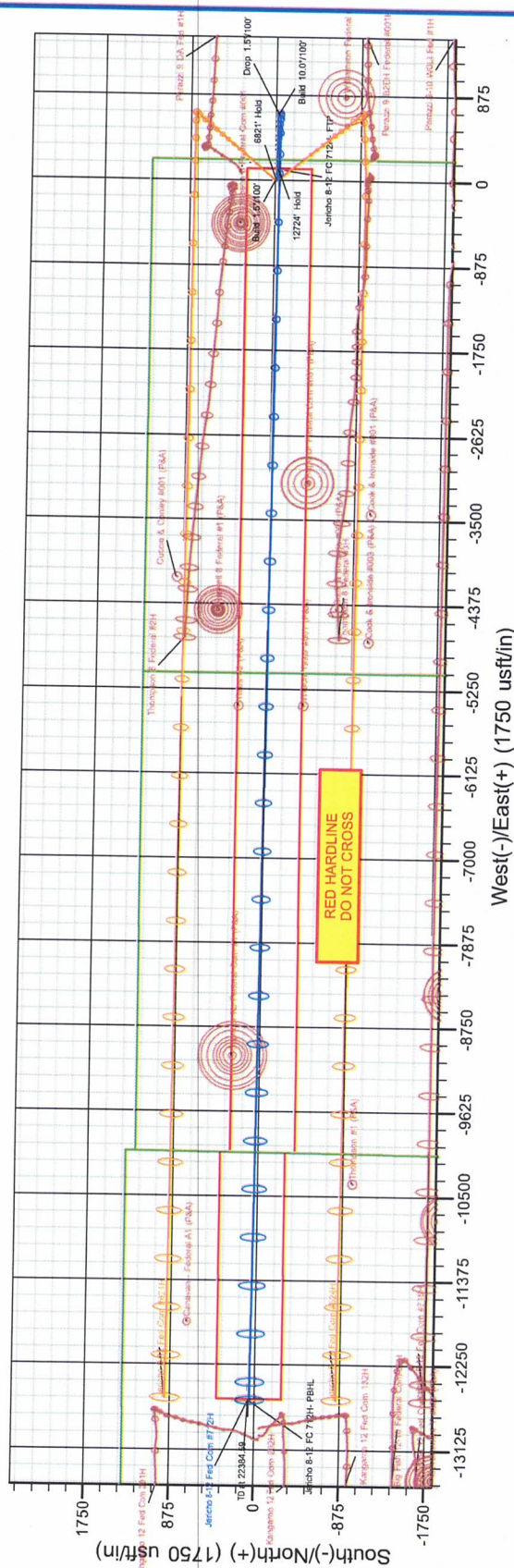
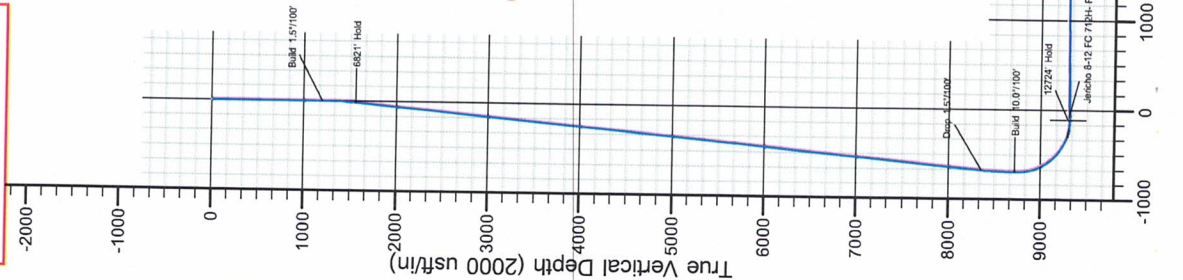
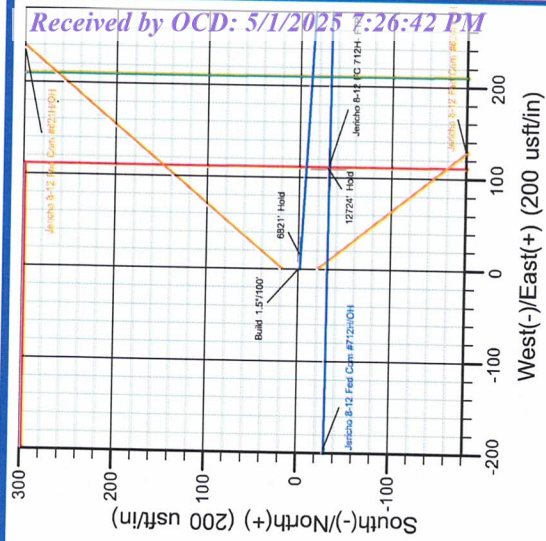


WELL DETAILS: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #712H					
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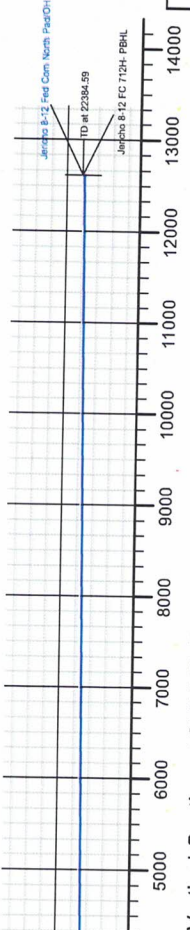
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Jericho 8-12 FC 712H- FTP	9295.00	-30.45	110.08	579055.15	616608.18

SECTION DETAILS									
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1566.96	5.50	92.90	1566.40	-0.89	17.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	6821' Hold
8387.69	5.50	92.90	8355.67	-33.99	671.01	1.50	92.90	-17.60	Drop 1.57/100'
8754.65	0.00	270.44	8722.07	34.89	688.60	1.50	180.00	-688.78	Build 10.07/100'
9660.23	90.56	270.44	9295.00	-30.45	110.08	10.00	0.00	-110.24	12724' Hold
22384.59	90.56	270.44	9171.00	67.10	-12613.30	0.00	0.00	12613.48	TD at 22384.59

Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #712H
SHL: 1280' FNL & 210' FEL
BHL: 1310' FNL & 2567' FEL



980' FNL Hard Line
1640' FNL Hard Line
100' FEL Hard Line (Sec 8)
2566' FEL Hard Line (sec 12)



Plan #1



Project: Eddy Co., NM (NAD 83)
Site: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com Pad
Well: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #715H
Design: OH
Wellbore: OH
Plan: #1
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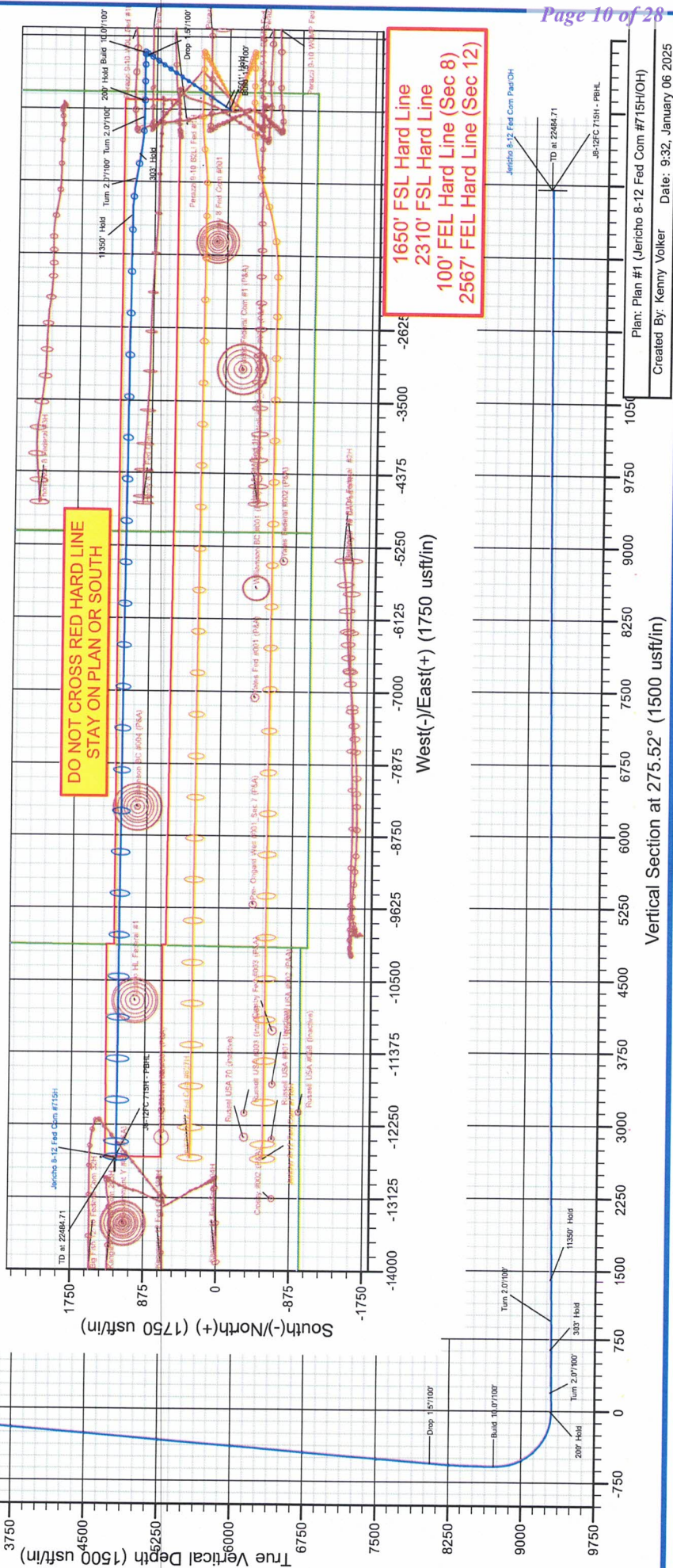


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ENERGY PARTNERS

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Strength: 47366.2nT
Dip Angle: 60.15°
Date: 12/31/2024
Model: HRGM

WELL DETAILS: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #715H									
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1662.76	9.94	33.63	1659.44	47.76	31.76	1.50	33.63	0.00	6501' Hold
8163.39	9.94	33.63	8082.46	982.24	653.24	0.00	0.00	-27.02	Drop 1.5"/100'
8826.15	0.00	270.32	8721.90	1030.00	685.00	1.50	180.00	-555.64	Build 10.0"/100'
9731.85	90.57	270.32	9294.83	1033.23	106.35	10.00	270.32	-582.66	200' Hold
9931.85	90.57	270.32	9282.84	1034.35	-93.64	0.00	0.00	-6.39	
10381.58	90.57	279.31	9288.37	1072.08	-541.29	0.00	0.00	192.78	Turn 2.0"/100'
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11134.71	90.57	270.32	9280.91	1158.91	-1288.34	0.00	0.00	944.71	Turn 2.0"/100'
22484.71	90.57	270.32	9168.00	1222.30	-12637.60	0.00	-89.93	1393.92	11350' Hold
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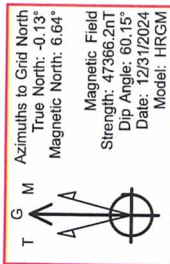
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WELL DETAILS: Jericho 8-12 Fed Com #718H

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WELLBORE TARGET DETAILS (LAT/LONG)

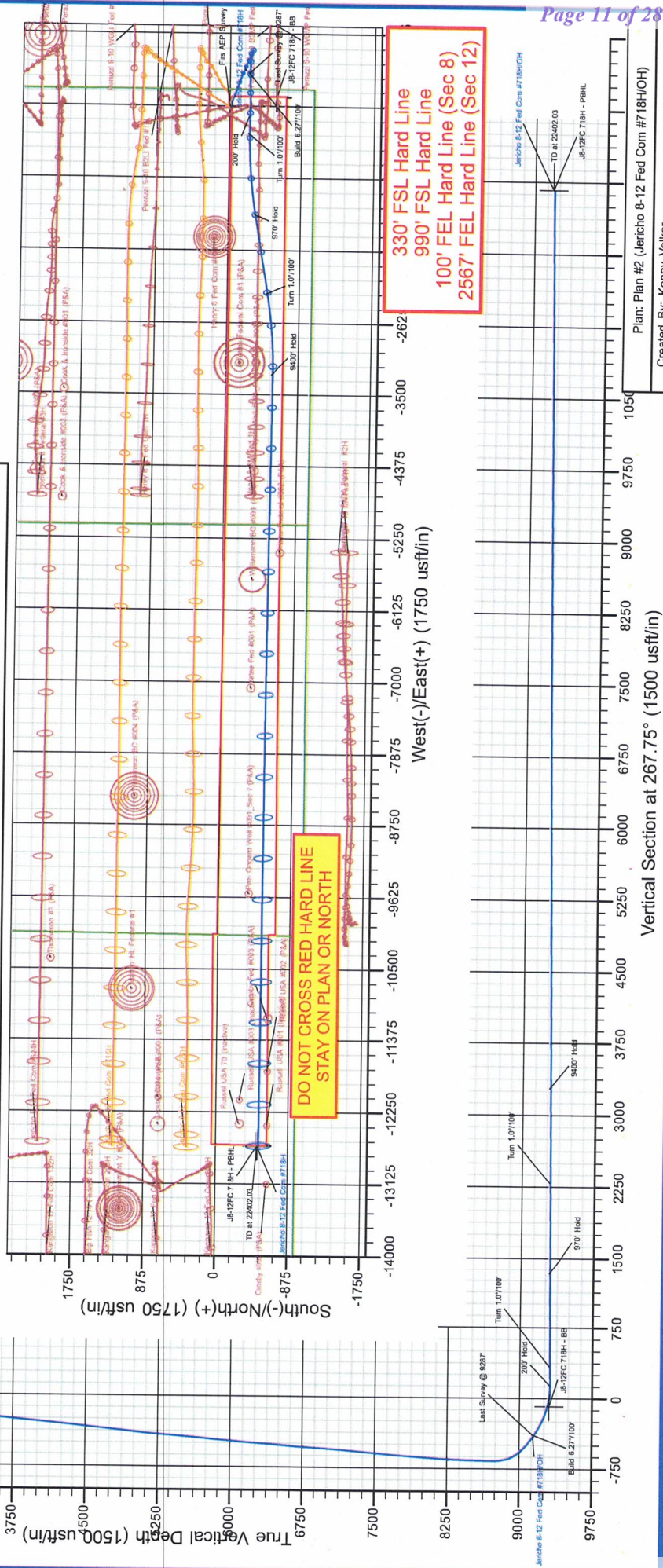
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J8-12FC 718H - BB	9305.00	-569.84	110.95	575525.06	616614.15	Point

SECTION DETAILS

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10052.93	90.53	270.33	9301.15	-231.05	-330.54	0.00	0.00	339.36	Turn 1.0°/100'
11042.24	90.53	260.44	9292.01	-310.58	-1315.37	1.00	-89.98	1326.55	970' Hold
12012.72	90.53	260.44	9283.09	-471.81	-2272.33	0.00	0.00	2289.10	Turn 1.0°/100'
13002.03	90.53	270.33	9273.95	-551.34	-3257.16	1.00	89.93	3276.29	9400' Hold
22402.03	90.53	270.33	9187.00	-497.20	-12656.60	0.00	0.00	12666.36	TD at 22402.03

West(-)/East(+) (200 usf/in)

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March 19, 2025

To Person Listed on Exhibit A

EXHIBIT 4-A

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Mewbourne Oil Company has filed the enclosed two applications with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division requesting compulsory pooling, as follows:

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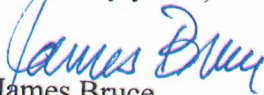
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Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells, and the allocation of the cost thereof among the wells' working interest owners, designation of Applicant as operator of the wells and the Units, approval actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure, and setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the wells.

These matters are scheduled for hearing at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 10, 2025. The hearing may be attended (a) in person in Pecos Hall of the Wendell Chino Building, First Floor, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, or (b) via the Division's virtual meeting platform. To view the hearing docket and determine how to participate in an electronic hearing, go to <https://www.emnrd.nm.gov/ocd/hearing-info/> or contact Freya Tschantz at Freya.Tschantz@emnrd.nm.gov. You are not required to attend the hearing, but an owner of an interest affected by the applications may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting these matters at a later date. A party appearing in a Division case is required to file a Pre-Hearing Statement with the Division no later than five business days before the hearing date. This statement may be filed online with the Division at ocd.hearings@emnrd.state.nm.gov and should include: The name of the party and the party's attorney; a concise statement of the case; the names of witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time it will take the party to present its case; and any procedural matters that need to be resolved before the hearing. The Pre-Hearing Statement must also be provided to applicant's attorney, James Bruce, P.O. Box 1056, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504.

Very truly yours,


James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

EXHIBIT A

COG Operating LLC 600 W. Illinois Avenue Midland, Texas 79701 Attn: Outside Operated Properties	Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. 333 W. Sheridan Ave. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102	WPX Energy Permian, LLC 333 W. Sheridan Ave. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102
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Estate of Howard C. Warren, Deceased
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Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102



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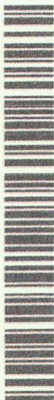
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<u>INTEREST OWNER</u>	<u>MAILING DATE</u>	<u>RECEIPT DATE</u>	<u>CARD RETURNED</u>
: COG Operating LLC	March 19, 2025	March 25, 2025	Yes
Davoil, Inc.	March 19, 2025	March 25, 2025	Yes
Francis Hill Hudson as Trustee of Lindy's Living Trust	March 19, 2025	Unknown	Yes
Jennings Production Company, Ltd.	March 19, 2025	March 25, 2025	Yes
Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.	March 19, 2025	March 24, 2025	Yes
Magnum Hunter Resources, Inc.	March 19, 2025	Unknown	Yes
Howard C. Warren Estate	March 19, 2025	March 26, 2025	Yes
Stroube Energy Corporation	March 19, 2025	Unknown	Yes
WPX Energy Permian, LLC	March 19, 2025	March 24, 2025	Yes
Ard Oil, Ltd.	March 19, 2025	March 31, 2025	Yes
Trustee of the Josephine T. Hudson Testamentary Trust f/b/o J. Terrell Ard	March 19, 2025	Unknown	Not Returned
Alpha Energy Partners, LLC	March 19, 2025	March 21, 2025	Yes

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That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on those dates.

SIGNED:

Sherry Groves

Agent

Subscribed to and sworn to me this 27th day of March 2025.

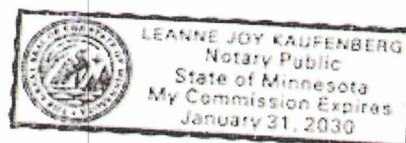
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NOTICE

To: COG Operating LLC, Davoil, Inc., Francis Hill Hudson as Trustee of Lindy's Living Trust, Jennings Production Company, Ltd., Devon Energy Production Company, L.P., Magnum Hunter Resources, Inc., Howard C. Warren (deceased), Stroube Energy Corporation, WPX Energy Permian, LLC, Aed Oil, Ltd., Trustee of the Josephine T. Hudson Testamentary Trust t/b/o J. Terrell Ard, and Alpha Energy Partners, LLC, or your heirs, devisees, successors, or assigns;

In Case No. 25285: Mewbourne Oil Company ("Applicant") has filed an application with the Oil Conservation Division (the "Division") for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a non-standard spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, NMPM and all of Sections 7 and 8, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the "Unit"). Applicant proposes to drill the following wells in the Unit:

- (a) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 621H, with a first take point in the NE/4NE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the NW/4NE/4 of Section 12;
- (b) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 624H, with a first take point in the SE/4NE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the SW/4NE/4 of Section 12; and
- (c) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 627H, with a first take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the SW/4SE/4 of Section 12.

In Case No. 25286: Mewbourne Oil Company ("Applicant") has filed an application with the Oil Conservation Division (the "Division") for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a non-standard spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, NMPM and all of Sections 7 and 8, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the "Unit"). Applicant proposes to drill the following wells in the Unit:

- (a) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 712H, with a first take point in the NE/4NE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the NW/4NE/4 of Section 12;
- (b) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 715H, with a first take point in the NE/4SE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the NW/4SE/4 of Section 12; and
- (c) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 718H, with a first take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the SW/4SE/4 of Section 12.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells, and the allocation of the cost thereof among the wells' working interest owners, designation of Applicant as operator of the wells and the Units, approval actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure, and setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the wells.

These matters are scheduled for hearing at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 10, 2025. The hearing may be attended (a) in person in Pecos Hall of the Wendell Chino Building, First Floor, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, or (b) via the Division's virtual meeting platform. To view the hearing docket and determine how to participate in an electronic hearing, go to <https://www.emnrd.nm.gov/oed/hearing-info/> or contact Freya Tschantz at Freya.Tschantz@emnrd.nm.gov. You are not required to attend the hearing, but an owner of an interest affected by the applications may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting these matters at a later date. A party appearing in a Division case is required to file a Pre-Hearing Statement with the Division no later than five business days before the hearing date. This statement may be filed online with the Division at oed.hearings@emnrd.state.nm.gov and should include: The name of the party and the party's attorney; a concise statement of the case; the names of witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time it will take the party to present its case; and any procedural matters that need to be resolved before the hearing. The Pre-Hearing Statement must also be provided to applicant's attorney, James Bruce, P.O. Box 1056, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504. The Units are located approximately 15-1/2 miles east-southeast of Lakewood, New Mexico.

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

**APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 25286

APPLICATION

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Applicant") files this application with the Oil Conservation Division (the "Division") for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a non-standard spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, NMPM and all of Sections 7 and 8, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the "Unit). In support of this application, Applicant states:

- .1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the Unit, and has the right to drill a well or wells thereon.
2. Applicant proposes to drill the following wells in the Unit:
 - (a) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 712H, with a first take point in the NE/4NE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the NW/4NE/4 of Section 12;
 - (b) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 715H, with a first take point in the NE/4SE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the NW/4SE/4 of Section 12; and
 - (c) The Jericho 8/12 Fed. Com. Well No. 718H, with a first take point in the SE/4SE/4 of Section 8 and a final take point in the SW/4SE/4 of Section 12.
3. Although Applicant has in good faith sought to obtain voluntary joinder of all other mineral interest owners in the Unit to participate in the drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit

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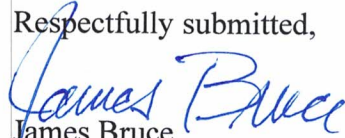
their interests to the wells, certain interest owners have failed or refused to commit their interests. Therefore, Applicant seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the Unit, pursuant to NMSA 1978 Sec. 70-2-17.

4. The pooling of all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the Unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste, and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Division, and, after notice and hearing, the Division issue its order:

- A. Pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the Unit;
- B. Designating Applicant as operator of the wells and the Unit;
- C. Considering the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells, and allocating the cost thereof among the wells' working interest owners;
- D. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure; and
- E. Setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the wells.

Respectfully submitted,


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Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico:

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Applicant") has filed an application with the Oil Conservation Division (the "Division") for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Wolfcamp formation underlying a non-standard spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Section 12, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, NMPM and all of Sections 7 and 8, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the "Unit). Applicant proposes to drill the following wells in the Unit:

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