

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

**APPLICATION OF SELECT WATER
SOLUTIONS, LLC FOR APPROVAL
OF A SALTWATER DISPOSAL WELL,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 25548

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Select Water Solutions, LLC (“Select” or “Applicant”) submits its Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Select seeks authorization to drill, complete, and operate a proposed saltwater disposal well in Lea County, New Mexico. Select seeks to inject produced water into the Bell Canyon and Cherry Canyon formations (SWD; Bell Canyon-Cherry Canyon; Code 96802) for the purposes of disposal through its Jackrabbit Fed SWD #1 well ("Well"). The Well will be drilled at a location 556' from the south line and 1,968' from the east line (Unit O) of Section 28, Township 26 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico. Select proposes to inject an average of 15,000 barrels of water per day up to a maximum of 20,000 barrels of water per day and requests that the Division approve a maximum surface injection pressure of 1,061 psi.

The Well was originally proposed to inject produced water into the Bell Canyon and Cherry Canyon formations at a depth of approximately 5,305 feet to 7,750 feet. Since the filing of the application and based on discussions with the parties, Select has agreed to narrow the injection interval and is now seeking authorization to inject at a depth of approximately 5,305 feet to 6,500 feet. This change is reflected in Select's hearing exhibits.

The Well, as proposed in the C-108, will not cause waste, impair correlative rights, or harm public health or the environment, including through the risk of induced seismicity. Further, the Well will provide additional saltwater disposal capacity, which is needed in this area.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

Witness	Occupation	Estimated Time	Exhibits
Reed Davis	Geophysicist	Affidavit	Approx. 2
RJ Metzler	Director of Engineering	Affidavit	Approx. 1
Thomas E. Tomastik	Chief Geologist and Regulatory Specialist	Affidavit	Approx. 2
Joseph P. Smith II	Geophysicist/Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 2
David Childers	Senior Reservoir Engineer	Affidavit	Approx. 2

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant will present this matter by affidavit if there is no opposition to its application.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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QUESTIONS

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QUESTIONS

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