

Case No.

389

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Application, Transcript,  
Small Exhibits, Etc.

Case 389: NOMENCLATURE CASE FOR  
NORTHWESTERN NEW MEXICO (incl. pools  
in San Juan County - Creation and extension

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING  
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW  
MEXICO FOR THE PURPOSE OF CON-  
SIDERING:

CASE NO. 389  
ORDER NO. R-185

THE APPLICATION OF THE OIL CONSERVATION  
COMMISSION UPON ITS OWN MOTION FOR AN  
ORDER FOR THE EXTENSION OF EXISTING POOLS  
IN SAN JUAN AND RIO ARRIBA COUNTIES, NEW  
MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9:00 a.m., August 19, 1952,  
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission of New  
Mexico, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission".

NOW, on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1952, the Commission, a quorum  
being present, having considered the testimony adduced and the exhibits  
received at said hearing, and being fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

(1) That due notice having been given as required by law, the  
Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the subject matter thereof.

(2) That the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool, San Juan and Rio Arriba  
Counties, New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described,  
should be extended to include:

Township 30 North, Range 7 West, NMPM  
All of Sections 3 thru 11, incl.  
All of Sections 13 thru 18, incl.

Township 32 North, Range 10 West, NMPM  
All of Section 19  
All of Sections 29 thru 32, incl.

Township 32 North, Range 11 West, NMPM  
All of Sections 24, 25 and 36.

(3) That the Dogie Canyon-Pictured Cliffs Pool, Rio Arriba County,  
New Mexico, as heretofore classified, defined and described, should be  
extended to include:

Township 26 North, Range 6 West, NMPM  
W/2 Section 18

Township 26 North, Range 7 West, NMPM  
All of Sections 13 and 14,  
N/2 Section 23,  
N/2 and SE/4 Section 24

Township 27 North, Range 6 West, NMPM  
E/2 Section 32,  
All of Section 33.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

That the application of the Oil Conservation Commission, be, and the same hereby is approved, as follows:

(1) That the boundaries of the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico, be, and the same hereby are extended to include:

Township 30 North, Range 7 West, NMPM

All of Sections 3 thru 11, incl.

All of Sections 13 thru 18, incl.

Township 32 North, Range 10 West, NMPM

All of Section 19

All of Sections 29 thru 32, incl.

Township 32 North, Range 11 West, NMPM

All of Sections 24, 25 and 36

(2) That the boundaries of the Dogie Canyon-Pictured Cliffs Pool, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico, be, and the same hereby are extended to include:

Township 26 North, Range 6 West, NMPM

W/2 Section 18

Township 26 North, Range 7 West, NMPM

All of Sections 13 and 14,

N/2 Section 23

N/2 and SE/4 Section 24

Township 27 North, Range 6 West, NMPM

E/2 Section 32 and

All of Section 33.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

*Edwin L. Mechem*

EDWIN L. MECHEM, Chairman

*Guy Shepard*

GUY SHEPARD, Member

*R. R. Spurrer*

R. R. SPURRIER, Secretary

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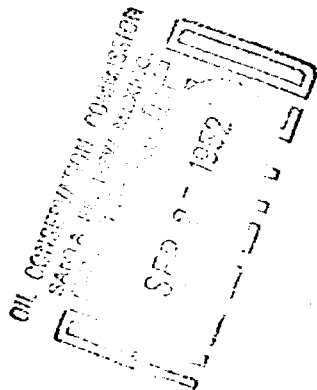
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In the matter of the application of the Oil Conservation Commission upon its own motion for an order for the extension of existing pools in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such extensions should not be made.

a. Extend the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool to include:

Township 30 North, Range 7 West,  
NMPM

Sections 3 to 11 inclusive,  
Sections 13 to 18, inclusive.

Township 32 North, Range 10 West,  
NMPM

Section 19, Sections 20 to 32,  
inclusive.

Township 32 North, Range 11 West,  
NMPM

Sections 24, 25 and 36

and such other lands contiguous to said pool as may properly be included therein as supported by proper testimony and recommendations adduced at said hearing.

b. Extend the Dogie Canyon-Pictured Cliffs Pool to include:

Township 26 North, Range 6 West,  
NMPM

W/2 Section 18

Township 26 North, Range 7 West,  
NMPM

All of Section 13, All of Section  
14, W/2 of Section 23, N/2 and  
SE/4 of Section 24

Township 27 North, Range 6 West,  
NMPM  
E/2 Section 32, All of Section 23

and such other lands contiguous to said pool as  
may properly be included therein as supported by  
proper testimony and recommendations adduced at  
said hearing.

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(See transcript in Case Entitled "Allowable"  
for register of attendance and appearances.)

MR. SPURRIER: We will go on to Case 389.

(Mr. Graham reads the Notice of Publication.)

MR. WHITE: Mr. Macey.

(The witness was sworn.)

W. B. MACEY

being first duly sworn, was examined and testified as follows,  
to-wit:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MR. WHITE:

Q Mr. Macey, are you the Bill Macey that testified before  
the Commission earlier in the day?

A Yes, sir.

Q As Engineer for the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission,  
have you made a study of the proposed extension of the  
Blanco-Mesaverde Pool and of the Dogie Canyon-Pictured  
Cliffs Pool as advertised in Case 389?

A I have.

Q Will you give a report of your study to the Commission,  
together with your conclusions and recommendations?

A I recommend that the extension to the Blanco-Mesaverde  
Pool in Paragraph (a) be made as advertised.

In Paragraph (b), the extension of the Dogie Can-  
yon-Pictured Cliffs Pool, in the portion of the advertise-  
ment pertaining to the West Half of Section 23 in Town-  
ship 26 North, Range 7 West, I recommend that the exten-

sion include the North Half of Section 23. I believe that it was purely a typographical error that it was not included in the advertisement.

MR. SPURRIER: Do you have any other recommendations?

THE WITNESS: No, sir.

MR. SPURRIER: Does anyone object to Mr. Macey's explanations and recommendations?

If not, that completes the docket for today and we will recess until September 16, 1952.

(Whereupon at 2:20 o'clock, P.M., the meeting adjourned.)

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO )  
COUNTY OF SAN MIGUEL ) SS.

I hereby certify that the foregoing and attached transcript of proceedings in Case No. 389 before the Oil Conservation Commission, is a true and correct record of the same to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

Dated at Las Vegas, New Mexico, this 23rd day of August, A.D. 1952.

Luth Warden  
REPORTER