

Entered July 30, 1974
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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 5265
Order No. R-4828

APPLICATION OF DAVID FASKEN FOR
AN UNORTHODOX LOCATION AND A NON-
STANDARD SPACING UNIT, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

BY THE COMMISSION:

This cause came on for hearing at 9 a.m. on July 10, 1974,
at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Daniel S. Nutter.

NOW, on this 30th day of July, 1974, the Commission,
a quorum being present, having considered the testimony, the
record, and the recommendations of the Examiner, and being
fully advised in the premises,

FINDS:

- (1) That due public notice having been given as required
by law, the Commission has jurisdiction of this cause and the
subject matter thereof.
- (2) That the applicant, David Fasken, seeks approval of
an unorthodox gas well location to be located 1664 feet from
the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 1,
Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico,
to test the Morrow formation.
- (3) That the applicant further seeks to dedicate the
above-described well to a 281.3-acre non-standard gas spacing
unit comprising all of Lots 1 through 8 of said Section 1.
- (4) That a well at said unorthodox location will better
enable applicant to produce the gas underlying said unit.
- (5) That the entire proposed non-standard spacing unit
may reasonably be presumed productive of gas from the Morrow
formation and the entire proposed non-standard spacing unit may
be efficiently and economically drained by one well.
- (6) That no offset operator objected to the proposed
unorthodox location.
- (7) That approval of the subject application will afford
the applicant the opportunity to produce his just and equitable

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share of the gas in the subject pool, will prevent the economic loss caused by the drilling of unnecessary wells, avoid the augmentation of risk arising from the drilling of an excessive number of wells, and will otherwise prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

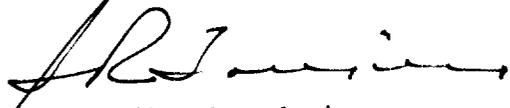
(1) That an unorthodox gas well location for the Morrow formation is hereby approved for a well to be located 1664 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line of Section 1, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

(2) That the above-described well shall be dedicated to a 281.3-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising all of Lots 1 through 8 of said Section 1.

(3) That jurisdiction of this cause is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Commission may deem necessary.

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION


I. R. TRUJILLO, Chairman

ALEX J. ARMIJO, Member


A. L. PORTER, Jr., Member & Secretary

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