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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 - 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

Application Acronyms:

[NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]
 [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]
 [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]
 [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]
 [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]
 [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

[1] **TYPE OF APPLICATION** - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

- [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication
☒ NSL ☐ NSP ☐ SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

- [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement
☐ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☐ OLM

- [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery
☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

- [D] Other: Specify _____

[2] **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** - Check Those Which Apply, or ☐ Does Not Apply

- [A] ☐ Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners
 [B] ☒ Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner
 [C] ☐ Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice
 [D] ☐ Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO
U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office
 [E] ☐ For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached and/or.
 [F] ☐ Waivers are Attached

[3] **SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.**

[4] **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.

George A. Cox
 Print or Type Name

[Signature]
 Signature

REGIONAL LANDMANAGER
 Title

6-27-05
 Date

George Cox @ XTOENERGY.COM
 e-mail Address

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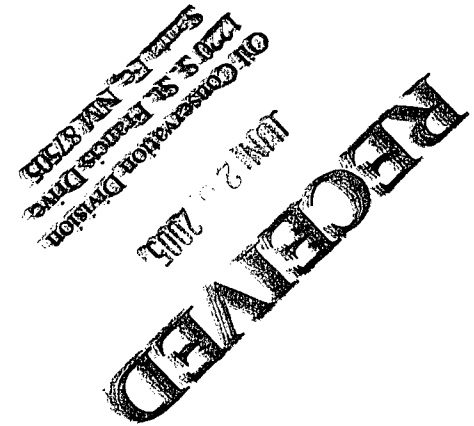


June 27, 2005

CERTIFIED MAIL:

Mr. Michael E. Stogner
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
1220 S. Saint Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

RE: Application for Administrative Approval of Unorthodox Location
XTO Energy Inc.'s JC Gordon D #3F Well
2,395' FNL and 995' FWL (SW/4 NW/4)
Unit E, Section 23, T27N-R10W
San Juan County, New Mexico
Mancos Formation



Dear Mr. Stogner:

XTO Energy Inc. (XTO) hereby requests administrative approval for an unorthodox location for the above referenced well. Attached for your reference are the following exhibits:

1. Well location plat (NMOCD Form C-102)
2. Topographic Map
3. Ownership map
4. List of Offset Owners
5. Production Map

The above captioned well was drilled on April 5, 2005 as a W2, 320 acre Dakota unit. After logging the well it was discovered that there appears to be a productive Mancos formation in the well. At the current location, the well is standard for the Dakota formation, but non-standard for a Mancos well. XTO would like to move up the hole in the wellbore and attempt a completion in the Mancos Formation. The existing location will not conform to current footage requirements for the Mancos formation. The other well in this W/2 Unit is the JC Gordon D #3 well which is at a non standard location of 450' FNL and 1580' FWL and a Mancos well would be non-standard in this well also. A new well would not be economically feasible to drill for just the Mancos formation. The current wellbore is in acceptable condition for the recompletion attempt with no additional work being required. By moving up the hole to the Mancos formation, XTO would be able to minimize environmental impact in obtaining additional production and protection of correlative rights.

By certified mail, a copy of this application and request for administrative approval has been sent to all of the Mancos formation working interest owners and offset operators listed on the attached list.

XTO would like to request your Administration Approval for the unorthodox location based on the above information. Should you need any additional information please feel free to contact me at (817) 885-2454.

Sincerely,
XTO ENERGY INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "George A. Cox".

George A. Cox, CPL
Regional Land Manager

Enclosures

cc: Del Craddock
Loren Fothergill
Jeff Patton
Barry Voigt

DISTRICT I
1625 N. Fench Dr., Hobbs, N.M. 88240

DISTRICT II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, N.M. 88210

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, N.M. 87410

DISTRICT IV
1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Form C-102
Revised June 10, 2003
Instructions on back
Submit to Appropriate District Office
State Lease - 4 Copies
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

1 API Number		2 Pool Code		3 Pool Name	
4 Property Code		5 Property Name JC GORDON D		6 Well Number 3F	
7 GRID No.		8 Operator Name XTO ENERGY INC.		9 Elevation 6297	

10 Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
E	23	27-N	10-W		2395	NORTH	995	WEST	SAN JUAN

11 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
12 Dedicated Acres		13 Joint or InRt		14 Consolidation Code		15 Order No.			

16 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

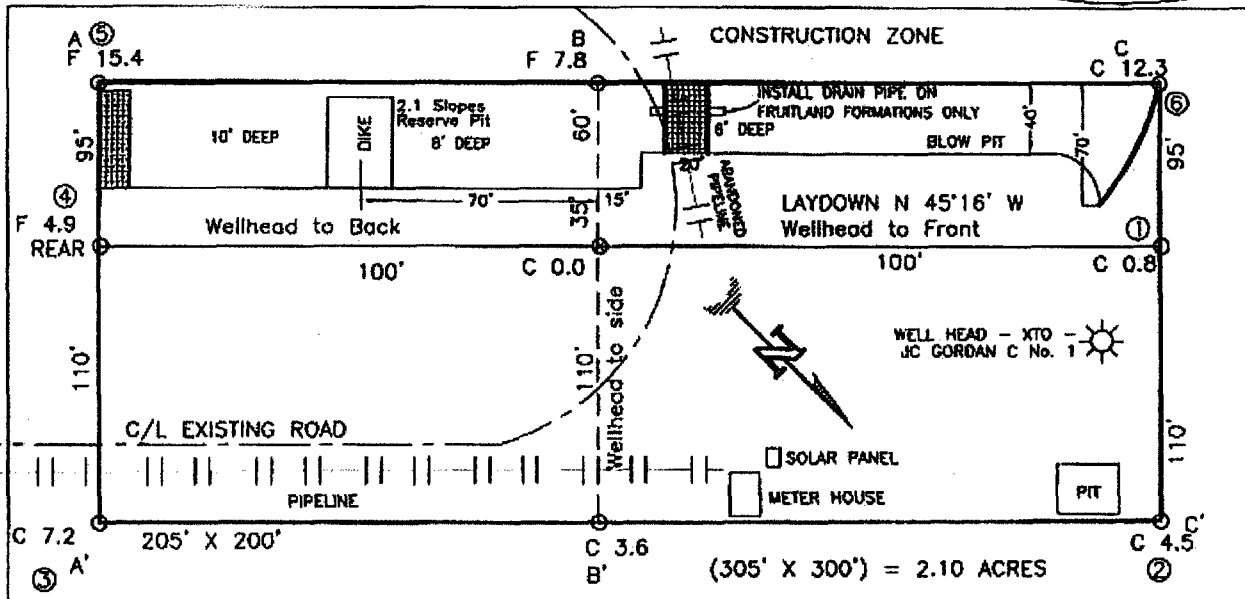
SEC. CORNER FD 2 1/2" BC GLO 1913	N 89-40-25 W 5279.0' (M)	SEC. CORNER FD 2 1/2" BC GLO 1913	17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.
N 00-01-59 W 2847.3' (M)			Signature _____
2395'			Printed Name _____
	LAT: 36°33'41" N. (NAD 27) LONG: 107°52'12" W. (NAD 27)		Title _____
995'	23		Date _____
QTR. CORNER FD 2 1/2" BC GLO 1913			18 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.
			Date _____
			Signature _____
			Certificate Number _____

Standard
640-acre
Section

NEW MEXICO
REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR
14837

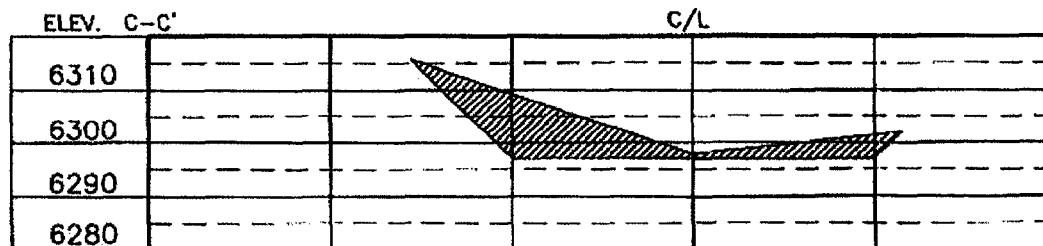
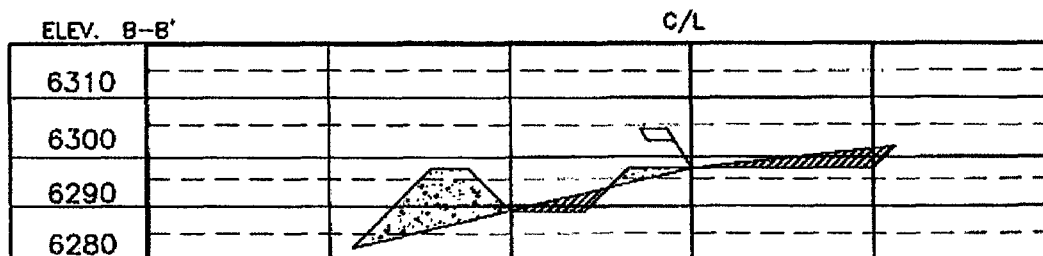
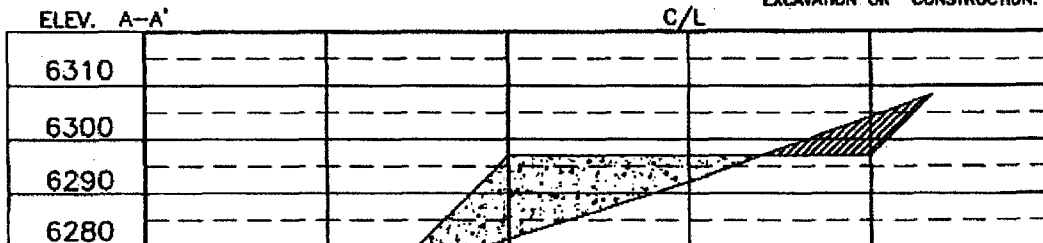
XTO ENERGY INC.
 JC GORDAN D No. 3F, 2395 FNL 995 FWL
 SECTION 23, T27N, R10W, N.M.P.M., SAN JUAN COUNTY, N. M.
 GROUND ELEVATION: 6297, DATE: JUNE 23, 2004

LAT: 36°33'41" N.
 LONG: 107°52'12" W.
 NAD 27



RESERVE PIT DIKE: TO BE 8" ABOVE DEEP SIDE (OVERFLOW - 3' WIDE AND 1' ABOVE SHALLOW SIDE).
 BLOW PIT: OVERFLOW PIPE HALFWAY BETWEEN TOP AND BOTTOM AND TO EXTEND OVER PLASTIC LINER AND INTO BLOW PIT.

NOTE: DAGGETT ENTERPRISES, INC. IS NOT LIABLE FOR UNDERGROUND UTILITIES OR PIPELINES. NEW MEXICO ONE CALL TO BE NOTIFIED 48 HOURS PRIOR TO EXCAVATION OR CONSTRUCTION.



NOTE: CONTRACTOR SHOULD CALL ONE-CALL FOR LOCATION OF ANY MARKED OR UNMARKED BURIED PIPELINES OR CABLES ON WELL PAD AND OR ACCESS ROAD AT LEAST TWO (2) WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.

Daggett Enterprises, Inc.
 Surveying and Oil Field Services
 P. O. Box 15088 • Farmington, NM 87401
 Phone (505) 326-1772 • Fax (505) 326-6019
 NEW MEXICO L.S. No. 14831



DATE: 07/18/04
 DRAWN BY: A.G.
 CHECKED BY: CRJ22

107°53'00" W

107°52'00" W

NAD27 107°51'00" W

XTO ENERGY INC.

JC GORDON D No. 3F

2395 FNL 995 FWL

NW¼ SEC. 23, T-27-N, R-10-W, N.M.P.M.

SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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JC GORDON D No. 3F

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0 1000 FEET 0 500 1000 METERS

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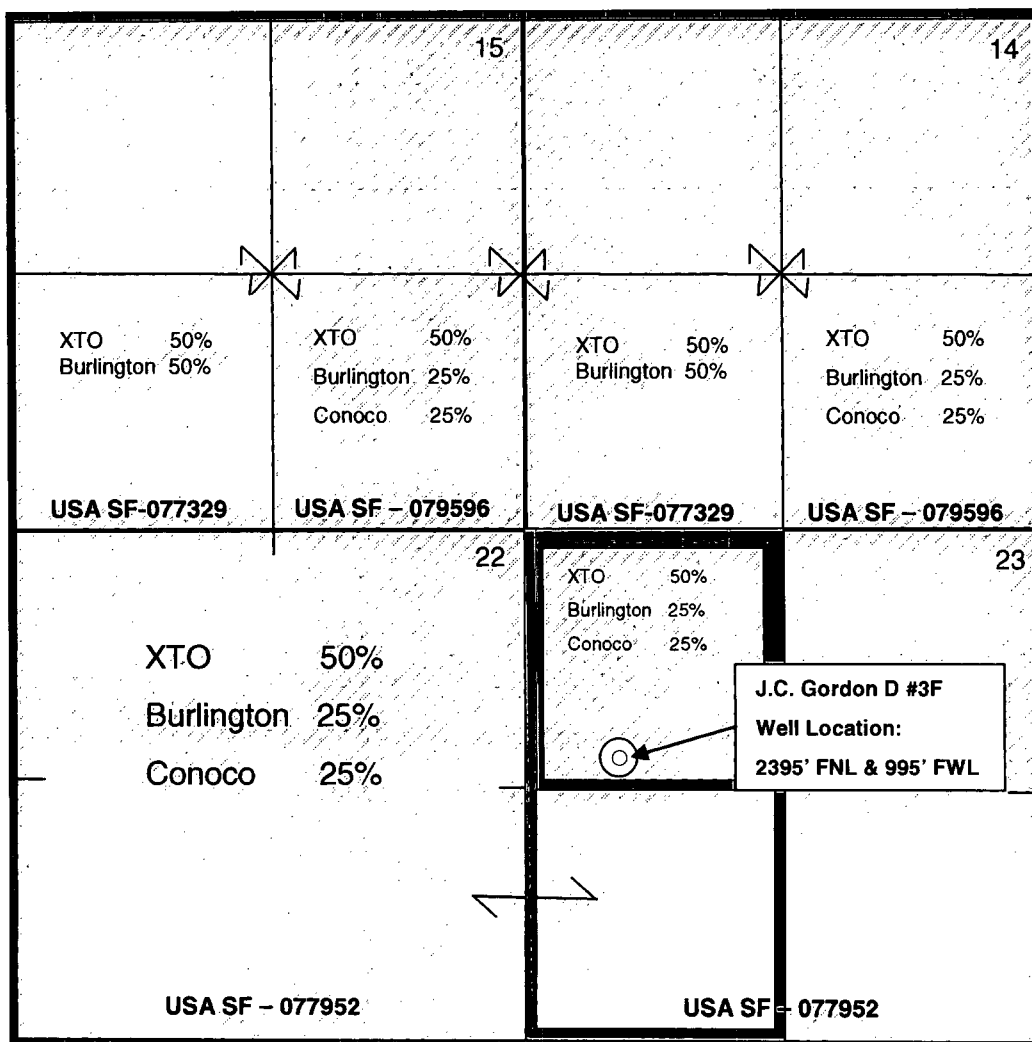


STATE: New Mexico COUNTY: San Juan
PROSPECT: Ownership in Mancos Formation DATE: June 22, 2005
SECTION: 23 TOWNSHIP: 27 North RANGE: 10 West

J.C. Gordon D #3F

SCALE: 1'=2000'

T
27
N



R 10 W

OFFSET OPERATORS AND OWNERS NOTIFICATION LIST
JC GORDON D # 3F WELL

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas
P.O. Box 4289
Farmington, NM 87499-4289
Attention: Dawn Howell

ConocoPhillips
P.O. Box 2197
Houston, TX 77252



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- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
- Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits.

1. Article Addressed to:

ConocoPhillips
P. O. Box 2197
Houston, TX 77252
GAC:6/23/05:JCGordonD#3F

2. Article Number

(Transfer from service label)

7005 0390 0005 5872 0218

PS Form 3811, February 2004

Domestic Return Receipt

102595-02-M-1540

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A. Signature

X

☐ Agent☐ Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name)

C. Date of Delivery

D. Is delivery address different from item 1? ☐ YesIf YES, enter delivery address below: ☐ No

3. Service Type

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