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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 - Engineering Bureau -
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505



30-039-31108
 Schalk 32 #2A
 WPX Energy

ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Amending existing
 NSL-6624-A

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.

Heather Riley	Attached e-mail	Sr. Regulatory Specialist	04/16/2013
Print or Type Name	Signature	Title	Date
		heather.riley@wpenergy.com	
		e-mail Address	

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Brooks, David K., EMNRD

From: Riley, Heather <Heather.Riley@wpxenergy.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 16, 2013 3:16 PM
To: Brooks, David K., EMNRD
Cc: Higgins, Larry; Mitchell, Ben; Granillo, Lacey; Pickup, Barbara; McQueen Jr, Ken
Subject: RE: Schalk 32 #002A API 30-039-31108
Attachments: NSL-6624-A_ WPX Energy Production LLC - Schalk #2A.pdf; Schalk 32 #2A.3 C-102.pdf

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Please advise. Thank you.

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Sent: Thursday, September 06, 2012 2:00 PM
To: Riley, Heather
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Dear Ms. Riley

To make sure we are both covered on this, I will treat your email as an application for an amended order not requiring notice, and prepare an order accordingly.

Sincerely

David K. Brooks

From: Riley, Heather [<mailto:Heather.Riley@wpxenergy.com>]
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Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
Revised August 1, 2011

Submit one copy to
Appropriate District Office

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

*API Number		*Pool Code 71629	*Pool Name BASIN FRUITLAND COAL
*Property Code	*Property Name SCHALK 32		*Well Number 2A
*OGRID No. 120782	*Operator Name WILLIAMS PRODUCTION COMPANY		*Elevation 6955'

¹⁰ Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idh	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
L	32	31N	4W		2070	SOUTH	660	WEST	RIO ARriba

¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

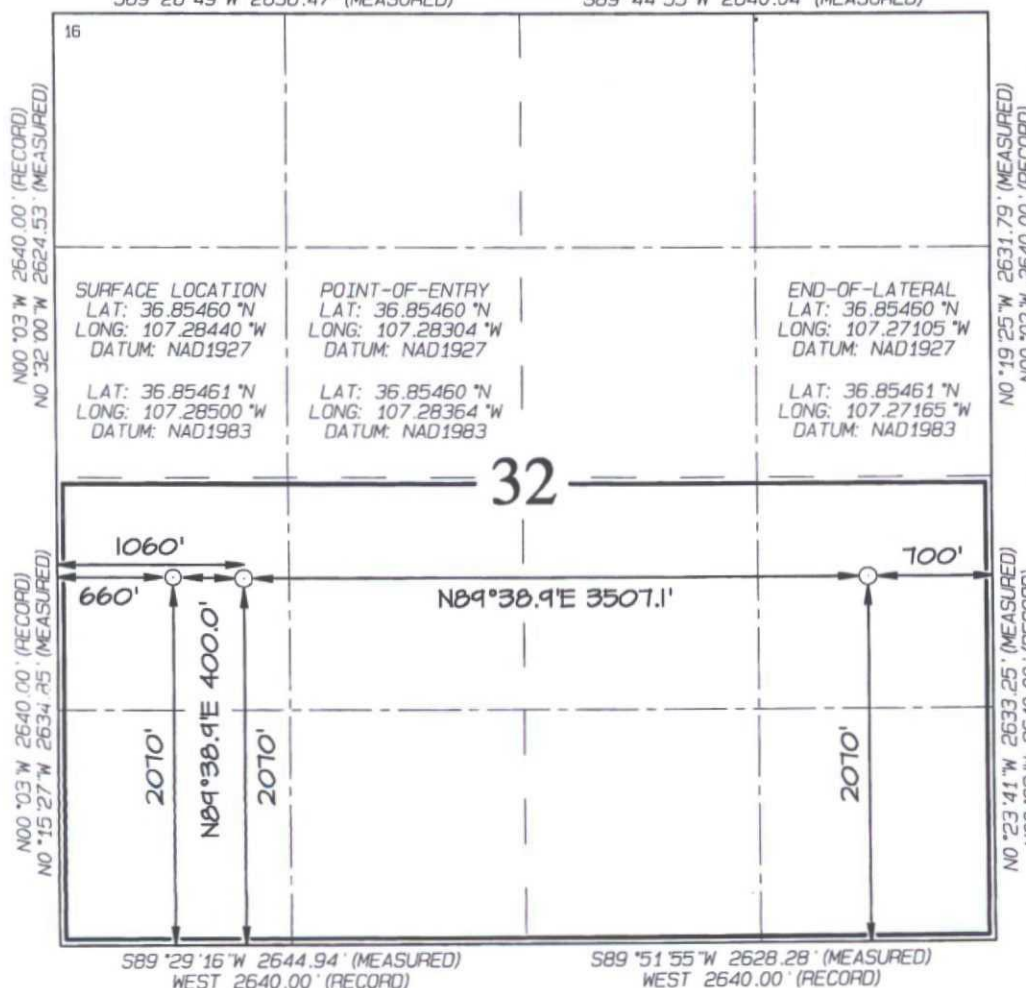
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¹² Dedicated Acres 320.0 Acres - (S/2)	¹³ Joint or Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

N89°58'W 2639.01' (RECORD)
S89°28'49"W 2636.47' (MEASURED)

N89°58'W 2639.01' (RECORD)
S89°44'53"W 2640.04' (MEASURED)



¹⁷ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom-hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.

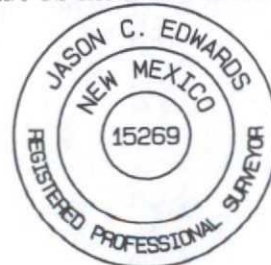
Signature _____ Date _____
Printed Name _____
E-mail Address _____

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 Revised: MARCH 12, 2013
Date of Survey: AUGUST 9, 2011

Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor



JASON C. EDWARDS
Certificate Number 15269

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September 12, 2012

WPX Energy Production, LLC
Attn: Ms. Heather Riley

ADMINISTRATIVE NON-STANDARD LOCATION ORDER

Administrative Order NSL-6624-A
Administrative Application Reference No. pDKB1225642257

WPX Energy Production, LLC
OGRID 120782
Schalk 32 Well No. 2A
API No. 30-039-31108

This Order supersedes Order NSL-6624, issued on May 21, 2012.

Proposed Location:

	Footages	Unit	Sec.	Township	Range	County
Surface	2070 FSL & 660 FWL	L	32	31N	4W	Rio Arriba
Penetration Point	2132 FSL & 1056 FWL	L	32	31N	4W	Rio Arriba
Terminus	2600 FSL & 750 FEL	I	32	31N	4W	Rio Arriba

Proposed Project Area:

Description	Acres	Pool	Pool Code
S/2 of Section 32	320	Basin Fruitland Coal Gas	71629

Reference is made to your application received on April 25, 2012.

You have requested to drill this horizontal well at an unorthodox oil well location described above in the referenced pool or formation. Spacing in this pool is governed by the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, as amended by Order No. R-8768-F, effective July 17, 2003, which provide generally for 320-acre units with wells to be located at least 660 feet from any unit boundary. This location is unorthodox because portions of the proposed completed interval are less than 660 feet from an outer boundary of the project area.

September 12, 2012
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Your application has been duly filed under the provisions of Division Rules 15.13 [19.15.15.13 NMAC] and 4.12.A(2) [19.15.4.12.A(2) NMAC].

It is our understanding that you are seeking this location for engineering reasons, in order to maximize drainage of this project area by the wellbore lateral.

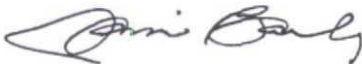
It is also understood that notice of this application to offsetting operators or owners is unnecessary due to common ownership.

Pursuant to the authority conferred by Division Rule 15.13.B, the above-described unorthodox location is hereby approved.

This approval is subject to your being in compliance with all other applicable Division rules, including, but not limited to Division Rule 5.9 [19.15.15.9 NMAC].

Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jami Bailey", with a stylized, cursive script.

Jami Bailey
Director

JB/db

cc: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division – Aztec
United States Bureau of Land Management