

GREENHILL PETROLEUM CORPORATION

11490 WESTHEIMER ROAD, SUITE 200 HOUSTON, TEXAS 77077-6841 TELEPHONE (713) 589-8484 FAX. (713) 589-7892

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Incorporated in Delaware, U.S.A.

March 23, 1992

Oil Conservation Division State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department P. O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

Attention:

Mr. Mike Stogner

Re:

Unorthodox Location and Drilling Permit

Proposed Well Number 140 Lovington Paddock Unit Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

Greenhill Petroleum Corporation respectfully requests the State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Division grant approval of the proposed unorthodox location and the attached permit to drill Well Number 140 in the Lovington Paddock Unit, located in Lea County, New Mexico.

The Lovington Paddock Unit is presently developed and being waterflooded utilizing a 40-acre well density. It is believed that infill development using a 20-acre well density will improve waterflood sweep efficiency and will increase secondary oil recovery. The proposed location for Well Number 140 is located in the interior of the unit and is not competitive with offset wells outside the unit. Information gathered as a result of drilling this infill well will be utilized in evaluating additional infill development potential in the unit and ultimately may be used to evaluate the feasibility of tertiary recovery.

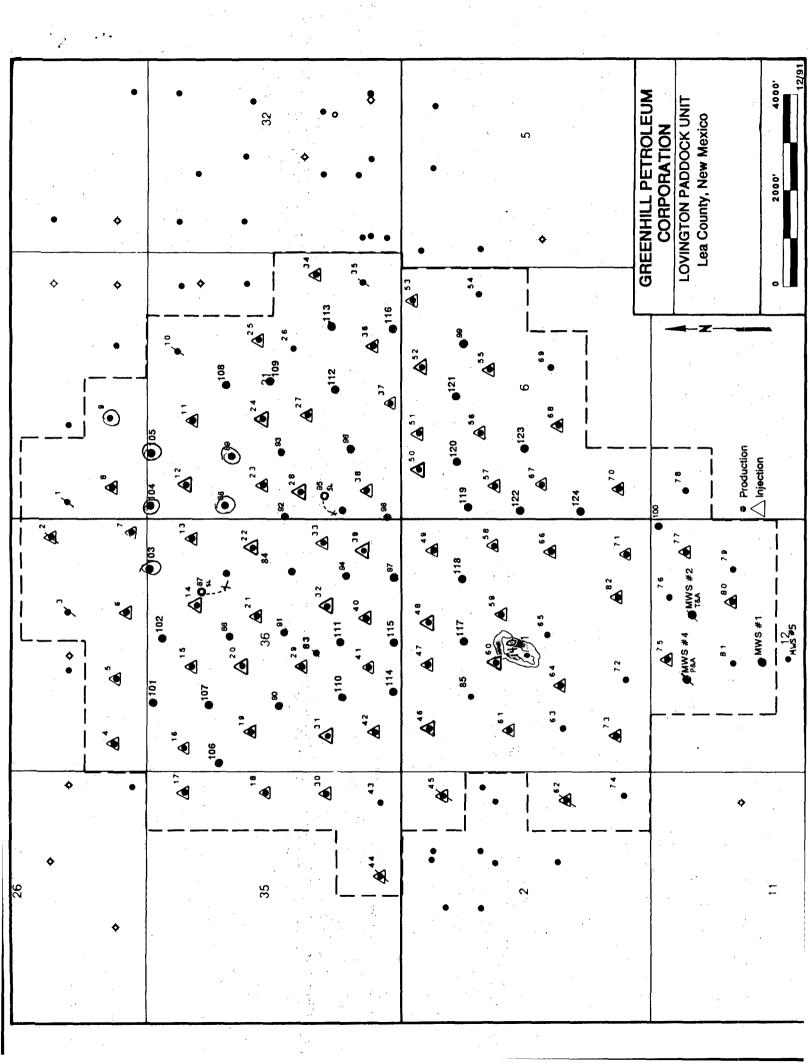
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Respectfully yours,

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| DISTRICT I P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NA DISTRICT II P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, 1 | OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION P.O. Box 2088 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088 | | | | ype of Lease | OB New Wells) | |
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| APPLICAT | TION FOR PERMIT T | O DRILL, DEEPEN, | OR PLUG BACK | | | | |
| la. Type of Work: | | | | 7. Lease Nam | e or Unit Agr | eement Name | |
| b. Type of Well: OIL XX OAS WELL XX WELL | L XX RE-ENTER | DEEPEN SINGLE | PLUG BACK | Lovingt | ton Pado | dock Unit | |
| 2. Name of Operator GI | REENHILL PETROLI | EUM CORPORATION | | 8. Well No. | 140 | | |
| 3. Address of Operator 11490 Westheimer, Suite 200, Houston, Texas 77077-6841 Lovington Paddock | | | | | | | |
| 4. Well Location Unit Letter | F : 2,522 Feet Fr | rom The North | Line and 2,63 | 0 Feet F | rom The | West | Line |
| Section | Towns | 17S Nip Ra | 36E | NMPM . | Lea | Co | unty |
| | | 10. Proposed Depth 5,150 | ft. | Formation an Andres | | 12. Rotary or C.T. Rotary | |
| 13. Elevations (Show whether 3,828.2 | er DF, RT, GR, etc.) 1 ft. GR | 4. Kind & Status Plug. Bood On file | 15. Drilling Contracto | TBD | 16 Approx D | Work will stant | _ |
| 17. PROPOSED CASING AND CEMENT PROGRAM | | | | | | | |
| SIZE OF HOLE | SIZE OF CASING | WEIGHT PER FOOT | | SACKS OF | CEMENT | EST. TOP | , |
| 12-1/4 | 8-5/8 | 24 | 1,300 ft. | 550 | | Surface | |
| 7-7/8 | 5-1/2 | 15.5 | 5.150 ft. | 1,00 | | Surface | |
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| IN ABOVE SPACE DESCRIBE PROPOSED PROGRAM: # PROPOSAL IS TO DE ZONE. GIVE BLOWOUT PREVENTER PROGRAM, IF ANY. | | ZONE AND PROPOSED NEW PRODUCTIVE |
|---|--|----------------------------------|
| I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge SIGNATURE SIGNATURE | e and belief Land Manager TITLE Permian Basin | DATE03/23/92 |
| TYPEOR PRINT NAME Michael J. Newport | | 713 TELEPHONE NO. 589-8484 |
| (This space for State Use) | | |
| APTROVED BY | . m.z | DATE |

GREENHILL PETROLEUM CORPORATION BOP PROGRAM FOR LOVINGTON PADDOCK UNIT #140

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BOP Program

| Size | Depth | Wt. | Grade | Configuration | Test Pressure |
|----------------|-------|------|----------|---------------|---------------|
| 8 5/8 " | 1300' | 24 | H40, STC | RA* | 200 psi |
| 5 1/2 " | 6450' | 15.5 | K55, STC | RR* | 250/1500 psi |

*RR-Ram Ram RA-Ram Annular

Diverter-Hydrill may be substituted for a diverter.

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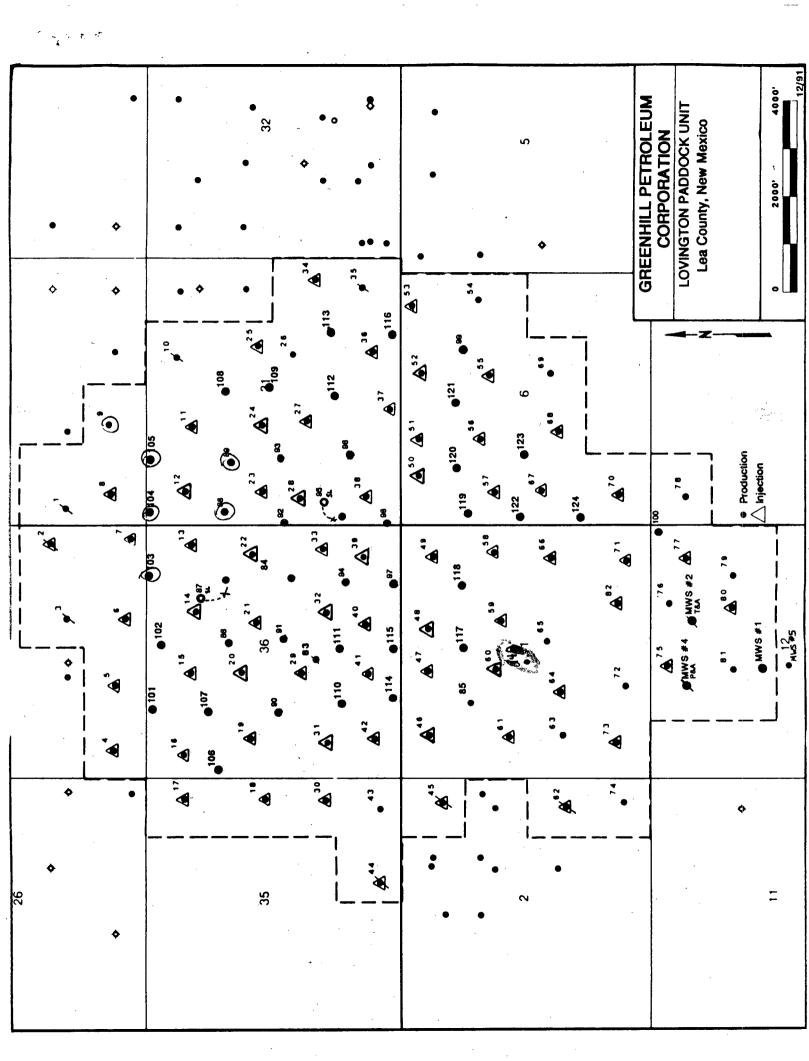
DISTRICT II P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88810

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

DISTRICT III 1000 Rio Brasos Rd., Astec, NM 67410

All Distances must be from the outer boundaries of the section

| Operator GR | REENHILL PETF | OLEUM CORP. | Lease | LOVINGTON PA | DDOCK UN | IIT | Well No. 140 |
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| OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION P. O. BOX 2088 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501 | NSL-3107 |
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| RE: Proposed: MC DHC NSL NSP SWD WFX PMX | |
| Gentlemen: | • |
| I have examined the application for Areenhill Petroleum Corporator Lease | 0 1 - 7 |
| and my recommendations are as fol | lows: |
| OK_ | |
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| Yours very truly | |

Supervisor, District 1