

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
 ENERGY, MINERALS AND  
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 DEPARTMENT  
 OIL CONSERVATION  
 DIVISION  
 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

**AFFIDAVIT of PUBLICATION**

The State of New Mexico through its Oil Conservation Division hereby gives notice pursuant to law and the Rules and Regulations of the Division of the following public hearing to be held at 8:15 A.M. on August 20, 2015, in the Oil Conservation Division Hearing Room at 1220 South St. Francis, Santa Fe, New Mexico, before an examiner duly appoint for the hearing. If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing, please contact: Florene Davidson at 505-476-3458 or through the New Mexico Relay Network, 1-800-659-1779 by August 10, 2015. Public documents including the agenda and minutes, can be provided in various accessible forms. Please contact Florene Davidson if a summary or other type of accessible form is needed.

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:**  
 All named parties and persons having any right, title, interest or claim in the following case and notice to the public.

(NOTE: All land descriptions herein refer to the New Mexico Principal Meridian whether or not so stated.)

To: Moon Royalty, LLC

CASE 15348: Application Of WPX Energy Production, LLC For Approval Of The West Escavada Unit; Creation Of A New Pool For Horizontal Development Within The Unit Area, And For Allowance Of 330 Foot Setbacks From The Exterior Of The Proposed Unit, Sandoval County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval of its West Escavada Unit consisting of approximately 1,926.42 acres of Federal and Allotted Indian lands situated in all or parts of the S/2 of Section 7, the S/2 of Section 8, and all of Sections 17 and 18, Township 22 North, Range 7 West, Sandoval County, New Mexico. The unitized interval includes the Mancos formation at a depth of 3,858 feet down to the stratigraphic equivalent of the base of the Greenhorn formation at a depth of 5,695 feet as encountered in the Fulton well in Section 31, Township 23 North, Range 7 West, N.M.P.M. API No. 30-043-05164). In addition, Applicant seeks an order creating a new pool within the unitized interval for horizontal well development that will allow for wells to be located anywhere within the proposed Unit Area so long as the completed interval is no closer than 330 feet from the outer boundary of the proposed Unit. The subject acreage is located approximately 6.5 miles Southwest of Counselor, New Mexico.  
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Rockford M. Hayes, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the Publisher of the **Rio Rancho Observer**, printed and published twice each week in the County of Sandoval, State of New Mexico, and of general circulation in the City of Rio Rancho, County of Sandoval, State of New Mexico and elsewhere, and the here to attached

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was printed and published correctly in the regular and entire issue of said **Rio Rancho Observer** for 1 issue(s), that the first was made on the 2<sup>ND</sup> day of August, 2015, and subsequent publications being:

Request of **RIO RANCHO OBSERVER**

By:  
 Affiant

*Rockford M. Hayes*

Subscribed and sworn to me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2015 in the City of Rio Rancho County of Sandoval State of New Mexico.

Phyllis A. Santora  
 Notary

Notary Public in and for the County of Sandoval, State of New Mexico

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