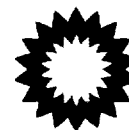


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March 21, 2001

Mr. Michael Stogner
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Santa Fe, NM 87505

Case 12664

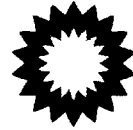
Application For Non-Standard Well Location
E. E. Elliott B Well No. 8M
770' FSL, 2420' FEL, Section 27-T30N-R09W
Basin Dakota Gas Pool
San Juan County, New Mexico

Amoco Production Company hereby requests administrative approval for an non-standard well location for our E. E. Elliott B well no. 8M to be drilled and completed in both the Basin Dakota and the Blanco Mesaverde Gas Pools and downhole commingled. The subject well will require a non-standard location exception for the Basin Dakota completion as the proposed location does not conform to the Dakota location requirements that stipulate that a well be located no closer than 660' to any outer boundary of the quarter section on which the well is located. The proposed well location is 220' from the west line of the quarter section as shown on the attached Form C-102.

We respectfully request than administrative approval be granted for this Dakota location as stated above our intention is to completed in both the Dakota and Mesaverde Pools and downhole commingle. Application will be made to commingle the Mesaverde and Dakota via a separate application. The well is outside the well location window for the Dakota by being too close to the interior quarter section line thereby crowding our own spacing unit. Amoco is the only affected party. By completing the well at the proposed location it conforms to Mesaverde spacing requirements, prevents waste in the Mesaverde, minimizes interference with other Mesaverde wells and allows maximum drainage and recovery of the Mesaverde resource.

Also attached for your reference is a 9 Section plat with the subject well and surrounding wells identified, a portion of a topographic map with the well identified, and a map indicating directions to the well location.

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Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions concerning this application please do not hesitate to call me at 281-366-4491.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Corley", is written over the typed name.

Mary Corley

Sr. Regulatory Analyst

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cc: Frank Chavez, Supervisor
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Form C-102
 Revised February 21, 1994
 Instructions on back
 Submit to Appropriate District Office
 State Lease - 4 Copies
 Fee Lease - 3 Copies

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AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number		² Pool Code		³ Pool Name	
		71599 & 72319		BASIN DAKOTA & BLANCO MESAVERDE	
⁴ Property Code		⁵ Property Name			⁶ Well Number
000470		E. E. Elliott B			# 8M
⁷ OGRID No.		⁸ Operator Name			⁹ Elevation
000778		AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY			5840

¹⁰ Surface Location

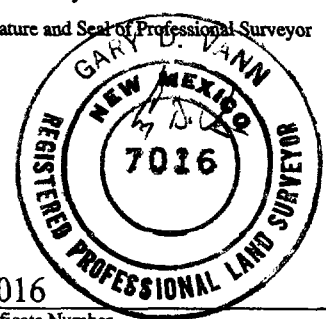
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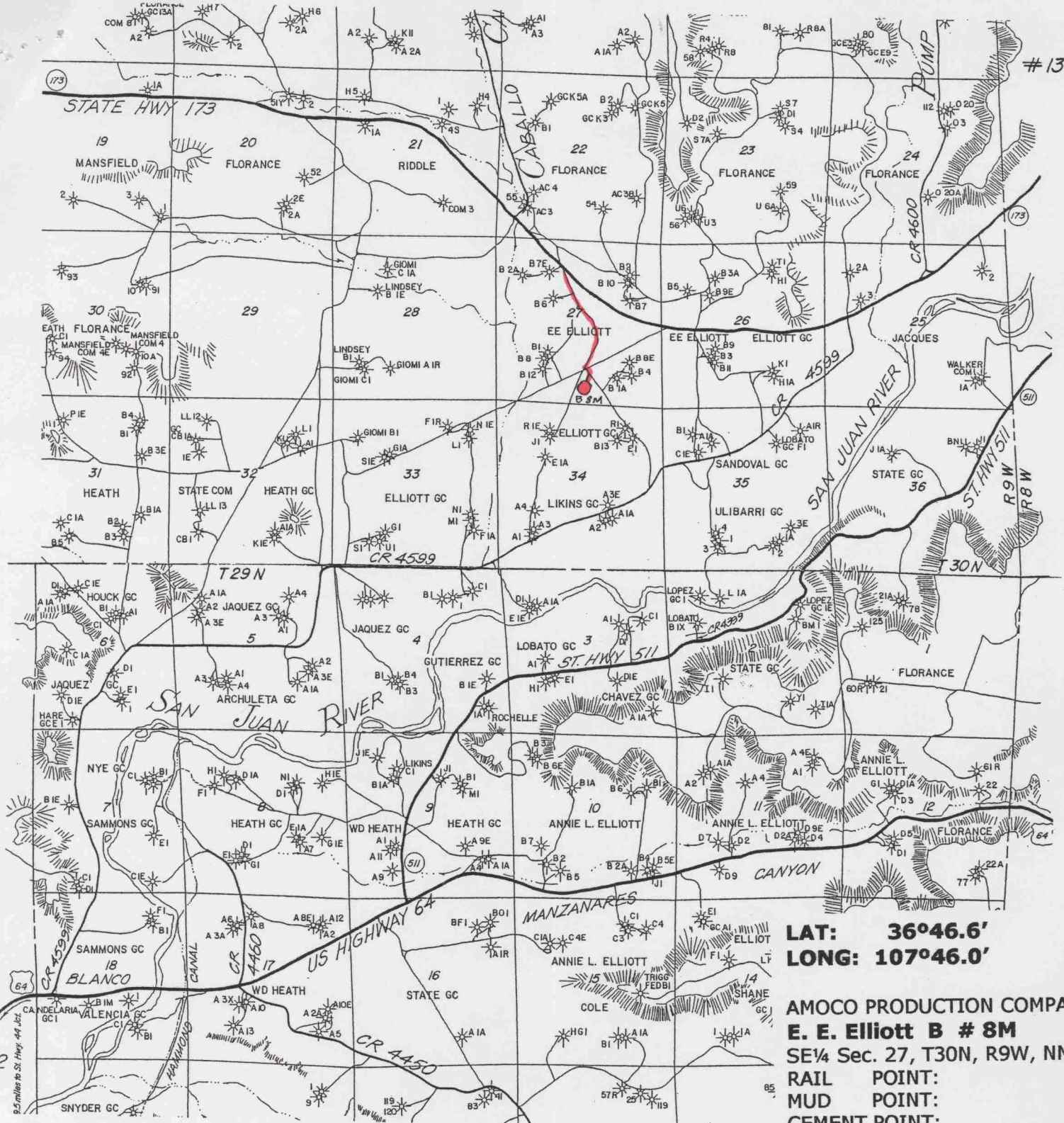
¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

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 Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.
320.00			

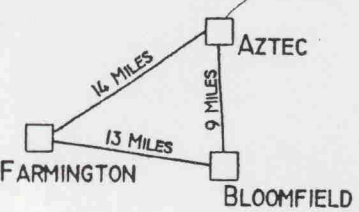
NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

<p>16</p> <p>5219(R)</p> <p>E. E. Elliott "B" Well No. 8 30-045-09129 1450' E SW L - 1560' E SW L Basin Dakota Completion Spud: 4-11-65 PIA'd: 12-1996</p>	<p>5219(R)</p> <p>E. E. Elliott "B" Well No. 1 30-045-09143 1650' E SW L Blanco Mesaverde Completion Spud 6-16-52</p>	<p>E. E. Elliott "B" #8-E 30-045-26299 1560' E SW L - 1070' E SW L Spud: 3-31-85 Basin Dakota Completion (5-23-85)</p> <p>Reported to be recompleted as a 200' unit Blanco MU on 10-27-80</p>	<p>17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</p> <p><i>Mary Corley</i> Signature MARY CORLEY Printed Name SR. REGULATORY ANALYST Title 03-21-2001 Date</p>
			<p>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.</p> <p>February 2, 2001 Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor  7016 Certificate Number</p>



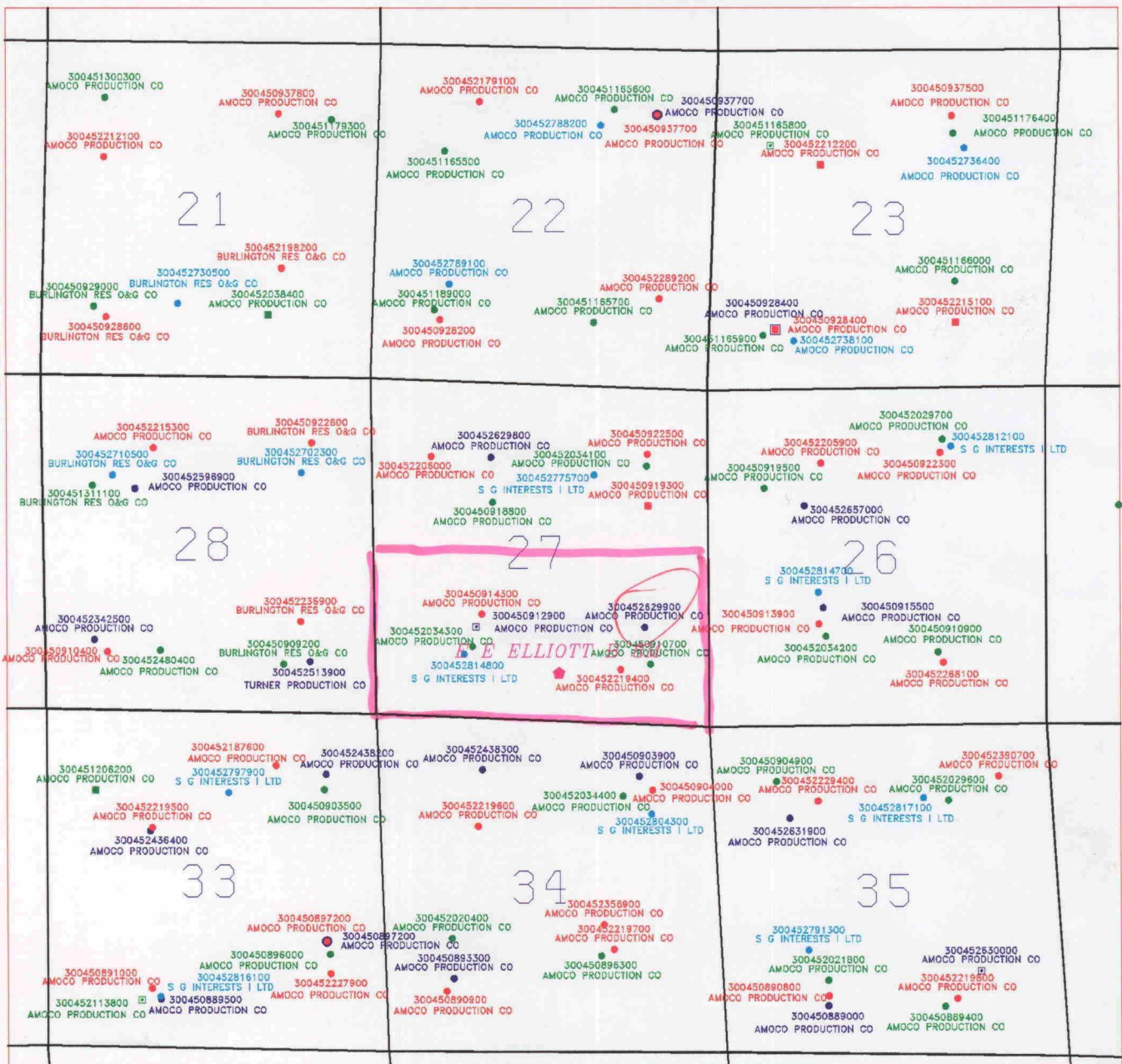
LAT: 36°46.6'
LONG: 107°46.0'

AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY
E. E. Elliott B # 8M
 SE¼ Sec. 27, T30N, R9W, NMPM
 RAIL POINT:
 MUD POINT:
 CEMENT POINT:



State Hwy 173 13 miles





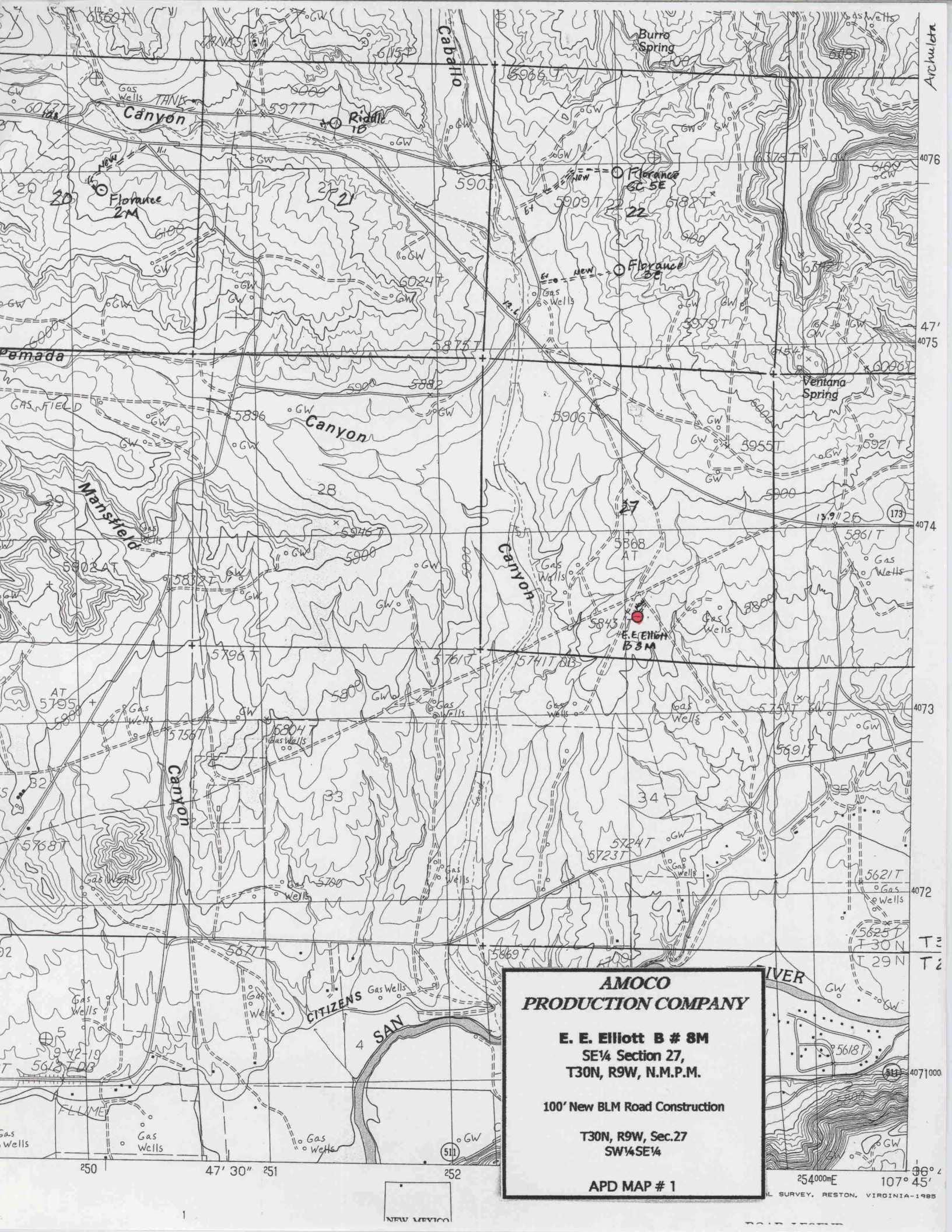
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9 Section Plat

30N9W Section 27

E. E. Elliott B 8M

SCALE	DRAWN C. E. SACKETT	DATE 25-JAN-2001
DRAWING		



**AMOCO
PRODUCTION COMPANY**

E. E. Elliott B # 8M
SE¼ Section 27,
T30N, R9W, N.M.P.M.

100' New BLM Road Construction

T30N, R9W, Sec.27
SW¼SE¼

APD MAP # 1

250 47' 30" 251 252 254,000ME 107° 45' 1985