

BEFORE THE
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Santa Fe, New Mexico

November 19, 1953

IN THE MATTER OF:

The application of the Oil Conservation Commission upon its own motion for an order calling for the extension of existing pools in San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties, New Mexico, and giving notice to all persons and parties interested in the subject matter thereof to appear and show cause why such extensions should not be made. Case No. 604

(a) Extend the Blanco-Mesaverde Pool boundary to include the following area:

Twp. 27 North, Rge. 4 West
Sections 1 thru 12, incl., all

Twp. 27 North, Rge. 5 West
Sections 1 thru 12, incl., all;
Sections 15 thru 21, incl., all;
Sections 28, 29 and 30, all

Twp. 27 North, Rge. 6 West
Sections 1 thru 6, incl., all

Twp. 28 North, Rge. 3 West
Sections 4 thru 9, incl., all;
Sections 15 thru 22, incl., all;
Sections 27 thru 34, incl., all

Twp. 28 North, Rge. 4 West
Partial Sections 7 thru 12, incl., all;
Sections 13 thru 36, incl., all

Twp. 28 North, Rge. 5 West
Partial Sections 7 thru 12, incl., all;
Sections 13 thru 36, incl., all

Twp. 28 North, Rge. 6 West
Sections 19 thru 36, incl., all

Twp. 29 North, Rge. 3 West
Sections 19, 20 and 21, all;
Sections 28 thru 33, incl., all

Twp. 29 North, Rge. 4 West
Sections 19 thru 36, incl., all

Twp. 29 North, Rge. 5 West

Sections 1 thru 16, incl., all;
Sections 19 thru 33, incl., all

Twp. 29 North, Rge. 6 West

Sections 1 and 12, all

Twp. 30 North, Rge. 5 West

Sections 7 thru 10, incl., all;
Sections 13 thru 36, incl., all

Twp. 31 North, Rge. 6 West

Partial Sections 4, 5 and 6;
Sections 7, 8 and 9, all;
Sections 16 thru 36, incl.

Twp. 30 North, Rge. 6 West

Sections 1 thru 5, incl., all;
Sections 10 thru 15, incl., all

Twp. 31 North, Rge. 7 West

Partial Sections 1 thru 6, incl., all;
Sections 7 thru 36, incl., all

Twp. 32 North, Rge. 6 West

Sections 7 and 8, all;
Sections 17 thru 20, incl., all;
Sections 29 thru 32, incl., all

Twp. 32 North, Rge. 7 West

Sections 9 thru 16, incl., all;
Sections 21 thru 28, incl., all;
Sections 33 thru 36, incl., all

Twp. 32 North, Rge. 9 West

Sections 29 and 32, all

Twp. 31 North, Rge 9 West

Section 5, all;
Sections 8 thru 11, incl., all

Twp. 32 North, Rge. 10 West

Section 27, all

Twp. 32 North, Rge. 11 West

Partial Sections 7 thru 12, incl., all;
Sections 17 and 18, all

(b) Extend the South Blanco - Tocito Pool boundary to include the following area:

Twp. 26 North, Rge. 6 West

N/2 Section 8

(c) Extend the South Blanco - Dakota Pool boundary to include the following area:

Twp. 26 North, Rge. 6 West

SW/4 Section 4;
SE/4 Section 5;
NE/4 Section 8;
NW/4 Section 9

(d) Extend the South Blanco - Pictured Cliffs Pool boundary to include the following area:

Twp. 26 North, Rge. 5 West
SW/4 Section 19

Twp. 26 North, Rge. 6 West
SE/4 Section 20;
S/2 Section 21

BEFORE:

Edwin L. Mechem, Governor
E. S. Walker, Land Commissioner
R. R. Spurrier, Secretary, Oil Conservation Commission

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

COMMISSIONER WALKER: The next case is 604.

(Notice of publication read by Mr. Graham.)

E L V I S A. U T Z

the witness, having been first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

By MR. GRAHAM:

Q Will you state your name and official position, please?

A Elvis A. Utz, Engineer, Oil Conservation Commission.

Q In your capacity as engineer for the Commission, have you had occasion to examine the Case 604 in the matter of the corrections of existing pools in San Juan, Rio Riba County as advertised?

A Yes, I have.

Q Do you have any recommendations?

A Yes, I have. I recommend that the pools Blanco, Mesa-verde Pool, the south Blanco - Tocito and the south Blanco - Dakota and the south Blanco - Pictured Cliffs Pools be extended as advertised with one exception. The Blanco - Mesaverde Pool, it was recommended in 29 North, 5 West to include sections one through 16 and nine through 33, this should include 19, of one through 16 and 19 through 36.

Q As advertised?

A As advertised. It is not advertised that way. It should include that correction from 33 to 36. 29 North, 5 West. It should include 34, 35, 36. It may be, however, we will have to re advertise that three sections. Other than that, I recommend that the extensions be made as advertised and I submit an exhibit which lists all those extensions and the wells which support those extensions.

Q No further statement to be made?

A No, I have nothing further.

COMMISSIONER WALKER: Any questions of the witness? If not, the witness may be excused. The case will be taken under advisement. If no further comments, the Oil Commission meeting will be adjourned.

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C E R T I F I C A T E

I, ADA DEARNLEY, Court Reporter, do hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of proceedings was taken before me on Thursday, November 19, 1953; that the same is a true and correct record to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability.

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ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

DATED at Albuquerque, New Mexico, this 27th day of
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