

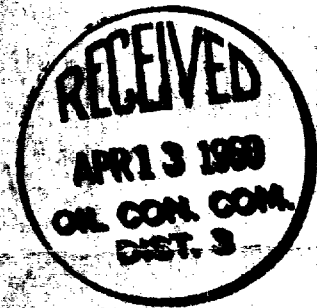
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April 9, 1960



Mr. A. E. [illegible]  
Engineer [illegible]  
Oil Conservation Commission  
1000 Rio Pecos Road  
Aztec, New Mexico

Mr. Otto Reynolds #1 Wood

Dear Sir:

I came to your office Friday April 8, 1960 and talked to Mr. Arnold. I was out of the office at that time, in regards to your letter to Mr. Otto Reynolds dated April 7, 1960. As Otto has been ill and under Doctors care and as I am also interested in the well, I am answering your letter for him.

We have been producing the well for something like three weeks and have been waiting for a report from Dowell's laboratory. They have sent them cores from the well and they are analyzing them. We are to make recommendations to us on a free job. They have been at their office twice and so far they don't have a report for us.

The well has not had a fire wall built yet, because we have a tank of oil in it and we need to get it out of there. This oil we intend to use in our production. This has all been hanging on our report from Dowell which we can't have any day.

In regards to letter seeking approval for the non-standard location, I wrote a letter dated March 22, 1960 for Mr. John [illegible] of Ranger Drilling Co. He signed it and I mailed it to [illegible] Santa Fe.

This letter will satisfactorily explain our actions and we will comply with your rules and regulations. I wish to have an extension of two weeks to finish completing this.

ILLEGIBLE

Yours very truly,

Nelson Standerfer  
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1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD  
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April 7, 1960

Mr. Otto Reynolds  
Box 402  
Bloomfield, New Mexico

Re: Reynolds #1 Wood  
SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Section 14-29N-11W  
San Juan County, N.M.

Dear Sir:

We reached an oral agreement on March 9, 1960 on subject well.  
However you have not constructed the required fire wall around  
tank or cleaned up the location as agreed.

We have received no word from our Santa Fe Office relative to a case  
being called by you seeking approval for the non-standard location  
of subject well.

Therefore drilling and producing operations on subject well are  
hereby suspended and must cease immediately.

Yours very truly

ARK:ks

A. R. Kendrick  
Engineer, District #3

cc: Mr. Oliver Payne  
Chief Attorney  
OCC, Santa Fe, N.M.

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FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO

*Farmington  
oil well  
location*

April 26, 1960

*check at hearing whether  
fire wall has been built  
as req'd by Kendrick's  
letter of April 21*

Mr. A.L. Porter  
Oil Conservation Commission  
P.O. Box 871  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Porter:

I am enclosing copies of two letters, one from Mr. A.R. Kendrick in regards to approval of a non-standard location for a well known as Otto V. Reynolds #1 Woods. The other is a copy of a letter I wrote and Mr. John Dunn signed which, I mailed you your office. I was told to send Mr. Dunn's letter to you for approval but, as Mr. Kendrick states they have had no word from your office about this. I can get Mr. Dunn to sign another letter to his approval of our non-standard location but, at the present time he is in Oklahoma and I don't know when to expect him back. Maybe this will help clear up the matter.

Very truly yours,

*Nelson Standefer*  
Nelson Standefer.

*Do not  
mail  
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*Set for hearing  
on June 1. Applicant  
is Otto Reynolds -  
Request is for unorthodox  
oil well location.*

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