

W. W. West Nittawa, Texas
West Dog Canyon Unit
Comprises 37,782 acres
Federal State Fee lands
T 25 & 26 S, R 19 & 20 E
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Otero Co.

Jack K Letts 318 Patterson Bldg
Denver 80202 Colo.
Ph. 825-0325

CERTIFICATION-DETERMINATION

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Interior, under the act approved February 25, 1920, 41 Stat. 437, as amended, 30 U. S. C. secs. 181, et seq., and delegated to the Oil and Gas Supervisors of the Geological Survey (33 F.R. 5812), I do hereby:

A. Approve the attached agreement for the development and operation of the West Dog Canyon Unit Area, State of New Mexico.

B. Certify and determine that the unit plan of development and operation contemplated in the attached agreement is necessary and advisable in the public interest for the purpose of more properly conserving the natural resources.

C. Certify and determine that the drilling, producing, rental, minimum royalty and royalty requirements of all Federal leases committed to said agreement are hereby established, altered, changed or revoked to conform with the terms and conditions of this agreement.

Dated _____.

Oil and Gas Supervisor, United States Geological Survey

Contract Number _____



UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO:

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Mr. W. W. West
401 North Colorado
Midland, Texas 79701

Dear Mr. West:

Your application of June 12, 1971, filed with the Regional Oil and Gas Supervisor, Roswell, New Mexico, requests the designation of the West Dog Canyon unit area involving 37,782.24 acres, more or less, Otero County, New Mexico, as logically subject to exploration and development under the unitization provisions of the Mineral Leasing Act, as amended. Our records indicate this area to be 37,781.88 acres with the unit area embracing 33,445.14 acres (88.57 percent) of Federal land, 3,836.74 acres (10.16 percent) of State of New Mexico land and 480 acres (1.27 percent) of fee land. Please recheck and correct your acreage, if appropriate, prior to submitting the unit agreement for final approval.

Pursuant to Unit Plan Regulation of December 22, 1950, 30 CFR 226.3, 1968 reprint, the land requested as identified on your plat marked "Exhibit A, West Dog Canyon Unit, Otero County, New Mexico," is hereby designated as a logical unit area.

The unit agreement submitted for the area designated should provide for the drilling of the initial exploratory well to test the Bliss formation of Cambrian Age or to a depth of 7,000 feet. As proposed by your application, the Form of Unit Agreement for Unproved Areas (1968 reprint) should be used as modified by the appropriate language required for State of New Mexico and fee lands.

In the absence of any other type of land requiring special provisions or any objections not now apparent, a duly executed agreement identical to said form, modified only as indicated above and approved by the appropriate officials of the State of New Mexico, will be approved if submitted in approvable status within a reasonable time. However, the right is reserved to deny approval of any executed agreement which, in our opinion, does not have full commitment of sufficient lands to afford effective control of unit operations.

When the executed agreement is transmitted to the Supervisor for approval, include the latest status of all acreage. The format of the sample exhibits attached to the 1968 reprint of the standard form should be followed closely in the preparation of Exhibits A and B.

As the unit area contains State of New Mexico lands, we are sending a copy of this letter to the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico in Santa Fe. Please contact the State of New Mexico before soliciting joinders, regardless of prior contacts with or clearances from the State.

Sincerely yours,

W. A. Radlinski

Acting Director

cc:

BLM, Santa Fe (w/cy of Ex. A)

Com. Pub. Lands, Santa Fe (w/cy of Ex. A)

NMOC, Santa Fe

Roswell (2)

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
Drawer 1857
Roswell, New Mexico 88201

IN REPLY REFER TO:

July 20, 1971

4568

Mr. W. W. West
401 North Colorado
Midland, Texas 79701

Dear Mr. West:

The West Dog Canyon unit agreement, Otero County, New Mexico, was approved on July 20, 1971. This agreement has been designated No. 14-08-0001-11590 and is effective as of July 21, 1971.

Enclosed are two copies of the approved unit agreement. We request that you furnish all interested principals with appropriate evidence of this approval.

Sincerely yours,

N. O. FREDERICK
Regional Oil and Gas Supervisor

cc:
Washington (w/cy approved appln.)
BLM, Santa Fe (w/cy approved appln.)
Artesia (w/cy approved appln.)
BMC, Roswell (ltr. only)
NMOCC, Santa Fe (ltr. only) ✓
Com. of Pub. Lands, Santa Fe (ltr. only)

July 16, 1971

Mr. W. W. West
401 North Colorado
Midland, Texas 79701

Re: WEST DOG CANYON UNIT
Otero County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. West:

The Commissioner of Public Lands has this date approved your West Dog Canyon Unit, Otero County, New Mexico, subject to like approval by the United States Geological Survey.

Enclosed are five (5) Certificates of Approval.

This Unit Agreement becomes effective upon approval by the United States Geological Survey, therefore, please furnish us a copy of their Certificate of Determination so that we may finish processing this unit.

Very truly yours,

RAY D. GRHAM, Director
Oil and Gas

AJA/RDG/s
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cc: USGS-Roswell, New Mexico
OCC- Santa Fe, New Mexico

Unit Name WEST DOG CANYON UNIT
Operator W. W. WEST
County OTERO COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

DATE	OCC CASE NO. 4568	EFFECTIVE DATE	TOTAL ACREAGE	STATE	FEDERAL	SECRETAGE	TERM
APPROVED	OCC ORDER NO. R-4168	DATE	ACREAGE	STATE	FEDERAL	SECRETAGE	TERM
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7-16-71							

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Sections 10 through 15:	All
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Sections 7 and 8:	All
Sections 17 through 20:	All
Section 21:	W/2
Section 28:	W/2
Sections 29 through 33:	All
Section 34:	W/2
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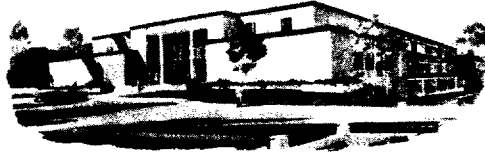
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75	L-592	C.S.	25	25S	19E	NE/4NW/4, W/2SW/4	7-15-71	1,280.00		W. W. West
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			2	26S	19E	A11				
76	L-594	C.S.	18	25S	20E	Lot 2, S/2NE/4, SE/4NW/4, E/2SW/4	7-15-71	396.74		W. W. West
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			6	26S	20E	Lot 1, NW/4NE/4, NE/4NW/4,				
77	L-4267-2		36	25S	19E	SE/4, E/2SW/4, SW/4SW/4	NOT COMMITTED	280.00		King Resources & Natural Resources
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State of New Mexico

TELEPHONE
505-827-2748



Commissioner of Public Lands

December 12, 1972

ALEX J. ARMIJO
COMMISSIONER

P. O. Box 1148
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

REGISTERED MAIL

Mr. W. W. West
401 North Colorado
Midland, Texas 79701

Re: West Dog Canyon Unit
Otero County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. West:

We are in receipt of a copy of a letter from the United States Geological Survey to you dated December 7, 1972, whereby they notify you that the West Dog Canyon Unit Agreement is considered to have terminated automatically by the terms of the agreement as of November 20, 1972.

This office concurs with the determination of the United States Geological Survey and this letter is to notify you that this office has this date terminated the West Dog Canyon Unit agreement effective as of November 20, 1972.

Please notify all interest parties of this action.

Very truly yours,

RAY D. GRAHAM, Director
Oil and Gas Department

AJA/RDG/s
cc:

OCC-Santa Fe, New Mexico
USGS-Roswell, New Mexico

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