

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
**BANNON ENERGY INCORPORATED**

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November 22, 1989

Mr. Mike Stogner  
Energy and Minerals Dept.  
Oil Conservation Division  
310 Old Santa Fe Trail, Room 206  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

Re: Approval of Non Standard Location - Federal 8-2  
Section 8, T23N-R6W  
351' FSL x 2171' FEL  
Counselors Gallup Dakota  
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner

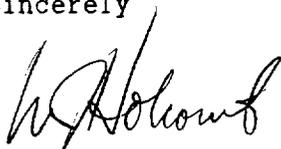
Please accept this letter as request for approval of non-standard location for the above referenced well.

We request your approval of a location exception based on the following:

The archaeological survey Technical Report No. 1740 was conducted on November 1989. Due to extensive archaeological constraints the well could not be located in an orthodox location. Please find enclosed the report no. 1740 as **ATTACHMENT NO. 1** recommended clearance for the proposed well pad. **ATTACHMENT NO. 2** is a map of offset leases within a one mile radius of the proposed location. The offset operators have been notified of this non-standard location request and copies of the requested Registered Receipts are shown as **ATTACHMENT NO. 3**.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at (505) 326-0550. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely



W. J. Holcomb  
Operating Agent,  
Bannon Energy, Inc.

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Enclosures



## DIVISION OF CONSERVATION ARCHAEOLOGY

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San Juan County  
Museum Association

November 16, 1989

Mr. Bradley Salzman  
Holcomb Oil and Gas  
P.O. Box 2058  
Farmington, New Mexico 87499

Dear Mr. Salzman:

Our addendum to the archaeological survey of the proposed Bannon Federal 8-2 well pad located southeast of Lybrook, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico is enclosed. No cultural manifestations were found. Two previously recorded sites, DCA-89-309 and DCA-89-458, lie adjacent to the project boundaries. They are at least 100 ft from construction activities and should not be affected.

We have recommended clearance for the restaked located of the Bannon Federal 8-2 well pad.

The Bureau of Land Management will review this report and make the final decision on archaeological clearance for your project.

Also enclosed is an invoice for our services. Please contact us if you have any questions concerning the report or invoice.

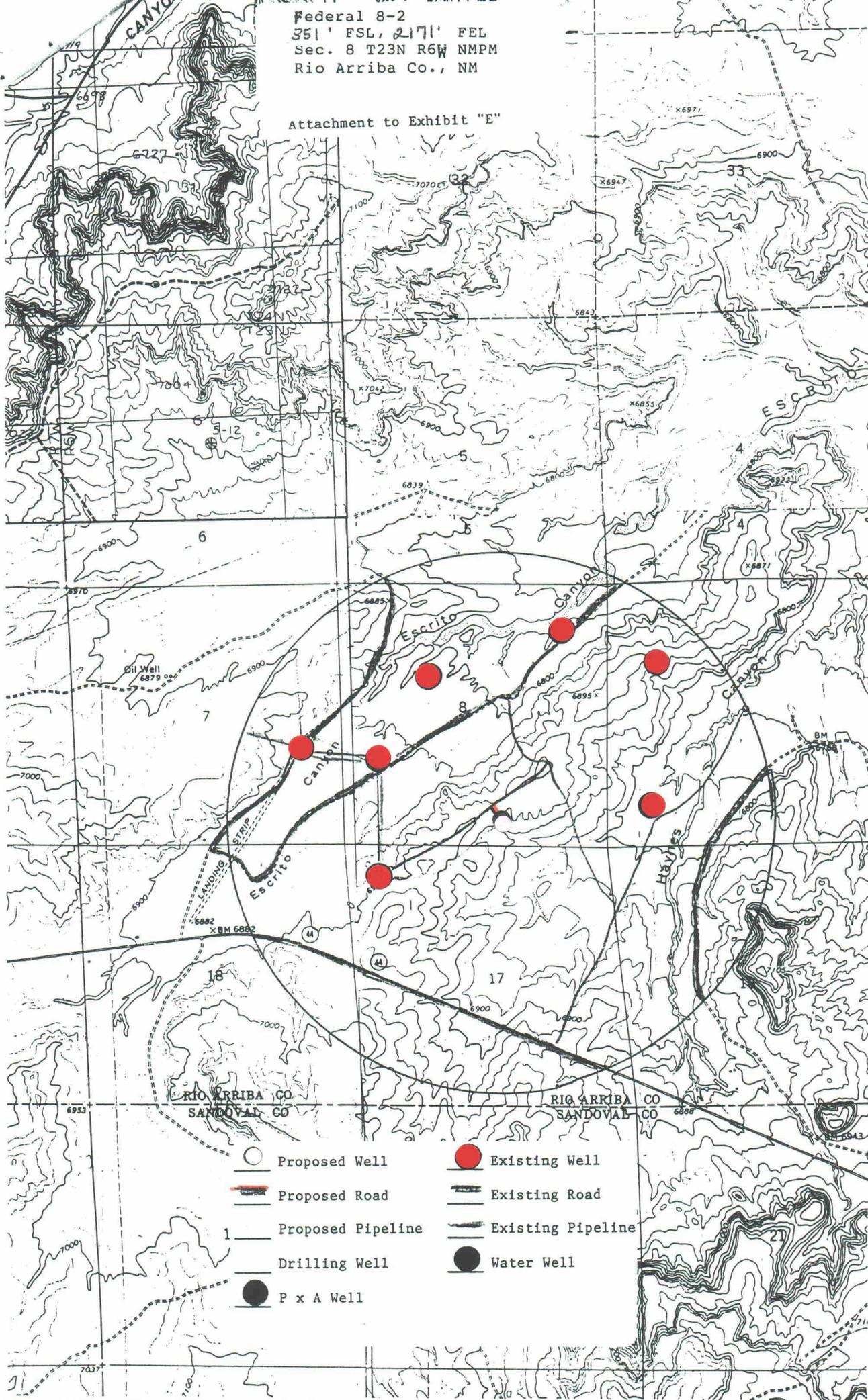
Sincerely,

Patricia Walker-Buchanan  
Supervisory Archaeologist

cc: Resource Area Manager, BLM, Farmington (2)

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 Rio Arriba Co., NM

Attachment to Exhibit "E"



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|---|-------------------|---|-------------------|
|  | Proposed Well     |  | Existing Well     |
|  | Proposed Road     |  | Existing Road     |
|  | Proposed Pipeline |  | Existing Pipeline |
|  | Drilling Well     |  | Water Well        |
|  | P x A Well        |   |                   |

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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED  
P-117-124-017

J. A. Cole Production  
P.O. Box 191  
Farmington, New Mexico 87499

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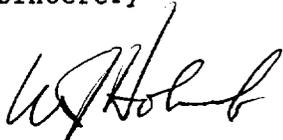
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Ramsey Property Management  
P.O. Box 13237  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73113

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