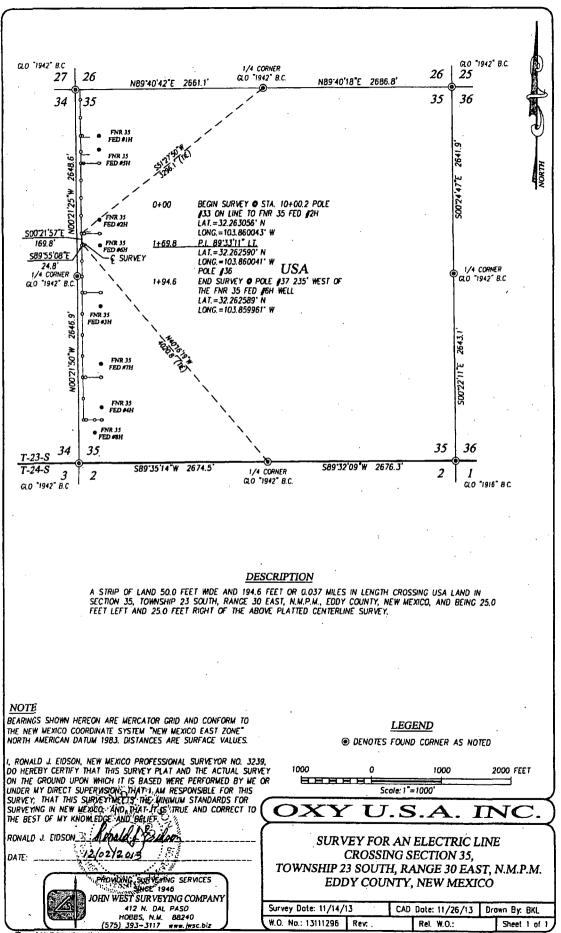
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### FNR 35 Electric Line Sundries

Nicholas\_Bouterie@oxy.com <Nicholas\_Bouterie@oxy.com> To: idahal@blm.gov Mon, Nov 10, 2014 at 8:54 AM

Indra:

None of these routes should require a ROW Application, as they do not appear to cross lease lines.

1- The routes for all of these will include a 3 phase, 480V system.

2- FNR 26-4H to FNR 35-1H: 1,050.60 feet in length; 4 poles
FNR 35-1H to FNR 35-2H: 1,958.20 feet in length; 10 poles
FNR 35-2H to FNR 35-3H: 1,159.80 feet in length; 7 poles
FNR 35-3H to FNR 35-4H: 2,378.60 feet in length; 11 poles

Thanks for your help in processing these.

Nick Bouterie

Sr. Landman

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Project Lead: Indra Dahal Recd Date: 12-08-2014 NEPA Checklist

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# DECISION RECORD (DR) AND FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT (FONSI) Pecos District, Carlsbad Field Office

DOI-BLM-NM-P020-2015-0265-EA Oxy USA Incorporated Lease No. NMNM0531277A FNR 35 Federal 1H Overhead Electric Line FNR 35 Federal 2H Overhead Electric Line FNR 35 Federal 3H Overhead Electric Line FNR 35 Federal 4H Overhead Electric Line

# Purpose and Need for Action

Oxy USA Incorporated (Oxy) has applied through four sundries to install an overhead electric line on Federal surface approximately 15 miles east of Loving, NM. The location of the proposed overhead power line is as follows:

#### T23S, R30E NMPM

Sec. 26: SW4SW4 Sec. 35: NW4NW4, SW4NW4, NW4SW4

<u>Mitigation Measures</u>: The Pecos District Conditions of Approval including special requirements for construction of overhead power line.

### Recommendation and Rationale:

Our analysis has shown with proper mitigation the proposed action would have minimal environmental impacts. The proposed action is consistent with the 1988 Carlsbad Resource Management Plan, as amended by the 1997 Carlsbad Approved Resource Management Plan Amendment, and the 2008 Special Status Species Approved Resource Management Plan Amendment. Therefore, it is recommended that this application be approved.

Prepared by:

Indra Dahal, Natural Resource Specialist

12/10/14 Date

# Finding of No Significant Impact/Decision Record:

I have reviewed this environmental assessment including the explanation and resolution of any potentially significant environmental impacts. I have determined that the proposed action with the mitigation measures described above will not have any significant impacts on the human environment, no significant impacts to minority or low-income populations or communities have been identified for the proposed action and that an EIS is not required. I have determined that the proposed project is in conformance with the approved land use plan. It is my decision to implement the project with the mitigation measures as described above.

Carlsbad Field Office, BLM

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#### Company Reference: Occidental Oil & Gas Well No. & Name: FNR 35 Fed 1H, 2H, 3H, and 4H Overhead Electric Line

### STANDARD STIPULATIONS FOR OVERHEAD ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION LINES

A copy of the grant and attachments, including stipulations, survey plat and/or map, will be on location during construction. BLM personnel may request to you a copy of your permit during construction to ensure compliance with all stipulations.

Holder agrees to comply with the following stipulations to the satisfaction of the Authorized Officer:

1. The holder shall indemnify the United States against any liability for damage to life or property arising from the occupancy or use of public lands under this grant.

2. The holder shall comply with all applicable Federal laws and regulations existing or hereafter enacted or promulgated. In any event, the holder shall comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976 as amended, 15 USC 2601 <u>et seq</u>. (1982) with regards to any toxic substances that are used, generated by or stored on the right-of-way or on facilities authorized under this right-of-way grant. (See 40 CFR, Part 702-799 and especially, provisions on polychlorinated biphenyls, 40 CFR 761.1-761.193.) Additionally, any release of toxic substances (leaks, spills, etc.) in excess of the reportable quantity established by 40 CFR, Part 117 shall be reported as required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, section 102b. A copy of any report required or requested by any Federal agency or State government as a result of a reportable release or spill of any toxic substances shall be furnished to the authorized officer concurrent with the filing of the reports to the involved Federal agency or State government.

3. The holder agrees to indemnify the United States against any liability arising from the release of any hazardous substance or hazardous waste (as these terms are defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9601, <u>et seq</u>. or. the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. 6901, <u>et seq</u>.) on the Right-of-Way (unless the release or threatened release is wholly unrelated to the Right-of-Way holder's activity on the Right-of-Way), or resulting from the activity of the Right-of-Way holder on the Right-of-Way. This agreement applies without regard to whether a release is caused by the holder, its agent, or unrelated third parties.

4. There will be no clearing or blading of the right-of-way unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the Authorized Officer.

5. Power lines shall be constructed and designed in accordance to standards outlined in "Suggested Practices for Avian Protection on Power lines: The State of the Art in 2006" Edison Electric Institute, APLIC, and the California Energy Commission 2006. The holder shall assume the burden and expense of proving that pole designs not shown in the above publication deter raptor perching, roosting, and nesting. Such proof shall be provided by a raptor expert

approved by the Authorized Officer. The BLM reserves the right to require modification or additions to all powerline structures placed on this right-of-way, should they be necessary to ensure the safety of large perching birds. Such modifications and/or additions shall be made by the holder without liability or expense to the United States.

Raptor deterrence will consist of but not limited to the following: triangle perch discouragers shall be placed on each side of the cross arms and a nonconductive perching deterrence shall be placed on all vertical poles that extend past the cross arms.

6. The holder shall minimize disturbance to existing fences and other improvements on public lands. The holder is required to promptly repair improvements to at least their former state. Functional use of these improvements will be maintained at all times. The holder will contact the owner of any improvements prior to disturbing them. When necessary to pass through a fence line, the fence shall be braced on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting the fence. No permanent gates will be allowed unless approved by the Authorized Officer.

7. The BLM serial number assigned to this authorization shall be posted in a permanent, conspicuous manner where the power line crosses roads and at all serviced facilities. Numbers will be at least two inches high and will be affixed to the pole nearest the road crossing and at the facilities served.

8. Upon cancellation, relinquishment, or expiration of this grant, the holder shall comply with those abandonment procedures as prescribed by the Authorized Officer.

9. All surface structures (poles, lines, transformers, etc.) shall be removed within 180 days of abandonment, relinquishment, or termination of use of the serviced facility or facilities or within 180 days of abandonment, relinquishment, cancellation, or expiration of this grant, whichever comes first. This will not apply where the power line extends service to an active, adjoining facility or facilities.

10. Any cultural and/or paleontological resource (historic or prehistoric site or object) discovered by the holder, or any person working on his behalf, on public or Federal land shall be immediately reported to the Authorized Officer. Holder shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the Authorized Officer to determine appropriate actions to prevent the loss of significant cultural or scientific values. The holder will be responsible for the cost of evaluation and any decision as to proper mitigation measures will be made by the Authorized Officer after consulting with the holder.

11. Special Stipulations:

- For reclamation remove poles, lines, transformer, etc. and dispose of properly.
- Fill in any holes from the poles removed.