

Casa No.

213

Application, Transcript,
Small Exhibits, Etc.

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE DEFINITION
AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SEVERAL
OIL AND GAS POOLS OF MCKINLEY,
SAN JUAN AND RIO ARRIEA COUNTIES
IN NORTHWESTERN NEW MEXICO
UNDER AUTHORITY OF RULE NO. 5.

CASE NO. 213
ORDER NO. R-13

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

This matter came on for hearing at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on February 21, 1950, on the motion of the Oil Conservation Commission and upon the recommendation of the Northwestern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee.

The Commission having heard the evidence presented and having taken the case under advisement finds:

1. It has jurisdiction of this case and the parties interested therein, due notice of the hearing having been given.

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<u>POOL</u>	<u>PRODUCING HORIZON</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>TWP. & RGE.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
Angels Peak (Gas)	Dakota	San Juan	27N - 10W 28N - 10W	Sec. 3, W/2 Secs. 4, 5, All Secs. 32, 33, All Sec. 34, W/2
Aztec- Farmington (Gas)	Farmington	San Juan	30N - 11W	Sec. 9, S/2 Sec. 10, S/2 Sec. 15, N/2 Secs. 16, 17, All Sec. 20, N/2 Sec. 21, N/2
Aztec- Pictured Cliffs (Gas)	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	30N - 11W	Secs. 9, 10, 15, 16
Barker Creek- Dakota (Gas)	Dakota	San Juan	32N - 14W	Secs. 9, 10, 11, that portion in N. M. Secs. 14, 15, 16, All Sec. 17, E/2 Secs. 20, 21, 22, All Sec. 23, NW/4 Sec. 27, NW/4 Sec. 28, N/2 Sec. 29, All
Barker Creek- Paradox (Gas)	Paradox	San Juan	32N-14W	Secs. 9, 10, 11, that portion in N. M. Secs. 14, 15, 16, All Sec. 17, E/2 Secs. 20, 21, 22, All Sec. 23, NW/4 Sec. 27, NW/4 Sec. 28, N/2 Sec. 29, All

<u>POOL</u>	<u>PRODUCING HORIZON</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>TWP. & RGE.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
Blanco- Pictured Cliffs (Gas)	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	30N - 9W	Sec. 28, W/2 Secs. 29,32, All Sec. 33, W/2
Blanco- Mesaverde (Gas)	Mesaverde	San Juan	29N - 9W	Sec. 2, W/2 Secs. 3,4,5,9,10,11, 14,15, All
			30N - 9W	Sec. 7, S/2 Sec. 8, S/2 Sec. 15, W/2 Secs. 16,17,18,19, 20,21,22, All Secs. 27,28,29,30, 32,33,34, All
Bloomfield (Oil)	Farmington	San Juan	29N - 11W	Sec. 13, W/2 Secs. 14,15,16,17, 18,19,20,21,22,23, All Sec. 24, W/2
Gavilan (Gas)	Pictured Cliffs	Rio Arriba	25N - 2W	Sec. 10, SE/4 Sec. 11, S/2 Secs. 14,15, All Sec. 22, NE/4 Sec. 23, N/2
Hogback- Dakota (Oil)	Dakota	San Juan	29N - 16W	Sec. 18, S/2 Sec. 19, All
Hospah (Oil)	Hospah Sand	McKinley	17N - 8W	Sec. 6, W/2
			17N - 9W	Sec. 7, NW/4 Sec. 1, All Sec. 2, E/2 Sec. 11, NE/4 Sec. 12, N/2
			18N - 8W	Sec. 31, W/2
			18N - 9W	Sec. 35, E/2 Sec. 36, All
Fulcher Basin- Kutz Canyon (Gas)	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	27N - 9W	Secs. 6,7, All Sec. 18, N/2
			27N - 10W	Secs. 1,2,3,4,5, All Secs. 8,9,10,11,12, All Secs. 13,14,15,16, All Sec. 17, E/2 Sec. 20, E/2 Secs. 21,22, All Sec. 31, S/2
			28N - 9W	Secs. 7,8, All
			28N - 10W	Sec. 15, S/2 Secs. 16,17,18, All Secs. 19,20,21,22, All Sec. 23, W/2 Sec. 26, W/2 Secs. 27,28,29, All Secs. 30,31,32,33, 34,35,36, All
			28N - 11W	Secs. 9,10,11,12, 13,14,15,16,22,23, 24,25,26, All

<u>POOL</u>	<u>PRODUCING HORIZON</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>TWP. & RGE.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
			29N - 11W	Secs. 6,7,8, All Secs. 16,17,18,19, 20,21,22, All Secs. 26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35, 36, All
			29N - 12W	Secs. 1,2,3,4,5,6, 9,10,11,12,13,14, 15,23,24,25, All
			29N - 13W	Sec. 1, All
			30N - 12W	Sec. 19, All Sec. 20, S/2 Secs. 26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35, 36, All
			30N - 13W	Secs. 24,25,36, All
La Plata (Gas)	Mesaverde	San Juan	31N - 12W	Secs. 10,11,14, 15, All
Lindrith (Oil)	Dakota	Rio Arriba	24N - 2W	Secs. 20,21,28,29, All
Oswell (Oil)	Farmington	San Juan	29N - 11W	Sec. 3, N/2
			30N - 11W	Sec. 4, N/2 Sec. 27, S/2 Sec. 28, S/2 Secs. 33,34, All
Rattlesnake- Dakota (Oil)	Dakota	San Juan	29N - 19W	Secs. 1,2, All Sec. 11, E/2 Secs. 12,13, All
			30N - 19W	Sec. 35, S/2 Sec. 36, SW/4
Rattlesnake- Pennsylvanian (Oil)	Pennsylvanian	San Juan	29N - 19W	Secs. 1,2, All Sec. 11, E/2 Secs. 12,13, All
			30N - 19W	Sec. 35, S/2 Sec. 36, SW/4
Red Mountain (Oil)	Mesaverde	McKinley	20N - 9W	Secs. 20,21,28, 29, All
Table Mesa (Oil)	Dakota	San Juan	27N - 17W	Sec. 3, All
Ute Dome- Dakota (Gas)	Dakota	San Juan	31N - 14W 32N - 14W	Secs. 1,2, All Secs. 35,36, All
Ute Dome- Paradox (Gas)	Paradox	San Juan	31N - 14W 32N - 14W	Secs. 1,2, All Secs. 35,36, All
Wyper (Oil)	Farmington	San Juan	30N - 12W	Secs. 28,29,32, 33, All

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:


The above described areas are classified, named, and defined as oil pools or gas pools as they are severally designated.

DONE this 15th day of March, 1950.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

THOMAS J. MABRY, CHAIRMAN


GUY SHEPARD, MEMBER


R. R. SPURRIER, SECRETARY

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The State of New Mexico by its Oil Conservation Commission hereby gives notice pursuant to law and the rules and regulations of said Commission promulgated thereunder, of the following public hearings to be held February 21, 1950, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A.M., on that day in the City of Santa Fe, New Mexico, in the Capitol (Hall of Representatives).

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

The Northwestern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee, Mr. Paul Umbach, its Chairman, all operators in the area, and notice to the public:

Case 213

In the matter of hearing upon motion of the Oil Conservation Commission upon the recommendation of the Northwestern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee to define and classify the several oil and gas pools of McKinley, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties in Northwestern New Mexico under authority of the Oil Conservation Commission Rule No. 5.

Given under the seal of the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on February 7, 1950.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Sgd. R. R. SPURRIER, SECRETARY

LEA COUNTY OPERATORS COMMITTEE
DRAWLER "I"
HOBBS, NEW MEXICO

FEBRUARY 10, 1950

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AREAS AND BOUNDARIES OF OIL AND GAS POOLS IN THE SAN JUAN BASIN OF NEW MEXICO
By the Northwestern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee
Revised March 22, 1949

Approved by New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission June 1, 1949

	<u>POOL</u>	<u>PROD FROM</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>TWP. & RGE.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
oil	Angels Peak	Dakota	San Juan	27N-10W 28N-10W	Sec. 3, W/2 Secs. 4,5, All Secs. 32,33, All Sec. 34, W/2
Gas	Aztec	Farmington	San Juan	30N-11W	Sec. 9, S/2 Sec. 10, S/2 Sec. 15, N/2 Secs. 16,17, All Sec. 20, N/2 Sec. 21, N/2
Gas	Barker Creek	Dakota	San Juan	32N-14W	Secs. 9,10,11 that portion in N.M. Secs. 14,15,16, All Sec. 17, E/2 Secs. 20,21,22, All Sec. 23, NW/4 Sec. 27, NW/4 Sec. 28, N/2 Sec. 29, All
Gas	Barker Creek	Paradox	San Juan	32N-14W	Secs. 9,10,11 that portion in N.M. Secs. 14,15,16, All Sec. 17, E/2 Secs. 20,21,22, All Sec. 23, NW/4 Sec. 27, NW/4 Sec. 28, N/2 Sec. 29, All
Gas	Blanco	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	30N-9W	Sec. 28, W/2 Secs. 29,32, All Sec. 33, W/2
Gas	Blanco	Mesaverde	San Juan	29N-9W 30N-9W	Sec. 2, W/2 Secs. 3,4,5,9,10,11, 14,15, All Sec. 7, S/2 Sec. 8, S/2 Sec. 15, W/2 Secs. 16,17,18,19, 20,21,22, All Secs. 27,28,29,30, 32,33,34, All

Oil	Bloomfield	Farmington	San Juan	29N-11W	Sec. 13, W/2 Secs. 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, All Sec. 24, W/2
Gas	Gavilan	Pictured Cliffs	Rio Arriba	25N-2W	Sec. 10, SE/4 Sec. 11, S/2 Secs. 14, 15, All Sec. 22, NE/4 Sec. 23, N/2
Oil	Hogback	Dakota	San Juan	29N-16W	Sec. 18, S/2 Sec. 19, All
Oil	Hospah	Mesaverde	McKinley	17N-8W 17N-9W 18N-8W 18N-9W	Sec. 6, W/2 Sec. 7, NW/4 Sec. 1, All Sec. 2, E/2 Sec. 11, NE/4 Sec. 12, N/2 Sec. 31, W/2 Sec. 35, E/2 Sec. 36, All
Gas	Fulcher Basin- Kutz Canyon	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	27N-9W 27N-10W 28N-9W 28N-10W 28N-11W 29N-11W 29N-12W 29N-13W	Secs. 6, 7, All Sec. 18, N/2 Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, All Secs. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 All Secs. 13, 14, 15, 16 All Sec. 17, E/2 Sec. 20, E/2 Secs. 21, 22, All Sec. 31, S/2 Secs. 7, 8, All Secs. 15, 16, 17, 18, All Secs. 19, 20, 21, 22, All Sec. 26, W/2 Secs. 27, 28, 29, All Secs. 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, All Secs. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, All Secs. 6, 7, 8, All Secs. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, All Secs. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, All Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 23, 24, 25, All Sec. 1, All

				30N-12W	Sec. 19, All Sec. 20, S/2 Secs. 26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35, 36, All
Gas	La Plata	Mesaverde	San Juan	31N-12W	Secs. 10,11,14, 15, All
Oil	Lindrith	Dakota	Rio Arriba	24N-2W	Secs. 20,21,28,29, All
Oil	(3)Oswell	Farmington	San Juan	29N-11W	Sec. 3, N/2 Sec. 4, N/2
				30N-11W	Sec. 27, S/2 Sec. 28, S/2 Secs. 33,34, All
Oil	Rattlesnake	Dakota	San Juan	29N-19W	Secs. 1,2, All Sec. 11, E/2 Secs. 12,13, All
				30N-19W	Sec. 35, S/2 Sec. 36, SW/4
Oil	Rattlesnake	Pennsylvanian	San Juan	29N-19W	Secs. 1,2, All Sec. 11, E/2 Secs. 12,13, All
				30N-19W	Sec. 35, S/2 Sec. 36, SW/4
Oil	Red Mountain	Mesaverde	McKinley	20N-9W	Secs. 20,21,28, 29, All
Oil	Table Mesa	Dakota	San Juan	27N-17W	Sec. 3, All
Gas	Ute Dome	Dakota	San Juan	31N-14W 32N-14W	Secs. 1,2, All Secs. 35,36, All
Gas	Ute Dome	Paradox	San Juan	31N-14W 32N-14W	Secs. 1,2, All Secs. 35,36, All
Gas	Wyper	Farmington	San Juan	30N-12W	Secs. 28,29,32,33 All

*Abandoned, not currently producing.

NOTE:

The following extensions are pending for the Fulcher Basin-Kutz Canyon Pool:

T 27N - R 9W
Secs. 6,7, All
Sec. 18, N/2

T 28N - R 9W
Sec. 31, S/2

T 27N - R 10W
Sec. 13, All; Sec. 14, E/2

T 28N - R 10W
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2					Sec. 17, E/2
3					Secs. 20,21,22,All
4					Sec. 23, NW/4
5					Sec. 27, NW/4
6					Sec. 28, N/2
7					Sec. 29, All
6	Barker Creek- Paradox (Gas)	Paradox	San Juan	32N-14W	Secs. 9,10,11,that portion in N. M.
7					Secs. 14,15,16,All
8					Sec. 17, E/2
9					Secs. 20,21,22,all
10					Sec. 23, NW/4
11					Sec. 27, NW/4
12	Blanco-Pictured Cliffs (Gas)	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	30N-9W	Sec. 28, W/2
13					Secs. 29,32,All
14					Sec. 33, W/2
15	Blanco- Mesaverde (Gas)	Mesaverde	San Juan	29N-9W	Sec. 2, W/2
16					Secs. 3,4,5,9,10,11, 14,15,All
17				30N-9W	Sec.7, S/2
18					Sec. 8, S/2
19					Sec. 15, W/2
20					Secs. 16,17,18,19, 20,21,22, All
21	Bloomfield (Oil)	Farmington	San Juan	29N-11W	Secs. 27,28,29,30, 32,33,34, All
22					Sec. 13, W/2
23					Secs. 14,15,16,17, 18,19,20,21,22,23, All
24	Gavilan (Gas)	Pictured Cliffs	Rio Arriba	25N-2W	Sec. 24, W/2
25					Sec. 10, SE/4
26					Sec. 11, S/2
27					Secs. 14,15, All
28	Hogback - Dakota (Oil)	Dakota	San Juan	29N-16W	Sec. 22, NE/4
29	Hospah (Oil)	Hospah Sand	McKinley	17N-8W	Sec. 23, N/2
30				17N-9W	Sec. 6, W/2
31					Sec. 7, NW/4
32				18N-8W	Sec. 1, All
				18N-9W	Sec. 2, E/2
					Sec. 11, NE/4
					Sec. 12, N/2
					Sec. 31, W/2
					Sec. 35, E/2
					Sec. 36, All

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2		<u>HORIZON</u>			
3	Fulcher Basin- Kutz Canyon (Gas)	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	27N-9W	Secs. 6,7,All Sec. 18, N/2
4				27N-10W	Secs. 1,2,3,4,5,All Secs. 8,9,10,11,12, All
5					Secs. 13,14,15,16, All
6					Sec. 17, E/2 Sec. 20, E/2
7					Secs. 21,22, All
8				28N-9W	Sec. 31, S/2
9				28N-10W	Secs. 7, 8, All Sec. 15, S/2
10					Secs. 16,17,18,All Secs. 19,20,21,22, All
11					Sec. 23, W/2 Sec. 26, W/2
12					Secs. 27, 28,29,All
13					Secs. 30,31,32,33, 34,35,36,All
14				28N-11W	Secs. 9,10,11,12, 13,14,15,16,22,23, 24,25,26,All
15				29N-11W	Secs. 6,7,8, All Secs. 16,17,18,19, 20,21,22, All
16					Secs. 26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35, 36,All
17				29N-12W	Secs. 1,2,3,4,5,6, 9,10,11,12,13,14, 15,23,24,25, All
18				29N-13W	Sec. 1, All
19				30N-12W	Sec. 19, All Sec. 20, S/2
20					Secs. 26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35, 36,All
21				30N-13W	Secs. 24,25,36,All
22	La Plata (Gas)	Mesaverde	San Juan	31N-12W	Secs. 10,11,14, 15, All
23	Lindrith (Oil)	Dakota	Rio Arriba	24N-2W	Secs. 20,21,28,29, All
24	Oswell (Oil)	Farmington	San Juan	29N-11W	Sec. 3, N/2 Sec. 4, N/2
25				30N-11W	Sec. 27, S/2 Sec. 28, S/2
26					Secs. 33,34, All
27	Rattlesnake- Dakota (Oil)	Dakota	San Juan	29N-19W	Secs. 1,2, All Sec. 11, E/2
28				30N-19W	Secs. 12,13, All Sec. 35, S/2 Sec. 36, SW/4
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2		<u>HORIZON</u>			
3	Rattlesnake- Pennsylvanian (Oil)	Pennsylvanian	San Juan	29N-19W	Secs. 1,2, All
4					Sec. 11, E/2
5				30N-19W	Secs. 12,13, All
6	Red Mountain (Oil)	Mesaverde	McKinley	20N-9W	Sec. 35, S/2
7					Sec. 36, SW/4
8	Table Mesa (Oil)	Dakota	San Juan	27N-17W	Secs. 20,21,28, 29, All
9	Ute Dome- Dakota (Gas)	Dakota	San Juan	31N-14W	Sec. 3, All
10				32N-14W	Secs. 1,2, All
11	Ute Dome- Paradox (Gas)	Paradox	San Juan	31N-14W	Secs. 35,36, All
12				32N-14W	Secs. 1,2, All
13	Wyper (Oil)	Farmington	San Juan	30N-12W	Secs. 35,36, All
14					Secs. 28,29,32, 33, All

15 IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED:

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18 DONE this _____ day of March, 1950.

19 STATE OF NEW MEXICO
20 OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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February 7, 1950

ESPAÑOLA VALLEY NEWS
Española, New Mexico

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Very truly yours,

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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R. R. Spurrer
Secretary-Director

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FARMINGTON TIMES HUSTLER

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EXHIBIT A - CASE 213

Muldrow NM 5 and 6 base map showing San Juan Basin pools and producing horizons filed in Frank Barnes map rack.

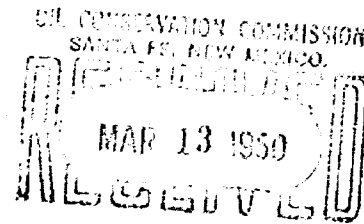
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A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. R. Spurrier".

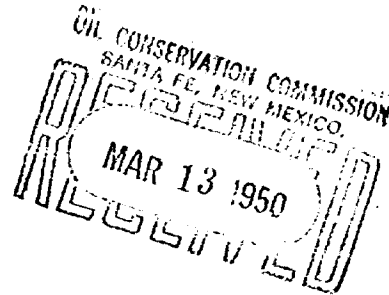
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CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

March 9, 1950



Mr. R. R. Spurrier
State Geologist
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Case
213

R-13

Dear Dick:

Enclosed is proposed Order No. R-10 in connection with the definition of oil and gas pools in northwestern New Mexico. I am also sending a copy of this to Mr. Paul Umbach who is chairman of the Northwestern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee. I request that Paul check the descriptions against his map and notify you of any discrepancies.

If no changes are to be made in the descriptions, I recommend that the Commission sign this Order as drawn.

Yours very truly,

Don G. McCormick

DGM:bb

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Paul Umbach
Stanolind Oil and Gas Company
Albuquerque, New Mexico

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LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION
COMMISSION**

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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
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COMMISSION**
R. R. Spurcker, Secretary

SEAL
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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO }
COUNTY OF SAN JUAN } ss.

Clayton J. Boddy being first duly sworn, on oath states: that he is the publisher-advertising manager of the Farmington Daily Times, a daily newspaper published, and of general paid circulation in San Juan County, New Mexico, said newspaper being the successor, without interruption, of the Farmington Times Hustler, a weekly newspaper formerly published and of general paid circulation in said County and State, continuously and without interruption, for more than 28 weeks immediately prior to its succession by said daily paper; that said Farmington Times Hustler was, and the Farmington Daily Times is entered and mailed under the second class postal privilege in said County, that being the County in which the notice, of which a copy as published, is hereto attached and made part hereof, is required to be published; that said notice was published in the Farmington Daily Times in the English language once each week for one consecutive weeks on the following dates, to-wit:

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Clayton J. Boddy
Publisher-Advertising Manager

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of February, 1950.

Willis Martin
Notary Public

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(SEAL) R. R. SPORRIER, Secretary.
Pub.: Feb. 10, 1950.

Affidavit of Publication

State of New Mexico }
County of Santa Fe } ss.

I, Will Harrison, being first duly sworn, declare and say that I am the (Business Manager) (Editor) of the Santa Fe New Mexican, a daily newspaper, published in the English Language, and having a general circulation in the City and County of Santa Fe, State of New Mexico, and being a newspaper duly qualified to publish legal notices and advertisements under the provisions of Chapter 167 of the Session Laws of 1937; that the publication, a copy which is hereto attached, was published in said paper ~~once each week~~ for one time ~~consecutively~~ weeks consecutively the first publication being on the 10th day of February, 1950, and the last publication on the 10th day of February, 1950; that payment for said advertisement has been (duly made), or (assessed as court costs); that the undersigned has personal knowledge of the matters and things set forth in this affidavit.

Will Harrison
Editor ~~Manager~~

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of February, A.D., 1950.

Anna K. Ormsbee
Notary Public

My Commission expires June 14, 1953

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Oil Conservation Commission

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State of New Mexico by its Oil Conservation
Commission hereby gives notice etc

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Rio Arriba ✓
Santa Fe ✓

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The North western New Mexico ^{Oil} ~~Conservation~~ ^{Committee}
Nomenclature Committee, All
operators in the area, and Notice
to the public.

Case No 213

In the matter of hearing upon
motion of the Oil Conservation
Commission upon the recommendation
of the Northwestern New Mexico
Nomenclature Committee to define
and classify the general
oil and gas pools of McKinley, San Juan,
Sandoval and Rio Arriba Counties
in Northwestern New Mexico
under authority ~~of~~ of
the Oil Conservation Commission
Rules & Regulations (Order # 850)

And to hear testimony and
determine upon extension,
deletion, from and to Classify any case
in San Juan County, New Mexico
heretofore defined by orders nos. 748 and 799.

Given under the seal of
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State of New Mexico to:

Get on =
Bert Marshall

Southeastern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee, ^{B. Chairman} all operators, and notice to the public:

Case # 212

in the matter of hearing upon motion of the Oil Conservation Commission upon recommendation of the Southeastern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee to extend the boundaries of certain pools which have heretofore been named and defined in Rule 5 of the Oil Conservation Commission (Order No. 850); said extensions are:

(6⁰)
(1) Extend the Empire pool to include
S/2 Sec 12, N/2 Sec 13, Twp 17 S. R. 27 E,
and N/2 Sec 18, Twp 17 S. R. 28 E, n m pm
(Eddy County) for 7 Rivers Prod.

oil (2) Extend the Turkey Hook - Queen pool
to include S/2 Sec 10, N/2 Sec 15
Twp 19 S. R. 29 E n m pm for Queen Production
(Eddy County)

(3) Extend the Loco Hills pool to include
all of Sec. 12, Twp 18 S. R. 28 E n m pm for
Mayburg production. (Eddy County)

(4) Extend the Hare pool to include E/2
Sec 29, Twp 21 S. R. 37 E for Simpson sand production
(Lea County) n m pm

(5) Extend the House pool to include
N/2 and NE⁴ Sec 1, Twp 20 S. R. 38 E and all of Sec.
6 Twp 20 S. R. 39 E n m pm for Lower Leonard (Permian)
production - (Lea County)

(6) Extend the Young pool to include NE⁴ Sec 19
Twp 18 S. R. 37 E for Queen sand production -
(Lea County) n m pm

(7) Extend the West Lovington pool to include
E/2 Sec 12, Twp 17 S. R. 35 E, and SW⁴ of
Sec 7, Twp 17 S. R. 36 E for San Andreas production
(Lea County) n m pm

(8) Extend the North Brinkard pool to include SW⁴ Sec 3, Twp 21 S, R. 37 E ^{WMPM} for Brinkard production (Lee County)

(9) Extend the Langlie-Mattley pool to include all 9 secs 3 and 10 Twp 23 S, R. 36 E ^{WMPM} for Yates production (Lee County)

(10) Extend the Brumson pool to include SW⁴ Sec 22, Twp 21 S, R. 37 E, 7th pm for Ellenteger production (Lee County),

and the Cassifying ^{each} named pools so extended as a gas pool or an oil pool.

~~State of New Mexico to:~~

In view under the Seal of the
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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, }
 COUNTY OF MCKINLEY } ss:

...Joseph G. Lawler:..... being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and says:

That he is NEWS EDITOR.....of the Gallup Independent, a newspaper published in and having a general circulation in McKinley County, New Mexico, and in the Town of Gallup, therein: that this affiant makes this affidavit based upon his own personal knowledge of the facts herein sworn to. That the publication, a copy of which is hereto attached was published in said newspaper, in the regular and entire issue of each number of said newspaper during the period and time of publication and said notice was published in the newspaper

proper, and not in a supplement thereof, for one time only.....weeks

consecutively, the first publication being on the 10th.....day of

February....., 19..50, the second publication being

on the.....day of, 19.....

the third publication being on the.....day of

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and the last publication being on the day of

....., 19.....

That such newspaper, in which such notice or advertisement was published, is now and has been at all times material hereto, duly qualified for such purpose, and to publish legal notices and advertisements within the meaning of Chapter 167 of the 1937 laws of the State of New Mexico.

Joseph G. Lawler
 Affiant.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this...tenth.....day of

February....., A. D., 19..50.

Marion Eugene Jensen
 Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 4, 1953.....

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R. R. Spurrier, Secretary

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R. R. Spurrer
R. R. SPURRIER, SECRETARY

(e) Requirements for testing wells in a specific manner in order to determine:

- (1) Factors necessary for the application of the allocation formula.
- (2) The amount of gas and water produced in order to determine whether the prescribed penalties are applicable.
- (3) That the several wells can or cannot produce its daily allowable.

It seems to me that there is a tendency to move toward the use of the acreage factor, although there are other possible factors which in proper combination would be acceptable.

With the exception of the Hobbs and Monument pools, we have generally followed the factors of acreage and number of wells.

GEORGE A. GRAHAM

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Handwritten notes:
The acreage factor is not a good one
to use - it is a poor one
to use - it is a poor one
to use - it is a poor one

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February 21, 1950

MEMORANDUM TO COMMISSIONER GUY SHEPARD:

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The cases set for today's hearing at 10:00 o'clock are Case No. 204, Order No. R-6, which grants a rehearing on the so-called Amerasia-Knowles 30-acre spacing matter. This upon request of both interested groups is supposed to be continued.

CASE 212 is a hearing on the motion of the Commission for ~~the extension~~ of the boundaries of certain pools in Eddy and Lea Counties.

CASE 213 is a hearing upon the motion of the Commission to define and classify the several oil and gas pools in Northwestern New Mexico.

It is my idea that the purpose of today's hearing is to set out the boundaries of and classify as oil pools or gas pools, etc. the several oil and gas pools of Northwestern New Mexico by formations.

Today's order should form the basis for future pool rules for each established and named pool.

After proper notice and hearing for the promulgation for pool rules, such rules should include the following:

- (a) Pool rules should include reasonable regulations governing the drilling and completion of wells in the pool.
- (b) Establishment of spacing, drilling units, and location tolerances.
- (c) Provision for penalizing wells that produce in such a manner as to cause waste as defined by the law.
- (d) Some formula for distribution of the field allowable among the various units.

FOSTER MORRELL
PETROLEUM CONSULTANT
NICKSON HOTEL BUILDING
ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO

November 5, 1952

Mr. W. B. Macey
Chief Engineer
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission
P. O. Box 871
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Bill:

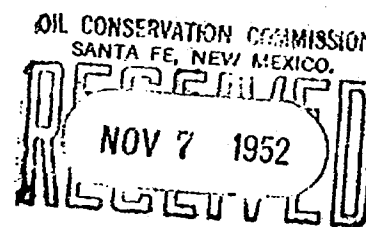
Thank you for your letter of November 3 and the information contained therein relative to pool nomenclature in northwestern New Mexico.

As requested I am returning your copy of Order No. R-13 herewith and wish to thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Foster Morrell
Foster Morrell

FM: bmsj



AREAS AND BOUNDARIES OF OIL AND GAS POOLS IN THE SAN JUAN BASIN OF NEW MEXICO
 By the Northwestern New Mexico Nomenclature Committee
 Revised March 22, 1949

Approved by New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission June 1, 1949

<u>POOL</u>	<u>PROD FROM</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>TWP. & RGE.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
Angels Peak <i>Gas</i>	Dakota	San Juan	27N-10W 28N-10W	Sec. 3, W/2 Secs. 4,5, All Secs. 32,33, All Sec. 34, W/2
*Aztec <i>Gas</i>	Farmington	San Juan	30N-11W	Sec. 9, S/2 Sec. 10, S/2 Sec. 15, N/2 Secs. 16,17, All Sec. 20, N/2 Sec. 21, N/2
Barker Creek - <i>Gas</i>	Dakota	San Juan	32N-14W	Secs. 9,10,11 that portion in N.M. Secs. 14,15,16, All Sec. 17, E/2 Secs. 20,21,22, All Sec. 23, NW/4 Sec. 27, NW/4 Sec. 28, N/2 Sec. 29, All
Barker Creek - <i>Gas</i>	Paradox	San Juan	32N-14W	Secs. 9,10,11 that portion in N.M. Secs. 14,15,16, All Sec. 17, E/2 Secs. 20,21,22, All Sec. 23, NW/4 Sec. 27, NW/4 Sec. 28, N/2 Sec. 29, All
Blanco <i>gas</i>	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	30N-9W	Sec. 28, W/2 Secs. 29,32, All Sec. 33, W/2
Blanco <i>gas</i>	Mesaverde	San Juan	29N-9W 30N-9W	Sec. 2, W/2 Secs. 3,4,5,9,10,11, 14,15, All Sec. 7, S/2 Sec. 8, S/2 Sec. 15, W/2 Secs. 16,17,18,19, 20,21,22, All Secs. 27,28,29,30, 32,33,34, All

Bloomfield <i>oil</i>	Farmington	San Juan	29N-11W	Sec. 13, W/2 Secs. 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, All Sec. 24, W/2
Gavilan <i>Gas</i>	Pictured Cliffs	Rio Arriba	25N-2W	Sec. 10, SE/4 Sec. 11, S/2 Secs. 14, 15, All Sec. 22, NE/4 Sec. 23, N/2
Hogback <i>oil</i>	Dakota	San Juan	29N-16W	Sec. 18, S/2 Sec. 19, All
Hospah <i>oil</i>	McKinley <i>Hospah</i>	McKinley	17N-8W 17N-9W 18N-8W 18N-9W	Sec. 6, W/2 Sec. 7, NW/4 Sec. 1, All Sec. 2, E/2 Sec. 11, NE/4 Sec. 12, N/2 Sec. 31, W/2 Sec. 35, E/2 Sec. 36, All
Fulcher Basin- Kutz Canyon <i>Gas</i>	Pictured Cliffs	San Juan	27N-9W 27N-10W 28N-9W 28N-10W 28N-11W 29N-11W 29N-12W 29N-13W	Secs. 6, 7, All Sec. 18, N/2 Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, All Secs. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 All Secs. 13, 14, 15, 16 All Sec. 17, E/2 Sec. 20, E/2 Secs. 21, 22, All Sec. 31, S/2 Secs. 7, 8, All Secs. 15, 16, 17, 18, All Secs. 19, 20, 21, 22, All, 23 W/2 Sec. 26, W/2 Secs. 27, 28, 29, All Secs. 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, All Secs. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, All Secs. 6, 7, 8, All Secs. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, All Secs. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, All Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 23, 24, 25, All Sec. 1, All

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			30N-12W	Sec. 19, All Sec. 20, S/2 Secs. 26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35, 36, All
			30N-13W	Secs. 24,25,36, All
La Plata <i>Gas</i>	Mesaverde	San Juan	31N-12W	Secs. 10,11,14, 15, All
Lindrith <i>oil</i>	Dakota	Rio Arriba	24N-2W	Secs. 20,21,28,29, All
Oswell <i>oil</i>	Farmington	San Juan	29N-11W	Sec. 3, N/2 Sec. 4, N/2 30N-11W Sec. 27, S/2 Sec. 28, S/2 Secs. 33,34, All
Rattlesnake <i>oil</i>	Dakota	San Juan	29N-19W	Secs. 1,2, All Sec. 11, E/2 Secs. 12,13, All
			30N-19W	Sec. 35, S/2 Sec. 36, SW/4
Rattlesnake <i>oil</i>	Pennsylvanian	San Juan	29N-19W	Secs. 1,2, All Sec. 11, E/2 Secs. 12,13, All
			30N-19W	Sec. 35, S/2 Sec. 36, SW/4
Red Mountain <i>oil</i>	Mesaverde	McKinley	20N-9W	Secs. 20,21,28, 29, All
Table Mesa <i>oil</i>	Dakota	San Juan	27N-17W	Sec. 3, All
Ute Dome <i>gas</i>	Dakota	San Juan	31N-14W 32N-14W	Secs. 1,2, All Secs. 35,36, All
Ute Dome <i>gas</i>	Paradox	San Juan	31N-14W 32N-14W	Secs. 1,2, All Secs. 35,36, All
Wyper <i>oil</i>	Farmington	San Juan	30N-12W	Secs. 28,29,32,33 All

~~Abandoned, not currently producing.~~

NOTE:

~~The following extensions are pending for the Fulcher Basin-Kutz Canyon Pool:~~

T 27N - R 9W	T 27N - R 10W
Secs. 6,7, 11	Sec. 13, All; Sec. 14, <i>all</i>
Sec. 18, N/2	T 28N - R 10W
T 28N - R 9W	Sec. 15, E/2; Sec. 22, E/2, <i>all</i>
Sec. 31, S/2	Sec. 26, W/2; Sec. 27, E/2, <i>all</i>
	Sec. 34, E/2; Secs. 35,36, All
	<i>all</i>

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Harvey D.