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IN REPLY REFER TO: NM134079 3105.2 (P0220)

Reference:

Running Buffalo 1 Fed Com 1H T. 21 S., R. 28 E., Section 1: Lots 1,8,9,16 and the NESE Eddy County, NM

February 9, 2015

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COG Operating, LLC One Concho Center 600 West Illinois Avenue Mid Land, TX 79701

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is an approved copy of Communitization Agreement NM134079 involving 147.18 acres of Federal land in lease NMNM115409, and 40 acres of Federal land in lease NMNM115407, Eddy County, New Mexico, which comprises a 187.18 acre well spacing unit.

The agreement communitizes all rights to all producible hydrocarbons from the Bone Spring formation beneath the NESE, and Lots 1, 8, 9, and 16, of sec. 1, T. 21 S., R. 28 E., NMPM, and is effective 6/15/14. Approval of this agreement does not warrant or certify that the operator, thereof, and other working interest owners hold legal or equitable title to the leases which are committed hereto.

Copies of this approval letter are being distributed to the appropriate Federal agencies. You are requested to furnish all interested parties with the appropriate evidence of this approval. Any production royalties that are due must be reported and paid according to regulations set up by the Office of Natural Resources Revenue at 1-800-525-9167 or 303-231-3504.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact Edward G Fernandez, Petroleum Engineer at (575) 234-2220.

Please furnish all interested principals with appropriate evidence of this approval.

Sincerely,

Steve Caffey
Assistant Field Manager,
Lands and Minerals

1 Enclosure:

1 - Communitization Agreement

cc:

ONRR, Denver (357B-1, Antoinette Contreraz, Stacey Kaiser) NM Taxation & Revenue Dept. (Revenue Processing Div.) NMOCD NM (9200) NM (P0220-CFO, File Room)

Determination - Approval - Certification

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior under Section 17(j) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (74 Stat. 784; 30 U.S.C. 226(j)), and delegated to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management, I do hereby:

- A. Determine that the Federal lease or leases as to the lands committed to the attached agreement cannot be independently developed and operated in conformity with the well-spacing program established for the field or area in which said lands are located, and that consummation and approval of the agreement will be in the public interest. Approval of this agreement does not warrant or certify that the operator thereof and other holders of operating rights hold legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject leases which are committed hereto.
- B. Approve the attached Communitization Agreement covering the NESE, and Lots 1, 8, 9, and 16, of sec. 1, T. 21 S., R. 28 E., NMPM, as to all producible hydrocarbons from the Bone Spring formation. This approval will become invalid if the public interest requirements under section 3105.2-3 (e) are not met.
- C. Certify and determine that the drilling, producing, rental, minimum royalty and royalty requirements of the Federal lease or leases committed to said agreement are hereby established, altered, changed, or revoked to conform with the terms and conditions of the agreement.

Approved:

Authorized Officer

Effective: 6/15/14

Contract No.: Com. Agr. NM134079

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In Reply Refer to NM134079 3107 (P0220)

Memorandum

Subject:

Date of Completion:

To: State Director (9210)

From: Land Law Examiner (P0220)

Date of First Production: 9/13/14

Field: WC015 G05 S202935P: BS

First Production, Communitization Agreement NM134079

Operator, Well Name & No, API Number: COG Operating; Running Buffalo 1 Fed Com 1H;

3001541538

Surface Location: Section 1: Lots 1,8,9,16 and the NESE, T. 21 S., R.

28 E.

9/9/14

Total Depth: 13,617 MD; 8,568 TVD

Surface Elevation: 3,449' GL

Producing Formation: Bone Spring (8,812 - 13,520)

Well Capable of Production in Paying Quantities: Yes

Initial Daily Production: Oil 412 BBL; Gas 362 MCF; Water 1,314 BBL

Current Status: Producing Oil Well

Remarks: CA.NM134079, effective 6/15/14, communitizes production of all gas and fluid hydrocarbons in the Bone Spring formation beneath Section 1: Lots 1,8,9,16 and the NESE, T. 21 S., R. 28 E., NMPM, and comprises 147.18 acres of Federal land in lease NMNM115409, and 40 acres of Federal land in lease NMNM115407 for a 187.18 well spacing unit, whose leases are held by actual production.

If you have any questions regarding this memorandum, please email Arthur Morrison at ajmorrison@blm.gov.

/S/ Arthur Morrison February 9, 2015

cc:

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First Production File
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