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**From:** Penney, Jim E. [jim.e.penney@conocophillips.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, December 03, 2004 8:41 AM  
**To:** mstogner@state.nm.us  
**Cc:** Penney, Jim E.  
**Subject:** Request for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Spacing Units - San Juan 32-7 Unit, San Juan County, New Mexico



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Thanks for your assistance in this matter.

Regards,

Jim Penney

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December 28, 2004

Oil Conservation Division  
State of New Mexico  
2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Attn: Michael E. Stogner  
Chief Hearing Examiner/Engineer

**RE: Order Number R-1066**  
**Request for Administrative Approval of several Non-Standard Spacing Units**  
**in the Fruitland Coal Formation in the San Juan 32-7 Unit, San Juan County, New Mexico**

Dear Mr. Stogner:

ConocoPhillips Company, as Operator of the San Juan 32-7 Unit in Townships 31 and 32 North, Ranges 6 and 7 West, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico hereby respectfully requests administrative approval under Rule 6 (As amended by Order No. R-8768-A) of certain Non-Standard Gas Proration Units for Basin-Fruitland Coal production.

These Non-Standard Units conform to previously approved Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool Non-Standard Units designated as Blocks K, L and M under Order Number R-1066 entered on October 9, 1957, as amended, and are described below and depicted on the attached Exhibit "A":

**Block K (containing 319.42 acres, more or less)**  
**Section 7: W/2SE/4, E/2SW/4, and Lots 2,3,4,5 and 6**

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**All in Township 32 North, Range 7 West, San Juan County, New Mexico**

In accordance with Rule 6, all affected persons are being furnished with three (3) copies of this request by certified mail and are hereby notified of ConocoPhillips Company's intent to form such non-standard units, and are hereby advised that any objections to this application must be submitted in writing within twenty (20) days.

If you should have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at the above telephone number.

Respectfully,

Jim Penney

## Stogner, Michael

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**From:** Stogner, Michael  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 28, 2004 2:30 PM  
**To:** 'Penney, Jim E.'  
**Subject:** RE: Request for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Spacing Units - San Juan 32-7 Unit, San Juan County, New Mexico

In reviewing your application for the three non-standard coal gas spacing units, you did not reference or identify any of the wells to be drilled or recompleted in which these units would eventually be dedicated. Also you did not provide me with a list of the person(s) notified of this application.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, December 28, 2004 3:00 PM  
**To:** Stogner, Michael  
**Subject:** Out of Office AutoReply: Request for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Spacing Units - San Juan 32-7 Unit, San Juan County, New Mexico

I will be out of the office until Monday January 3rd. I will not be checking my email or voice mail during this time. If you need assistance while I'm away, you can contact Betty Dimiterchik at 832-486-2339.

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**From:** Penney, Jim E. [jim.e.penney@conocophillips.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 03, 2005 7:17 AM  
**To:** Stogner, Michael  
**Subject:** RE: Request for Administrative Approval of Non-Standard Spacing Units - San Juan 32-7 Unit, San Juan County, New Mexico

Thanks for your response. I apologize for not referencing the wells to be drilled in my application. ConocoPhillips will drill the 32-7 #247 in Block K, the 32-7 #248 in Block L and the 32-7 #249 in Block M.

Under a letter dated December 6, 2004, we notified Burlington Resources Oil & Gas of our application. I mailed you a copy of this letter along with a plat showing the area around the spacing units. However, when I returned from vacation this morning, the copy mailed to your attention had been returned due to an incorrect address (it was sent by my secretary to 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM). This morning I am resending you the copy of the letter and the plat to your attention at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505.

Please let me know if I need to take any other action regarding this application.

Regards,

Jim Penney

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December 6, 2004

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas  
San Juan Properties Only  
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Farmington, New Mexico 87499-4289  
Attention: Dawn Howell

**CERTIFIED MAIL**

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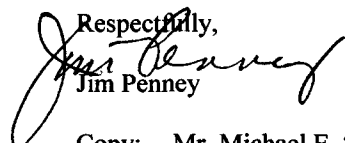
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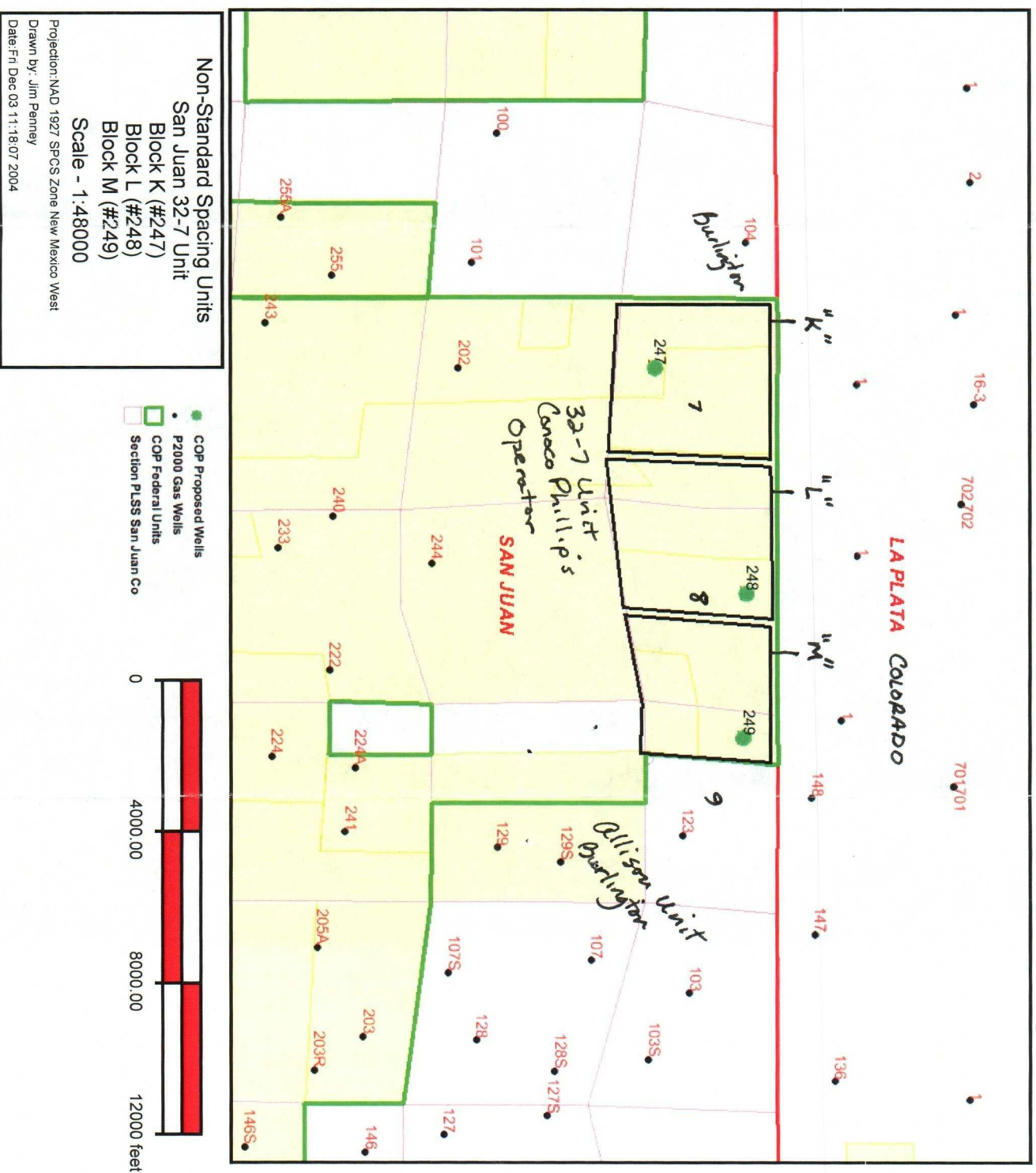
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Respectfully,

  
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Copy: Mr. Michael E. Stogner, Chief Hearing Examiner/Engineer, OCD, State of New Mexico

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Mr. Stagner -  
There is a map showing  
the area around  
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Let me know if  
you need anything  
else. Jim Penney

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