

Exhibit A

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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
 - Geological & Engineering Bureau -
 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505

**ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND
 REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

Applicant: COG Operating, LLC	OGRID Number: 229137
Well Name: Acadia Federal Com 1H	API: 30-015-45771
Pool: Purple Sage; Wolfcamp, Gas	Pool Code: 98220

**SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION
 INDICATED BELOW**

- 1) **TYPE OF APPLICATION:** Check those which apply for [A]
 A. Location – Spacing Unit – Simultaneous Dedication
☐ NSL ☐ NSP (PROJECT AREA) ☐ NSP (PRORATION UNIT) ☐ SD

B. Check one only for [I] or [II]

[I] Commingling – Storage – Measurement

☐ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☒ OLM

[II] Injection – Disposal – Pressure Increase – Enhanced Oil Recovery

☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

- 2) **NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO:** Check those which apply.

- A. ☐ Offset operators or lease holders
 B. ☒ Royalty, overriding royalty owners, revenue owners
 C. ☒ Application requires published notice
 D. ☐ Notification and/or concurrent approval by SLO
 E. ☒ Notification and/or concurrent approval by BLM
 F. ☐ Surface owner
 G. ☒ For all of the above, proof of notification or publication is attached, and/or,
 H. ☐ No notice required

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- ☐ Notice Complete
☐ Application
 Content
 Complete

- 3) **CERTIFICATION:** I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate** and **complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

Jeanette Barron

Print or Type Name

Jeanette Barron
 Signature

Date

9/10/19

575-746-6974

Phone Number

jbarron@concho.com

e-mail Address



September 10, 2019

Attn: Michael McMillan
NM Oil Conservation Division
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: Application for Off Lease Measurement

Dear Mr. McMillan,

COG Operating LLC respectfully requests approval for off-lease measurement for the following well:

Arcadia Federal Com 1H
30-015-45771
Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas)
Ut. A Sec. 11, T26S-R25E
Eddy County, NM

Oil Production:

The oil production from all wells will be measured, stored, and sold on lease. In addition, the oil production from these wells may also be transported by truck to either the Red Hills Offload Station, located in Unit O, Section 4-T26S-R32E, or the Jal Offload Station, located in Unit D, Section 4-T26S-R37E, Lea County in the event the CTB on lease is over capacity or in the case of battery or pipeline repairs. In this case the oil will remain segregated and will be measured by lact meter when offloading at said stations.

Gas Production:

Gas produced from Acadia Federal Com 1H, will be measured on lease by gas check meter prior to entering the flow line. Gas produced from this well will enter a flow line to the gas custody transfer meter. The Lucid custody transfer meter is located off lease in Ut. C, Sec. 8-T26S-R25E.

All owners of interest have been notified by certified mail that should they have an objection to this off-lease measurement, they must file a formal protest with the NMOCD within 20 days of the date of this application. Proof of owner notification is enclosed.

Please see the enclosed Administrative Application Checklist, C-107B Application, plats for referenced well, site facility diagram, maps with lease boundaries showing wells and facility locations.

CORPORATE ADDRESS

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ARTESIA WEST OFFICE

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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeanette Barron".

Jeanette Barron
Regulatory Analyst

Enclosures

xc: Artesia OCD

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District III
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District IV
1220 S. St Francis Dr, Santa Fe, NM
87505

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-107-B
Revised August 1, 2011

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 S. St Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Submit the original
application to the Santa Fe
office with one copy to the
appropriate District Office.

APPLICATION FOR SURFACE COMMINGLING (DIVERSE OWNERSHIP)

OPERATOR NAME: COG Operating LLC
OPERATOR ADDRESS: 2208 W. Main Street, Artesia, NM 88210
APPLICATION TYPE:

☐ Pool Commingling ☐ Lease Commingling ☐ Pool and Lease Commingling ☒ Off-Lease Storage and Measurement (Only if not Surface Commingled)

LEASE TYPE: ☐ Fee ☐ State ☒ Federal

Is this an Amendment to existing Order? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes", please include the appropriate Order No. _____
Have the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and State Land office (SLO) been notified in writing of the proposed commingling
☒ Yes ☐ No

(A) POOL COMMINGLING
Please attach sheets with the following information

(1) Pool Names and Codes	Gravities / BTU of Non-Commingled Production	Calculated Gravities / BTU of Commingled Production		Calculated Value of Commingled Production	Volumes

- (2) Are any wells producing at top allowables? ☐ Yes ☐ No
(3) Has all interest owners been notified by certified mail of the proposed commingling? ☐ Yes ☐ No.
(4) Measurement type: ☐ Metering ☐ Other (Specify)
(5) Will commingling decrease the value of production? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "yes", describe why commingling should be approved

(B) LEASE COMMINGLING
Please attach sheets with the following information

- (1) Pool Name and Code.
(2) Is all production from same source of supply? ☐ Yes ☐ No
(3) Has all interest owners been notified by certified mail of the proposed commingling? ☐ Yes ☐ No
(4) Measurement type: ☐ Metering ☐ Other (Specify)

(C) POOL and LEASE COMMINGLING
Please attach sheets with the following information

- (1) Complete Sections A and E.

(D) OFF-LEASE STORAGE and MEASUREMENT
Please attach sheets with the following information

- (1) Is all production from same source of supply? ☒ Yes ☐ No
(2) Include proof of notice to all interest owners.

(E) ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (for all application types)
Please attach sheets with the following information

- (1) A schematic diagram of facility, including legal location.
(2) A plat with lease boundaries showing all well and facility locations. Include lease numbers if Federal or State lands are involved.
(3) Lease Names, Lease and Well Numbers, and API Numbers.

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE: Jeanette Barron TITLE: Regulatory Analyst DATE: 09.10.19
TYPE OR PRINT NAME Jeanette Barron TELEPHONE NO.: 575-748-6974 E-MAIL ADDRESS jbarron@concho.com

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State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR.
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Form C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

API Number 30-015-45771	Pool Code 98220	Pool Name Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas)
Property Code 314867	Property Name ACADIA FEDERAL COM	Well Number 1H
OGRID No. 229137	Operator Name COG OPERATING, LLC	Elevation 3608.4'

Surface Location

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
A	11	26-S	25-E		210	NORTH	1250	EAST	EDDY

Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

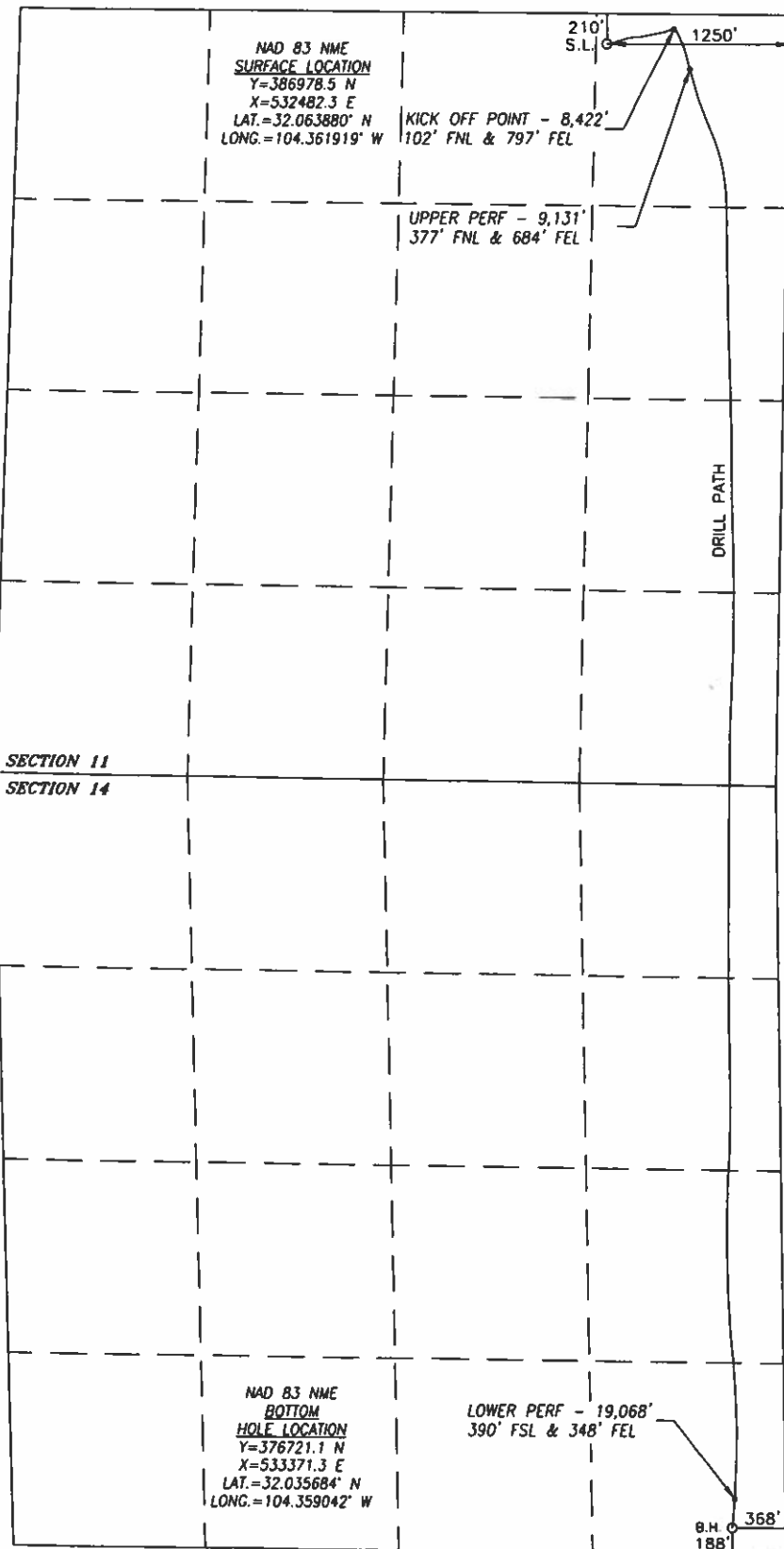
UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
P	14	26-S	25-E		188	SOUTH	368	EAST	EDDY

Dedicated Acres 640	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

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Property Code 314867	Property Name ACADIA FEDERAL COM	Well Number 1H
OCRID No. 229137	Operator Name COG OPERATING, LLC	Elevation 3608.4'



BOREPATH SHOWN HEREON IS BASED ON DIRECTIONAL SURVEY REPORT PROVIDED BY COG OPERATING, LLC FOR THE ACADIA FEDERAL COM #1H SUPPLIED TO HARCROW SURVEYING, LLC ON JULY 19, 2019

1200 0 1200
SCALE: 1"=1200'

OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.

Jeanette Barron 9/10/19
Signature Date

Jeanette Barron

Printed Name

jbarron@concho.com

E-mail Address

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

JAN. 26, 2017/APRIL 29, 2019

Date of Survey/Date of Geographic Survey

Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor



8/12/19
Certificate No. CHAD HARCROW 17777

Intent ☐ As Drilled ☒

API #
30-015-45771

Operator Name:
COG OPERATING, LLC

Property Name:
ACADIA FEDERAL COM

Well Number
1H

Kick Off Point (KOP)

UL A	Section 11	Township 26S	Range 25E	Lot	Feet 102	From N/S NORTH	Feet 797	From E/W EAST	County EDDY
Latitude 32.064170					Longitude -104.360451			NAD 83	

First Take Point (FTP)

UL A	Section 11	Township 26S	Range 25E	Lot	Feet 377	From N/S NORTH	Feet 684	From E/W EAST	County EDDY
Latitude 32.063411					Longitude -104.360099			NAD 83	

Last Take Point (LTP)

UL P	Section 14	Township 26S	Range 25E	Lot	Feet 390	From N/S SOUTH	Feet 348	From E/W EAST	County EDDY
Latitude 32.036237					Longitude -104.358988			NAD 83	

Is this well the defining well for the Horizontal Spacing Unit? ☒ Yes

Is this well an infill well? ☐

If infill is yes please provide API if available, Operator Name and well number for Defining well for Horizontal Spacing Unit.

API #

Operator Name:

Property Name:

Well Number

KZ 06/29/2018

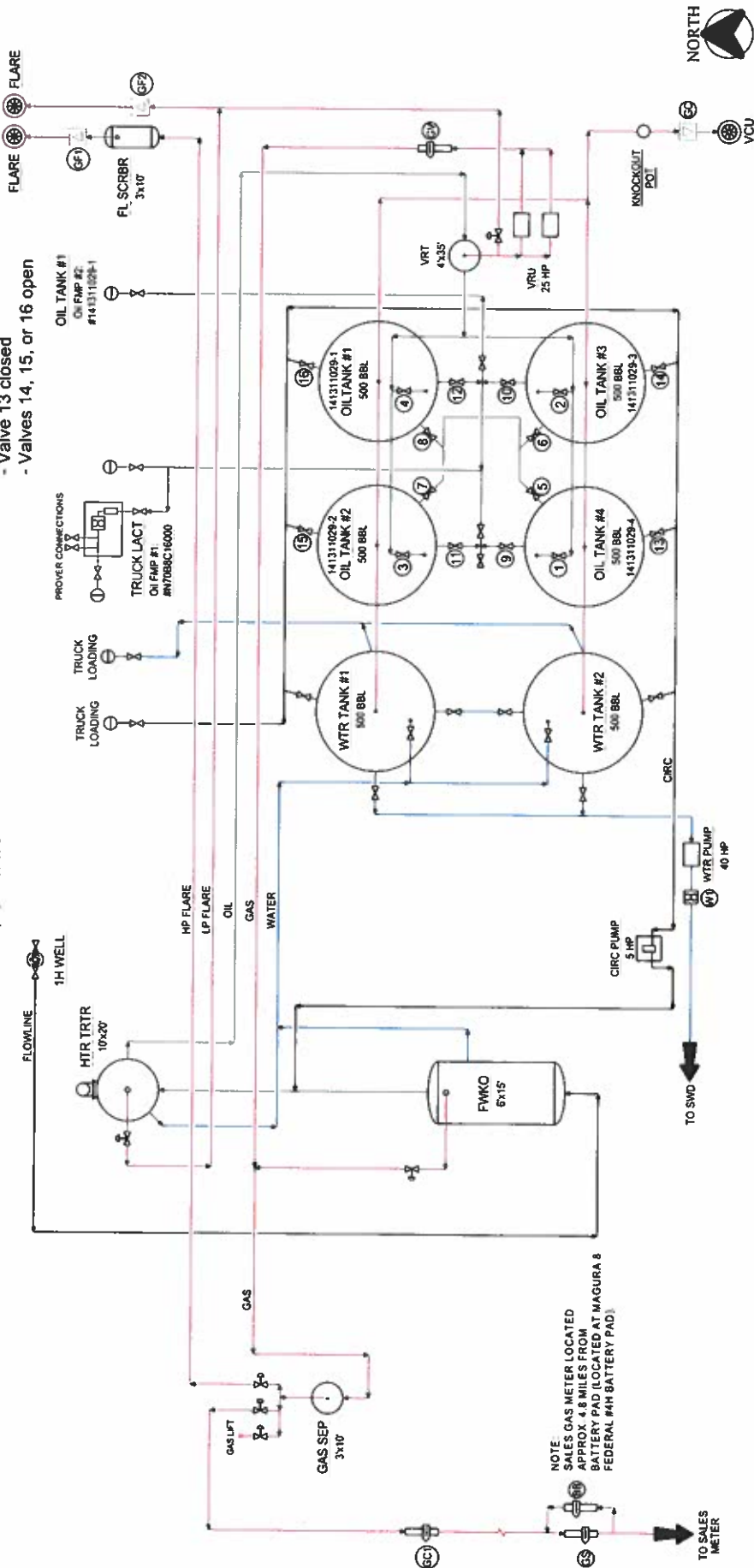
ACADIA FEDERAL COM 1H BATTERY
SECTION 14, T26S, R25E, UNIT A
COORDS: 32° 3'49.97"N 104°21'42.91"W
EDDY COUNTY, NM
WELLS:
ACADIA FEDERAL COM #001H: 30-015-43152

SALES GAS METERS
Sales Gas Meter:
(GS): #10744
Buy Back Gas Meter:
(GB): #10744
Circ Gas Meter:
(GC): #8852392
VTR Gas Meter:
(GV): #8852394
Water Transfer Meter:
(WT): #1213575424

GAS METERS
HP Flare Gas Meter:
(GF1): #725418-01.1
LP Flare Gas Meter:
(GF2): #FD41099A
VCU Gas Meter:
(GC): #FD4100A
VRU Gas Meter:
(GV): #8852394
Water Transfer Meter:
(WT): #1213575424

Production Phase - Oil Tank #1
- Valve 1 open
- Valves 2, 3, and 4 closed
- Valves 5, 6, 7, and 8 open
- Valves 9, 10, 11, and 12 closed
- Valve 13 open
- Valves 14, 15, and 16 closed

Sales Phase - Oil Tank #1
- Valve 1 closed
- Valves 2, 3, or 4 open
- Valve 5 closed
- Valves 6, 7, and 8 open
- Valve 9 open
- Valves 10, 11, and 12 closed
- Valve 13 closed
- Valves 14, 15, or 16 open



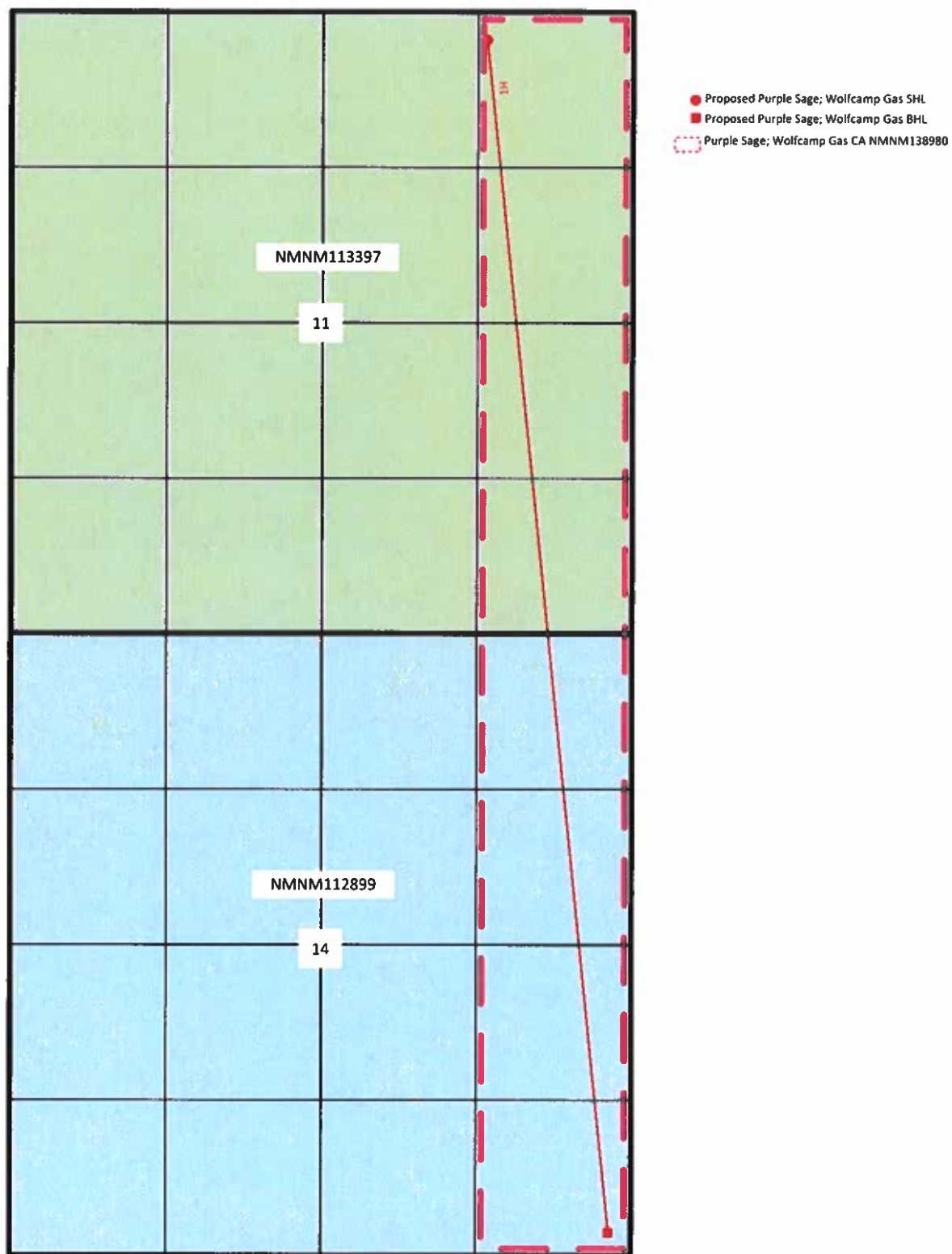
NOTE:
SALES GAS METER LOCATED
APPROX. 4.8 MILES FROM
BATTERY PAD LOCATED AT MAGURA 8
FEDERAL #4H BATTERY PAD

Legend for Site Diagram
Produced Fluid:
Produced Oil:
Produced Gas:
Produced Water:
Flare/Vent:

Type of Facility: Federal
SHL #: NMNM113397
BHL #: NMNM112899
CA #: NMNM138980
NMOCD Property Code: 314867
NMOCD OGRID #: 229137

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE		REFERENCE GRANTING		REVISIONS		OPERATING RECORD	
NO.	DATE	NO.	DATE	NO.	DATE	NO.	DATE
1	05/20/78	A	05/20/78	1	05/20/78	1	05/20/78
2	05/20/78	B	05/20/78	2	05/20/78	2	05/20/78
3	05/20/78	C	05/20/78	3	05/20/78	3	05/20/78
4	05/20/78	D	05/20/78	4	05/20/78	4	05/20/78
COG OPERATING LLC		ONE CONCHO CENTER		DATE DESIGNED		DATE DESIGNED	
SITE SECURITY PLANS		500 WEST LUMAS AVENUE		DATE DESIGNED		DATE DESIGNED	
LOCATED AT:		MOLAND, TEXAS 79701		DATE DESIGNED		DATE DESIGNED	

CONCHO
NORTHERN OILMANSE BASIN ASSET
PRODUCTION FACILITIES
SITE FACILITY DIAGRAM
ACADIA FEDERAL COM 1H BATTERY
EDDY COUNTY
TRIMBLE
DATE NO. 0-1700-61-005
REV NO. 0



Sec 11, 14 - T26S-R2SE
Eddy County, New Mexico



Arcadia Federal Com 1H

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Red Hills and Jal Offload Station Map



6	5	4	3	2	1
7	8	9	10	11	12
18	17	16	15	14	13
19	20	21	22	23	24
30	29	28	27	26	25
31	32	33	34	35	36



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19	20	21	22	23	24
30	29	28	27	26	25
31	32	33	34	35	36

ACADIA FEDERAL COM 1H

Date Sent	Initials	Name	Address	City	State	ZipCode	Certified Return Receipt No.	Delivered
09.10.19	JB	THE ALLAR COMPANY	P O BOX 1567	GRAHAM	TX	76450-7567	9414 8149 0246 9822 0317 17	
09.10.19	JB	OFFICE OF NATURAL RESOURCES REVENUE	PO BOX 5760	DENVER	CO	80217-5760	9414 8419 0246 9822 0318 78	
09.10.19	JB	CROWNROCK MINERALS LP	PO BOX 51933	MIDLAND	TX	79710	9414 8419 0246 9822 0318 85	
09.10.19	JB	CORNERSTON FAMILY TRUST JOHN KYLE THOMA, TRUSTEE	PO BOX 558	PEYTON	CO	80831 0558	9414 8419 0246 9822 0318 92	
09.10.19	JB	BLM CARLSBAD OFFICE	620 E GREEN ST	CARLSBAD	NM	88220-6292	9414 8419 0246 9822 0319 3	