

Protested

NSL

Correspondence

From: [Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD](#)
To: "[Kyle Perkins](#)"
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] RE: Matador Production Company's B. Byerley 08 17S 38E Well No. 1, Non Standard Location Administrative Application, Protest Date: 06/22/22
Date: Wednesday, August 24, 2022 3:27:00 PM

Mr. Perkins,

Thank you for the updated information. The OCD will remove this application from any further processing and will keep for record.

Leonard R. Lowe

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From: Kyle Perkins <KPerkins@matadorresources.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2022 3:16 PM
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Mr. Lowe,

Thank you for your email. Matador would like to dismiss its application. Based on recent additional technical data received, we think the preferred bottom hole location may move a bit, so we will re-file with the final bottom hole location and then address any protests, if any, to the new application in the future. Thank you again.

From: Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us>
Sent: Wednesday, August 24, 2022 12:22 PM
To: Kyle Perkins <KPerkins@matadorresources.com>
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****EXTERNAL EMAIL****

Mr. Kyle Perkins,

Good afternoon,

Is there any update on the NSL application protest?

Please update the OCD.

Thank you,

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From: Kyle Perkins <KPerkins@matadorresources.com>
Sent: Thursday, July 21, 2022 10:35 AM
To: Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us>
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Sent: Wednesday, June 22, 2022 5:28 PM

To: Kyle Perkins <KPerkins@matadorresources.com>

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Subject: Matador Production Company's B. Byerley 08 17S 38E Well No. 1, Non Standard Location Administrative Application, Protest Date: 06/22/22

Importance: High

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From: Wendell Mullins <wjomullins@yahoo.com>

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To: Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD <Leonard.Lowe@state.nm.us>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Protest - Non-Standard Location Application for B. Byerly 08-17s-38E #1

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Mr. Lowe,

Please see attached.

Wendell

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From: [Wendell Mullins](#)
To: [Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD](#); [Kyle Perkins](#)
Cc: [David Johns](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Matador Production Company's B. Byerley 08 17S 38E Well No. 1, Non Standard Location Administrative Application, Protest Date: 06/22/22
Date: Thursday, July 21, 2022 10:44:20 AM

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Mr. Perkins,

We agree with Mr. Perkins' request for an extension. It has been difficult to communicate effectively as I have been in Pecos on location and have had limited cell and data coverage.

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On Thursday, July 21, 2022 at 11:34:55 AM CDT, Kyle Perkins <kperkins@matadorresources.com> wrote:

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Date: Wednesday, June 22, 2022 4:27:00 PM
Attachments: [Protest Letter Matador Byerly well 1 06.22.22.pdf](#)
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June 6, 2022

Mr. Leonard Lowe
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**Re: B. Byerly 08-17S-38E, Well #1: Request for Variance/
Admin. Approval – Non-Standard Location**

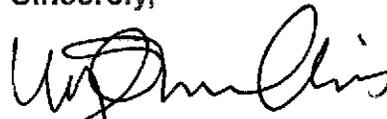
Dear Mr. Lowe:

I hold power of attorney for mineral matters for Delia S. Crossley. Mrs. Crossley is an owner of a mineral interest in the mineral adjacent to those upon which Matador wishes to drill the above-referenced well. We are in receipt of the notice of application made by Matador Production on June 16, 2022 as well as the actual application they have submitted.

Mrs. Crossley does not agree with the need or logic supporting this application and is concerned about encroachment on her mineral. Per our conversation today on the above-referenced matter, please accept this letter as our formal protest of application made by Matador in this regard.

Thank you for your attention to and assistance with this matter. Should require any further information to perfect Mrs. Crossley's protest as given above, please let me know.

Sincerely,



W. J. O. Mullins

Attorney-In-Fact for Delia S. Crossley

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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: Matador Production Company **OGRID Number:** 228937
Well Name: B. Byerley 08-17S-38E #1 **API:** Pending
Pool: Humble City Drawn, South **Pool Code:** 35500

CANCELLED/
WITHDRAWN

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
 SL NSP (PROJECT AREA) SP (PRODUCTION UNIT) SD
 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

FOR OCD ONLY	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Notice Complete
<input type="checkbox"/>	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.

Kyle Perkins
Print or Type Name



 Signature

6/16/22
Date

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