

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO INJECT

- I. Purpose: ☐ Secondary Recovery ☐ Pressure Maintenance ☒ Disposal ☐ Storage  
Application qualifies for administrative approval? ☐ yes ☐ no
- II. Operator: UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM CORP.  
Address: P.O. BOX 2120, HOUSTON, TEXAS 77252-2120  
Contact party: KEN WHITE Phone: 713/ 968-4354
- III. Well data: Complete the data required on the reverse side of this form for each well proposed for injection. Additional sheets may be attached if necessary.
- IV. Is this an expansion of an existing project? ☐ yes ☒ no  
If yes, give the Division order number authorizing the project \_\_\_\_\_.
- V. Attach a map that identifies all wells and leases within two miles of any proposed injection well with a one-half mile radius circle drawn around each proposed injection well. This circle identifies the well's area of review. Attached
- \* VI. Attach a tabulation of data on all wells of public record within the area of review which penetrate the proposed injection zone. Such data shall include a description of each well's type, construction, date drilled, location, depth, record of completion, and a schematic of any plugged well illustrating all plugging detail.
- VII. Attach data on the proposed operation, including: Attached
1. Proposed average and maximum daily rate and volume of fluids to be injected;  
2. Whether the system is open or closed;  
3. Proposed average and maximum injection pressure;  
4. Sources and an appropriate analysis of injection fluid and compatibility with the receiving formation if other than reinjected produced water; and  
5. If injection is for disposal purposes into a zone not productive of oil or gas at or within one mile of the proposed well, attach a chemical analysis of the disposal zone formation water (may be measured or inferred from existing literature, studies, nearby wells, etc.).
- \*VIII. Attach appropriate geological data on the injection zone including appropriate lithologic detail, geological name, thickness, and depth. Give the geologic name, and depth to bottom of all underground sources of drinking water (aquifers containing waters with total dissolved solids concentrations of 10,000 mg/l or less) overlying the proposed injection zone as well as any such source known to be immediately underlying the injection interval. Attached
- IX. Describe the proposed stimulation program, if any.
- \* X. Attach appropriate logging and test data on the well. (If well logs have been filed with the Division they need not be resubmitted.) Currently not available.
- \* XI. Attach a chemical analysis of fresh water from two or more fresh water wells (if available and producing) within one mile of any injection or disposal well showing location of wells and dates samples were taken.  
No fresh water wells within one mile radius.
- XII. Applicants for disposal wells must make an affirmative statement that they have examined available geologic and engineering data and find no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground source of drinking water.
- XIII. Applicants must complete the "Proof of Notice" section on the reverse side of this form.
- XIV. Attached  
Certification

I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name: Ken White Title Regulatory Permit Coordinator

Signature: *Ken White* Date: 2/3/89

- \* If the information required under Sections VI, VIII, X, and XI above has been previously submitted, it need not be duplicated and resubmitted. Please show the date and circumstance of the earlier submittal.

# AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

No. 22904

STATE OF NEW MEXICO,  
County of San Juan:

Betty Shipp being duly  
sworn, says: That he is the Gen'l. Mgr. Manager of  
THE FARMINGTON DAILY TIMES, a daily newspaper of general circulation  
published in English at Farmington, said county and state, and that the  
hereto attached legal notice

was published in a regular and entire issue of the said FARMINGTON DAILY  
TIMES, a daily newspaper duly qualified for the purpose within the  
meaning of Chapter 167 of the 1937 Session Laws of the State of New  
Mexico for one consecutive (days) (weeks) on the same day as  
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First Publication Wednesday, January 25, 1989

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Third Publication \_\_\_\_\_

Fourth Publication \_\_\_\_\_

and that payment therefor in the amount of \$ 7.39  
has been made.

Betty Shipp

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day  
of January, 1989.

J. Shorter  
NOTARY PUBLIC, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

My Commission expires: June 23, 1990

## Copy of Publication

### NOTICE

Union Texas Petroleum proposed to drill the Pump Canyon SWD #1 for injection of saltwater into the Jurassic Morrison/Estrada zone not productive of oil and gas. This well is located 400 FNE & 1200 FEL, Section - 25, T31N, R9W, San Juan County, New Mexico. Maximum injection rate is expected to be 3500 BWD at 1700 PSIG.

Interested parties must file objection or requests for hearing with the NMOCD, P.O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 within 15 days.

UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM

Attention: Ken White

P. O. Box 2120

Houston, Texas 77252-2120

(713) 968-4394

Legal No. 22904 published in the Farmington Daily Times, Farmington, New Mexico on Wednesday, January 25, 1989.

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III. General Well Data:

A. (1) Lease Name - Pump Canyon SWD  
Well Number - 1  
Location - Footage, 400' FNL, 1220' FEL  
Section 25, T31N-R9W  
San Juan County, New Mexico

(2) See attached diagram.

<u>Csg.</u>	<u>Hole Size</u>	<u>Csg. Size</u>	<u>Depth Set</u>	<u>Cement Volume</u>	<u>Proposed Top Cement</u>
Surface	26"	20" 94# H-40	400'	1020 sx	Surface
Inter	14-3/4"	10-3/4" 40.5# K-55	3100'	1120 sx	1st stage st - 1500'  2nd stage st - surface
Drllg Liner	9-1/2"	7-5/8" 26.4# N-80	7300'	565 sx	st-liner top = 2925'
Inj. Strg.	6-3/4"	5-1/2" 20# L-80	8600'	155 sx	5390'

(3) Injection Tubing:

Tubing size - 2-7/8" OD, 10.5#, K-55, non-coated. Setting depth - 7300', top perforation at 7515', which is 100' below the bottom of the Dakota zone.

(4) Isolation Packer:

Packer - Size 7"  
Type Otis  
Model WD

Seal Assembly - Type Otis  
Model J - slot

B. Well Data:

(1) Injection formation name: Morrison and Entrada

(2) Injection interval:

Morrison	Perforated
Entrada	Perforated

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- (3) The original purpose for drilling this well is to dispose of produced water.
- (4) There are to be no additional perforated intervals in the proposed well.
- (5) There are no lower producing zones in this area. The next higher producing zone is the Dakota at 7369' to 7515'.

VI. There are no wells penetrating the proposed depth interval within the two-mile area of review.

VII. **Proposed Injection Operations:**

- 1. The average injection rate is estimated at 3500 bbls/day. The estimated maximum is 5000 bbls/day.
- 2. The injection system will be closed.
- 3. The surface injection system will have an estimated maximum pressure of 1700 psig.
- 4. The source water will be from Fruitland Coal formation.
- 5. Injection is for disposal purposes into a zone with no known oil and gas production within several miles. Chemical analysis and compatibility with injected water will be supplied when the data becomes available.

VIII. The proposed injections zones are the Jurassic Morrison and Entrada, both zones are sandstone. The Morrison interval is estimated at 7515' to 8600' from GL (5992') having a thickness of 1185'. The Entrada interval is estimated at 8286' to 8486' from GL having a thickness of 200'.

The only overlaying freshwater aquifer is the Ojo Alamo, having an estimated depth of 1450' from GL. There is no known fresh water below the injection zone.'

IX. The proposed stimulation program will consist of sand water fracturing of each interval using 1000 lbs of 20/40 sand per net foot of formation interval. Proppant concentrations will be from 1/2 to 2 lbs/gallon. The fracturing fluid will be a 40 lb/gallon linear gel.

X. No logs or test data are available at present.

XI. Any fresh water wells in the area will have water analysis performed in the near future.

XII. An examination of geologic and engineering data indicates no evidence of open faults or other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any source of drinking water. This conclusion is based on proof of isolation between upper gas and oil bearing zones within the study area.

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XIII. Proof of Notice:

A copy of the application and support documents have been sent by certified mail to the following:

Ramon Ulibarri  
#652 Rd. - 4599  
Blanco, NM 87412  
Surface Owner

El Paso Natural Gas Co.  
P. O. Box 4990  
Farmington, NM 87401  
Offset Leasehold Operator

*Notice went out  
February 8, 1989*

Unicon Producing Co. (Supron)  
P. O. Box 2120  
Houston, Texas 77252-2120  
Union Texas Petroleum subsidiary

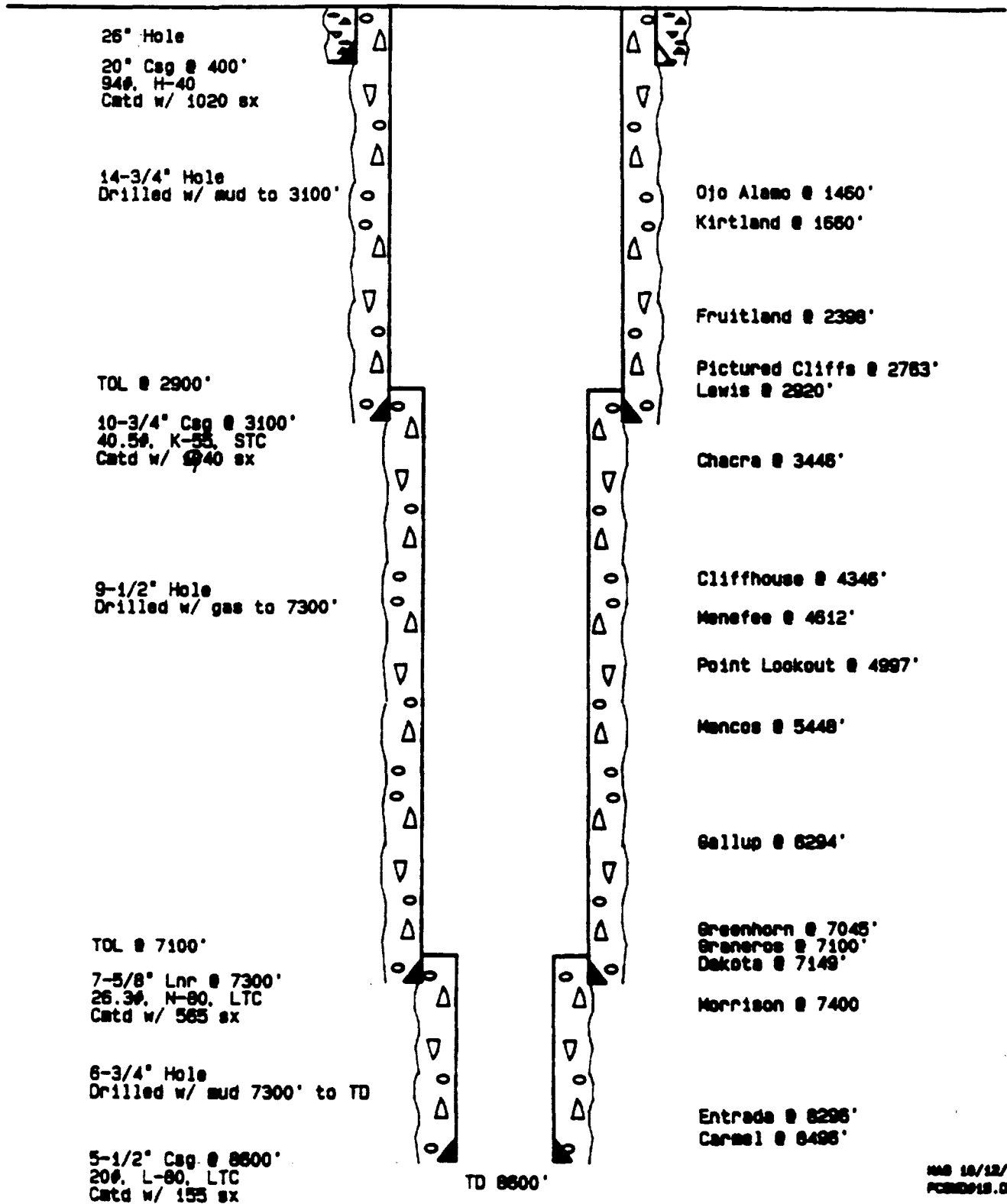
Mesa Ltd. Partnership  
P. O. Box 2009  
Amarillo, Texas 79189

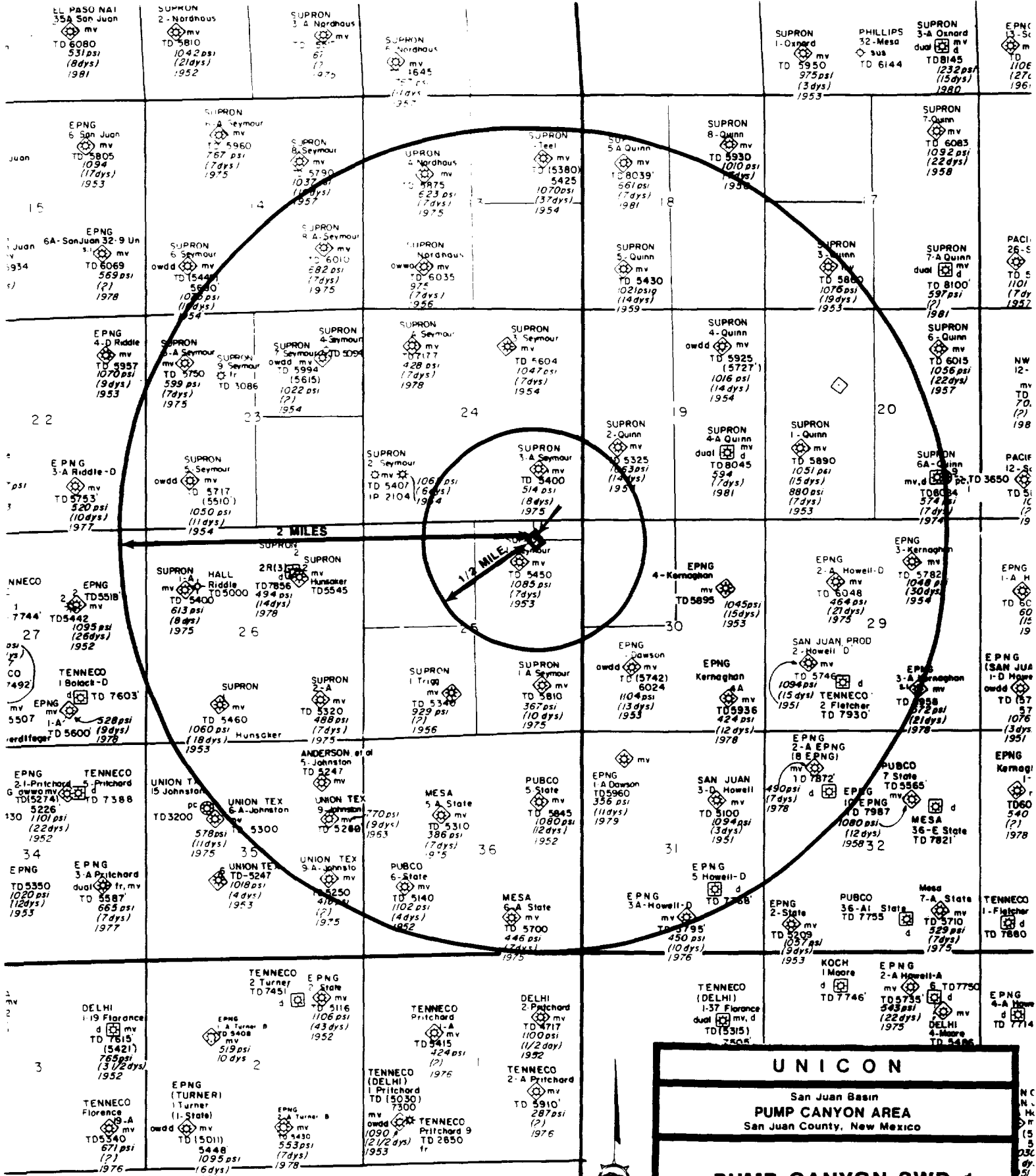
Meridian Oil, Inc.  
P. O. Box 4289  
Farmington, New Mexico 87499

# PUMP CANYON SWD #1

## SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

### PROPOSED





R-9-W

UNICON

San Juan Basin  
PUMP CANYON AREA  
San Juan County, New Mexico

PUMP CANYON SWD-1

ONE MILE

WESTERN DIVISION

GRBL.	DATE	GEOPH.	DATE	LAND	DATE	WELLS
	5-64			T. K. W.	5-64	5-64

NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

Form C-102  
Supersedes  
Effective 1-

All distances must be from the outer boundaries of the Section.

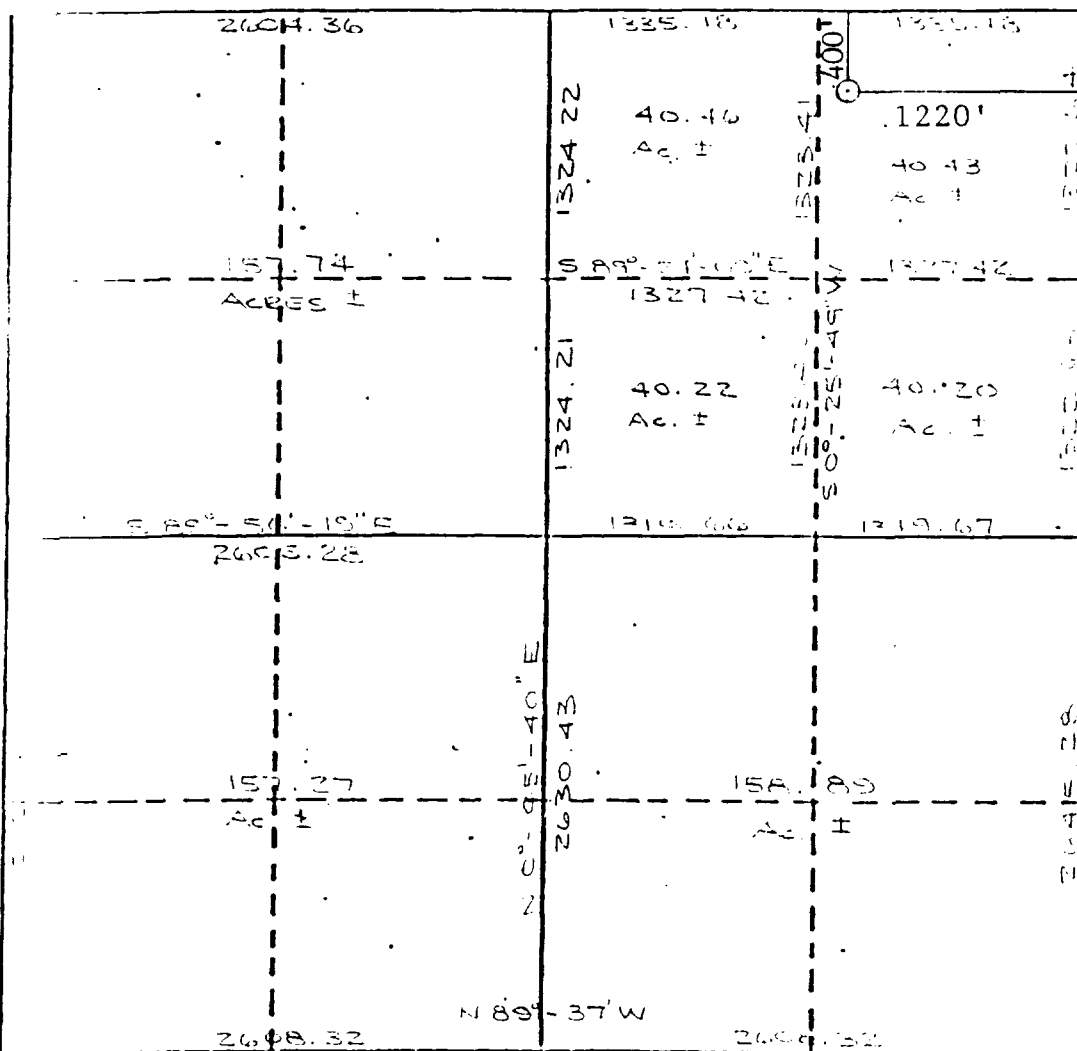
Operator <b>UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM</b>			Lease <b>Pump Canyon WD</b>		Well No. <b>1</b>
Unit Letter <b>A</b>	Section <b>25</b>	Township <b>31N</b>	Range <b>9W</b>	County <b>San Juan</b>	
Actual Footage Location of Well:					
400 feet from the North line and		1220 feet from the East line			
Ground Level Elev. <b>5992</b>	Producing Formation <b>Jurassic-Morrison</b>	Pool <b>Entrada</b>	Dedicated Acreages <b>320</b>		

1. Outline the acreage dedicated to the subject well by colored pencil or hatchure marks on the plat below.
2. If more than one lease is dedicated to the well, outline each and identify the ownership thereof (both as to work interest and royalty).
3. If more than one lease of different ownership is dedicated to the well, have the interests of all owners been consolidated by communitization, unitization, force-pooling, etc?

☐ Yes ☒ No If answer is "yes," type of consolidation \_\_\_\_\_

If answer is "no," list the owners and tract descriptions which have actually been consolidated. (Use reverse side of this form if necessary.) \_\_\_\_\_

No allowable will be assigned to the well until all interests have been consolidated (by communitization, unitization, forced-pooling, or otherwise) or until a non-standard unit, eliminating such interests, has been approved by the Commission.



CERTIFICATION

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

*Ken White*  
Name

Ken White  
Position

Regulatory Permit Coordinator

Company  
Union Texas Petroleum Corp

Date  
January 31, 1989

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat is correct from the notes of actual survey made by me under supervision of the State Engineer and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Cecil B. Tullis*  
Date Surveyed

September 8, 1988

Registered Professional Engineer and/or Land Surveyor

Cecil B. Tullis

Certificate No.

9672



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY AND MINERALS DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
AZTEC DISTRICT OFFICE

1000 RIO BRAZOS ROAD  
AZTEC, NEW MEXICO 87410  
(505) 334-6178

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
BOX 2088  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

DATE 2-15-89

RE: Proposed MC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed DHC \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed NSL \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed SWD X \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed WFX \_\_\_\_\_  
Proposed PMX \_\_\_\_\_

Gentlemen:

I have examined the application dated 2-13-89

for the Union Texas Petroleum Corp. Pump Leases SWD#1 A-25-31N-9W  
Operator Lease and Well No. Unit, S-T-R

and my recommendations are as follows:

Approve 2 7/8" should be lined and anticipate  
that surface pressure will be around 1500 psi.

Yours truly,

Emilio Busch

