

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**APPLICATION OF MARATHON OIL
PERMIAN LLC. FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NOS. 20166, 20167, 20168, 20201

**APPLICATIONS OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NOS. 20249, 20250, 20251

MARATHON OIL PERMIAN LLC'S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Marathon Oil Permian LLC ("Marathon") submits this consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced case pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANTS

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STATEMENT OF CASE

In Case Nos. 20166, 20167, 20168, and 20201, Marathon seeks an order from the Division pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Bone Spring and Wolfcamp formations underlying Sections 17 and 20, Township 22 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

In Case Nos. 16492, 16493, 16494, and 16495, Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in several horizontal spacing units in Section 20 and Section 19 and in Case Nos. 20249, 20250, 20251 Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in several horizontal spacing units in Sections 17 and 18.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE (IF NECESSARY)

APPLICANT:

WITNESS	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Landman: TBD	Approx. 30 minutes	Approx. 8
Geologist: TBD	Approx. 30 minutes	Approx. 6

PROCEDURAL ISSUES

Marathon is currently in discussions with Mewbourne. Depending on the outcome of those discussions, Marathon may move to continue the Mewbourne cases. If these cases are not continued, Marathon reserves the right to either move for a continuance or present witnesses at the October 17, 2019 hearing in opposition to Mewbourne's cases and in support of Marathon's cases.

Respectfully submitted,

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