

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Michelle Lujan Grisham
Governor

Sarah Cottrell Propst
Cabinet Secretary

Todd E. Leahy, JD, PhD
Deputy Secretary

Adrienne Sandoval, Director
Oil Conservation Division



June 19, 2020

Matador Production Company (OGRID 701312)
c/o Mr. James Bruce, Attorney
jamesbruc@aol.com
369 Montezuma, No 213
Santa Fe, N.M. 87501

RE: Request for time Extension to Spud Well
Case No. 20368, R-20652 approved date June 24th, 2019
Deadline to commence drilling June 30th, 2020
Applicant/Operator: Matador Production Company
Proposed Well(s):
Voni Fed Com Well No. 203H; API: 30-015-47016
Voni Fed Com Well No. 204H; API: 30-015-PENDING
Voni Fed Com Well No. 223H; API: 30-015-47057
Voni Fed Com Well No. 224H; API: 30-015-47078

Dear Sir or Madam:

The following pertains to your request received by the Division on June 11th, 2020 and to the requirements in the captioned hearing order. You have requested an extension of the deadline to commence drilling given by the Division in the captioned order.

As stated, you are requesting an extension to spud these wells due the current market prices and pending APD approval from the BLM. Thus, delaying the scheduled plan to batch drill these wells. There was no opposition in the captioned case. You are requesting an additional 6 months in which to spud these wells.

The spud date is now extended to **December 31st, 2020.**

The requested additional six months in which to commence drilling is hereby granted.

All other provisions of this order remain in full force and effect.

Sincerely,

ADRIENNE SANDOVAL
Director

AS/lrl

Case No. 20368: Extension of Spud Date
Matador Production Company (OGRID 701312)
June 19, 2020
Page 2 of 2

cc: Oil Conservation Division – Artesia District Office
Case No. 20368

From: [Lowe, Leonard, EMNRD](#)
To: jamesbruc@aol.com
Cc: [Scott Cox](#); [Garcia, John A, EMNRD](#); [Simmons, Kurt, EMNRD](#); [Terry Warnell](#); [Bratcher, Mike, EMNRD](#); [Podany, Raymond, EMNRD](#)
Subject: Approved Extension Request R-20651 And R-20652_Matador Production Company
Date: Thursday, June 25, 2020 2:46:00 PM
Attachments: [R-20651.CASE 20367 Matador Extension to Spud.pdf](#)
[R-20652.CASE 20368 Matador Extension to Spud.pdf](#)
Importance: High

Mr. Jim Bruce,

The OCD has approved your requested Extensions for the above subject Hearing Orders.

A copy of these shall be placed in each of their respective Case Numbers.

llowe

Leonard R. Lowe

Engineering Bureau

OCD - EMNRD

5200 Oakland Ave. NE

Albuquerque, N.M. 87113

C: 505-930-6717

<http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/oed/>