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

APPLICATION OF AMEREDEV OPERATING, LLC FOR A NON-STANDARD SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

**CASE NO. 15930** 

### **AMEREDEV'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Ameredev Operating, LLC, ("Ameredev") submits this pre-hearing statement as required by the Oil Conservation Division Rule 19.15.4.13.B.

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#### **APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE**

Ameredev seeks an order from the Division (1) creating a 320-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Section 22 and the W/2 W/2 of Section 15, Township 26 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico; and (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation. This spacing unit will be the project area for two proposed initial wells, to be drilled and completed simultaneously: the proposed Magnolia State Com 26-36-22 No. 101H Well and the proposed Magnolia State Com 26-36-22

No. 111H Well. These wells will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 22 to a standard bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 15. The completed interval for each well will remain within the 330-foot standard offset required by the Statewide Rules set forth in 19.15.15 NMAC.

## **APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Brandon Forteza, Landman	Approx. 10 minutes	Approx. 6
Eric Rhoden, Vice President of Geology	Approx. 10 minutes	Approx. 4

## **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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