

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - THURSDAY – APRIL 14, 2011

8:15 A.M. - 1220 South St. Francis
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Docket Nos. 10-11 and 11-11 are tentatively set for April 28, 2011 and May 12, 2011. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 30 days in advance of hearing date. OCD Rule 1211.B requires parties who intend to present evidence at an adjudicatory hearing to file a pre-hearing statement no later than the Thursday before the hearing, and serve a copy on opposing counsel of record. If the OCD does not receive a pre-hearing statement from the applicant by the close of business on the Thursday before the hearing, the hearing may be continued at the applicant's request. The following cases will be heard by an Examiner.

Locator Key for Cases

Case 8352 – No. 19
Case 14522 – No. 1
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1. **CASE 14522:** *(Continued from the February 3, 2011 Examiner Hearing.)*
Application of Approach Operating, LLC for designation of a non-standard spacing unit, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.
Applicant seeks an order approving the formation of a non-standard oil well spacing and proration unit comprised of 31.7 + acres located in the NW/4 SW/4 of projected Section 21, T28N, R4E in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The proposed non-standard unit will be dedicated to the following well to be drilled to the Mancos Shale formation, WC Tierra Amarilla Mancos Oil Pool (97767): Avella Sultemeier No. 2, API No. 30-39-30857, 1662' FSL and 6' FWL (L), Projected Section 21, T28N, R4E, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The well and lands are located approximately four miles South of Tierra Amarilla, New Mexico.
2. **CASE 14576:** *(Continued from the February 3, 2011 Examiner Hearing.)*
Application of Approach Operating, LLC for an unorthodox well location and non-standard oil spacing and proration unit, Rio Arriba County, New Mexico.
Applicant seeks an order approving the unorthodox well location and non-standard oil well spacing and proration unit comprised of 52.0 ± acres located in the NW/4 NW/4 of projected Section 3, T27N, R4E in Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The proposed non-standard unit will be dedicated to the following well to be drilled at an unorthodox well location to the Mancos Shale formation, WC Tierra Amarilla Mancos Oil Pool (97767):

Montano No. 1 Well
API No. 30-39-30858
939' FNL and 207' FWL (D)
Projected Section 3, T27N, R4E
Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

The well and lands are located approximately 1.5 miles Northeast of Las Nutrias, New Mexico.