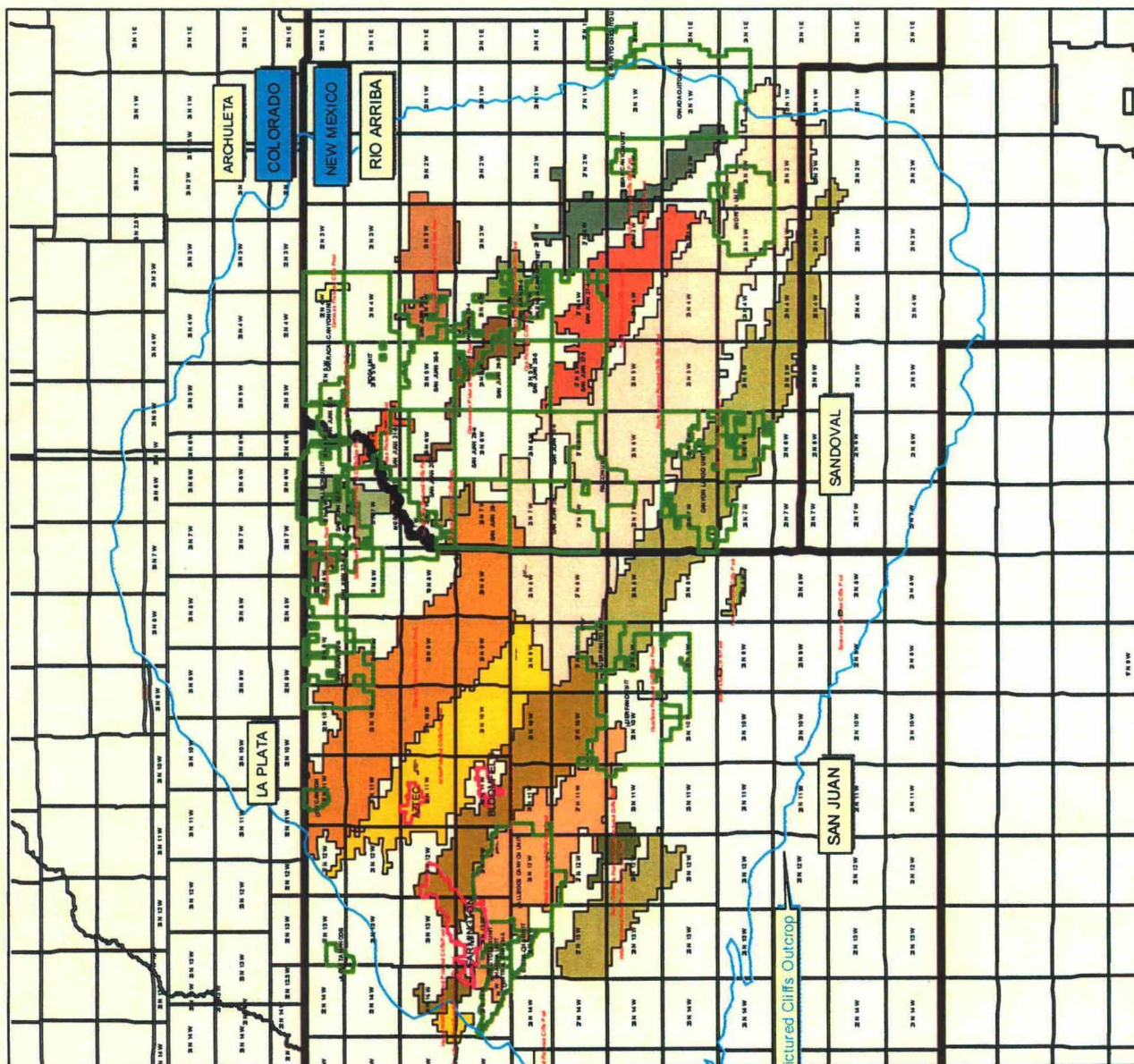

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Current Pool Rules and Location Set-back Regulations

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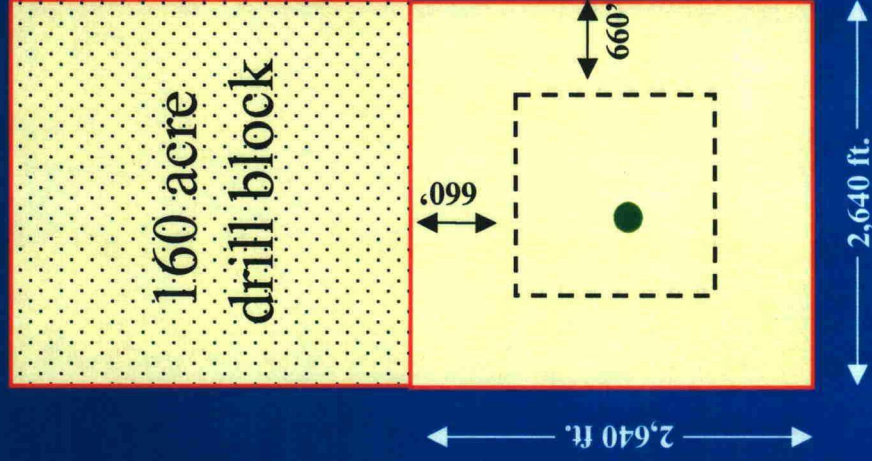
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Effect of Current PC Set Back Spacing Rules

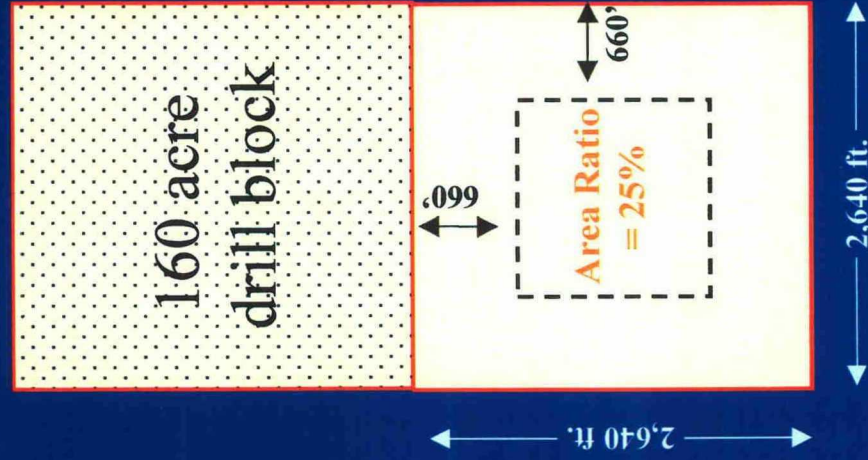


- PC developed on 160 acres
- Current set back distance from drill block boundary is 660 ft.
- Only 25% of drill block area available for drilling
- Possible negative influence on drainage of drill block

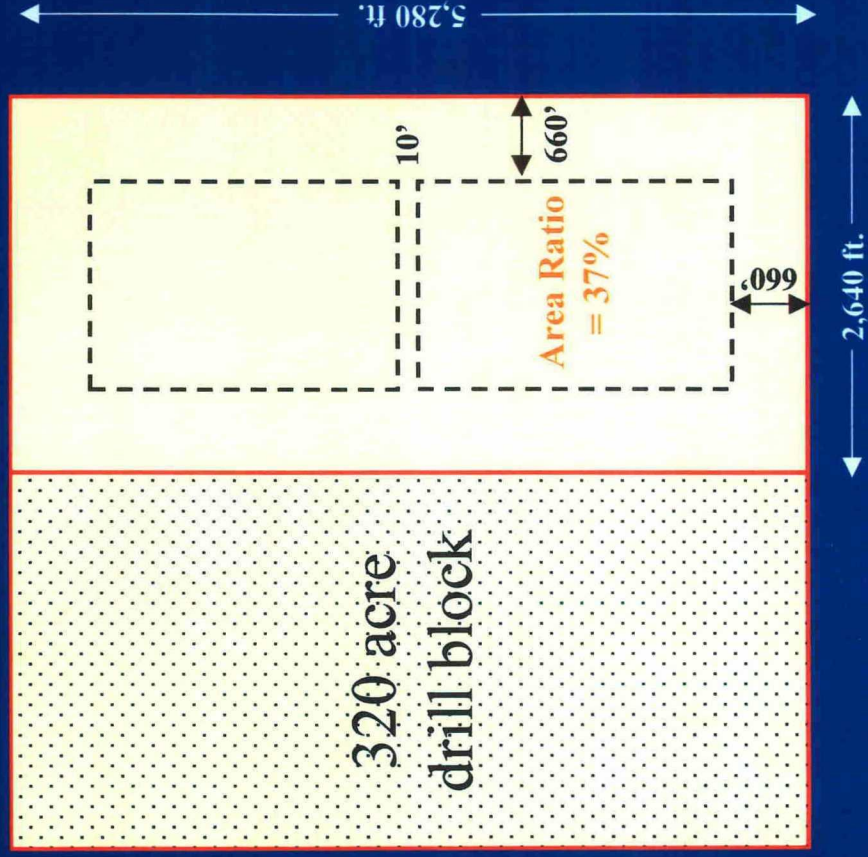
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Comparison of Set Back Spacing Rules

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Effect of Set back Rules on Well Placement

Example of 660' setbacks

Distance between original well and "infill" well controlled by:

- Location of original 160 acre well in drill block
- Set back rules in 160 acre drill block
- Topography
- Location of wellbore to be recompleted

