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that there are five buried pipelines located where the captioned zones would have been orthodox together with geological considerations for remaining structurally updip on the west side of the SW/4 SE/4 of Section 32.

As you have previously approved this well's unorthodox location as to its primary objectives by NSL-3733, we hereby request administrative approval of the unorthodox location for the oil zones. Due to the above, we request that you waive the notification and 20-day waiting period for this administrative approval.

If you have any questions or need additional information, do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at 281-544-3226. In fact, if you wouldn't mind, I would appreciate an opportunity to chat with you concerning this application. It is one of the more complicated I've faced in my short tenure here at Shell.

Yours very truly,



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