

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF STEPHENS' MINERAL PROPERTIES  
LLC TO REQUEST THAT COMANCHE DRILLING CO. BE DIRECTED  
TO SUSPEND PLUGGING OPERATIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE  
HAHN #1 WELL LOCATED IN THE S½SE¼NW¼ OF SECTION 10,  
T32N-R5W, GLACIER COUNTY, MONTANA.

ORDER 47-2015

Docket No. 36-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Stephens' Mineral Properties LLC is the mineral owner under the Hahn #1 well and believes that the well is capable of economic production. Stephens requested an order prohibiting the plugging of the well by Comanche Drilling Co. until ownership of the wellbore can be established through district court.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant has demonstrated that the requirements of Title 82, Chapter 11, M.C.A. and A.R.M. 36.22.101, et.seq. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Comanche Drilling Co. suspend all plugging operations of the Hahn #1 well located in the S½SE¼NW¼ of Section 10, T32N-R5W, Glacier County, Montana until ownership of the well is determined in district court.

BOARD ORDER NO. 47-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF SM ENERGY COMPANY TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1 AND 2, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE BERWICK #4-2HE WELL.

ORDER 48-2015

Docket No. 37-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a temporary spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 14-2011. Applicant has completed the Berwick #4-2HE well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Sections 1 and 2, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Berwick #4-2HE well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 48-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF SM ENERGY COMPANY TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1 AND 2, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE BERWICK #4-2HE WELL.

ORDER 49-2015

Docket No. 38-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 48-2015. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of Sections 1 and 2, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Berwick #4-2HE well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 49-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF SM ENERGY COMPANY TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 26 AND 35, T28N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE BERWICK #4-2HN WELL.

ORDER 50-2015

Docket No. 39-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a temporary spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 18-2011. Applicant has completed the Berwick #4-2HN well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Sections 26 and 35, T28N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Berwick #4-2HN well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 50-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF SM ENERGY COMPANY TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 26 AND 35, T28N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE BERWICK #4-2HN WELL.

ORDER 51-2015

Docket No. 40-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 50-2015. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 26 and 35, T28N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Berwick #4-2HN well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 51-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 7, T26N-R51E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE THREE C 7 #1H WELL.

ORDER 52-2015

Docket No. 41-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a temporary spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 503-2013. Applicant has completed the Three C 7 #1H well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Section 7, T26N-R51E, Richland County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Three C 7 #1H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 52-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 7, T26N-R51E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE THREE C 7 #1H WELL.

ORDER 53-2015

Docket No. 42-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 52-2015. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Section 7, T26N-R51E, Richland County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 53-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 29, T26N-R51E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE GEORGE 29 #1H WELL.

ORDER 54-2015

Docket No. 43-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a temporary spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 504-2013. Applicant has completed the George 29 #1H well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Section 29, T26N-R51E, Richland County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the George 29 #1H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 54-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 29, T26N-R51E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE GEORGE 29 #1H WELL.

ORDER 55-2015

Docket No. 44-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 54-2015. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Section 29, T26N-R51E, Richland County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 55-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY LP TO DRILL AN ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/660' (LATERAL SETBACK) WITHIN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 28 AND 33, T25N-R52E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA.

ORDER 99-2015

Docket No. 45-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a permanent spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 183-2006. An additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks interval well was authorized within the spacing unit by Board Order 184-2006.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that the application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP is granted as applied for.

BOARD ORDER NO. 99-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE BOWIE #2958 42-21 1H WELL.

ORDER 56-2015

Docket No. 47-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Sections 16 and 21, T29N-R58E comprise a statewide temporary spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 380-2011. Applicant has completed the Bowie #2958 42-21 1H well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Sections 16 and 21, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Bowie #2958 42-21 1H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 56-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE BOWIE #2958 42-21 1H WELL.

ORDER 57-2015

Docket No. 48-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 56-2015. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 and 21, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 57-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DRILL UP TO FOUR ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) WITHIN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA.

ORDER 58-2015

Docket No. 49-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a permanent spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 56-2015.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Oasis Petroleum, Inc. is authorized to drill up to four additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks Formation wells in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 and 21, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, said wells to be located anywhere within said spacing unit but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback) and 500' (lateral setback) to the boundaries thereof.

BOARD ORDER NO. 58-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 28 AND 33, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE CROCKET #2958 42-21 1H WELL.

ORDER 59-2015

Docket No. 50-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Sections 28 and 33 comprise a statewide temporary spacing unit for the production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 380-2011. Applicant has completed the Crocket #2958 42-21 1H well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Sections 28 and 33, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Crocket #2958 42-21 1H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 59-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 28 AND 33, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE CROCKET #2958 42-21 1H WELL.

ORDER 60-2015

Docket No. 51-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 59-2015. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 28 and 33, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 60-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DRILL UP TO FOUR ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) WITHIN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 28 AND 33, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA.

ORDER 61-2015

Docket No. 52-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a permanent spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 59-2015.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Oasis Petroleum, Inc. is authorized to drill up to four additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks Formation wells in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 28 and 33, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, said wells to be located anywhere within said spacing unit but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback) and 500' (lateral setback) to the boundaries thereof.

BOARD ORDER NO. 61-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5 AND 8, T26N-R58E, RICHLAND AND ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE POPPY FED #2658 12-17H WELL.

ORDER 62-2015

Docket No. 53-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a temporary spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 22-2012. Applicant has completed the Poppy Fed #2658 12-17H well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Sections 5 and 8, T26N-R58E, Richland and Roosevelt County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Poppy Fed #2658 12-17H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 62-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5 AND 8, T26N-R58E, RICHLAND AND ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE POPPY FED #2658 12-17H WELL.

ORDER 63-2015

Docket No. 54-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 62-2015. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. Mr. Trevor Taylor with the Trust Land Management Division stated that the acreage of riverbed minerals should be confirmed.
4. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 5 and 8, T26N-R58E, Richland and Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 63-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Poppy Fed #2658 12-17H well.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DRILL UP TO FOUR ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) WITHIN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5 AND 8, T26N-R58E, RICHLAND AND ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA.

ORDER 64-2015

Docket No. 55-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a permanent spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 62-2015.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Oasis Petroleum, Inc. is authorized to drill up to four additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks Formation wells in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 5 and 8, T26N-R58E, Richland and Roosevelt County, Montana, said wells to be located anywhere within said spacing unit but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback) and 500' (lateral setback) to the boundaries thereof.

BOARD ORDER NO. 64-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant must apply for permanent spacing within 90 days of successful well completion.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DESIGNATE A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 17 AND 20, T26N-R58E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE CARSON FED #2658 13-17H WELL.

ORDER 65-2015

Docket No. 56-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Sections 17 and 20, T26N-R58E comprise a statewide temporary spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 380-2011. Applicant has completed the Carson Fed #2658 13-17H well as a producing well.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Sections 17 and 20, T26N-R58E, Richland County, Montana, is designated a permanent spacing unit for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Carson Fed #2658 13-17H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 65-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 17 AND 20, T26N-R58E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE CARSON FED #2658 13-17H WELL.

ORDER 66-2015

Docket No. 57-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 65-2015. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 17 and 20, T26N-R58E, Richland County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Carson Fed #2658 13-17H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 66-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DRILL UP TO FOUR ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) WITHIN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 17 AND 20, T26N-R58E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA.

ORDER 67-2015

Docket No. 58-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The lands described in the caption were designated a permanent spacing unit for production from the Bakken/Three Forks interval by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 65-2015.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Oasis Petroleum, Inc. is authorized to drill up to four additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks Formation wells in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 17 and 20, T26N-R58E, Richland County, Montana, said wells to be located anywhere within said spacing unit but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback) and 500' (lateral setback) to the boundaries thereof.

BOARD ORDER NO. 67-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant must apply for permanent spacing within 90 days of successful well completion.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 14 AND 23, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE M & MT #2958 13-26H WELL.

ORDER 68-2015

Docket No. 59-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 223-2013. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 14 and 23, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 68-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 30 AND 31, T29N-R59E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE DISCO #2959 13-30H WELL.

ORDER 69-2015

Docket No. 60-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 227-2013. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 30 and 31, T29N-R59E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Disco #2959 13-30H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 69-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 15 AND 22, T26N-R58E, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE DIANNE FED #2658 42-22H WELL.

ORDER 70-2015

Docket No. 61-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 214-2013. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 15 and 22, T26N-R58E, Richland County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Dianne Fed #2658 42-22H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 70-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 29 AND 32, T27N-R59E, RICHLAND AND ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE HALVORSON FED #2759 13-29H WELL.

ORDER 71-2015

Docket No. 62-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 272-2013. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 29 and 32, T27N-R59E, Richland and Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Halvorson Fed #2759 13-29H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 71-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL  
ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT  
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 30 AND 31, T27N-R59E,  
RICHLAND AND ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE  
PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM  
THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO  
THE FANNIE FED #2759 43-19H WELL.

ORDER 72-2015

Docket No. 63-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 2-2013. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 30 and 31, T27N-R59E, Richland and Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 72-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL  
ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT  
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 30 AND 31, T27N-R59E,  
RICHLAND AND ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE  
PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM  
THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE  
THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH  
RESPECT TO THE FAYE FED #2759 43-19H WELL.

ORDER 73-2015

Docket No. 64-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 2-2013. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 30 and 31, T27N-R59E, Richland and Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Faye Fed #2759 43-19H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 73-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL  
ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT  
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 24 AND 25, T27N-R58E,  
ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF  
OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE  
BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE  
RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE  
WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE  
LUKE SWEETMAN #24-25H WELL.

ORDER 74-2015

Docket No. 65-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 309-2010. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 24 and 25, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Luke Sweetman #24-25H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 74-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 24 AND 25, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE LUKE SWEETMAN #2758 14-24 2B WELL.

ORDER 75-2015

Docket No. 66-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 309-2010. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 24 and 25, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Luke Sweetman #2758 14-24 2B well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 75-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 24 AND 25, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE LUKE SWEETMAN #2758 14-24 3B WELL.

ORDER 76-2015

Docket No. 67-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 309-2010. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 24 and 25, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Luke Sweetman #2758 14-24 3B well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 76-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 10 AND 11, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE MCCRACKEN #2758 21-10H WELL.

ORDER 77-2015

Docket No. 68-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 316-2011. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 10 and 11, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the McCracken #2758 21-10H well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 77-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 10 AND 11, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE CHOKECHERRY #2758 11-10B WELL.

ORDER 78-2015

Docket No. 69-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 316-2011. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 10 and 11, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Chokecherry #2758 11-10B well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 78-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 10 AND 11, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE MCCRACKEN #2758 34-9 3B WELL.

ORDER 79-2015

Docket No. 70-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 316-2011. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 10 and 11, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the McCracken #2758 34-9 3B well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 79-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 10 AND 11, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE MCCRACKEN #2758 44-9 4B WELL.

ORDER 80-2015

Docket No. 71-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 316-2011. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 10 and 11, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the McCracken #2758 44-9 4B well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 80-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 10 AND 11, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE MCCRACKEN #2758 21-10 5B WELL.

ORDER 81-2015

Docket No. 72-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 316-2011. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 10 and 11, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the McCracken #2758 21-10 5B well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 81-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 10 AND 11, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE MCCRACKEN #2758 41-10 6B WELL.

ORDER 82-2015

Docket No. 73-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 316-2011. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 10 and 11, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the McCracken #2758 41-10 6B well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 82-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE SAGE BRUSH #2758 43-9H WELL.

ORDER 83-2015

Docket No. 74-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 219-2013. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 and 21, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 83-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE SAGE BRUSH #2758 41-9 2B WELL.

ORDER 84-2015

Docket No. 75-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 219-2013. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 and 21, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 84-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE RECOVERY OF NON-CONSENT PENALTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., WITH RESPECT TO THE SAGE BRUSH #2758 41-9 3T WELL.

ORDER 85-2015

Docket No. 76-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 219-2013. The applicant has been unable to acquire voluntary pooling of all interests within the spacing unit.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 and 21, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant is authorized to recover non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Sage Brush #2758 41-9 3T well.

BOARD ORDER NO. 85-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE SAGE BRUSH #2758 41-9 4B WELL.

ORDER 86-2015

Docket No. 77-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 219-2013. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 and 21, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 86-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 30 AND 31, T28N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE GRINDLAND #31-30H WELL.

ORDER 87-2015

Docket No. 79-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 4-2013. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 30 and 31, T28N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 87-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 18 AND 19, T28N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE BEULAH IRENE FED #19-18H WELL.

ORDER 88-2015

Docket No. 80-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 253-2011 and BLM Order 30-2011 FED. At the time of hearing applicant withdrew its request for the imposition of risk penalties.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 18 and 19, T28N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 88-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 27 AND 34, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE KROGEDAL FED #2958 11-27H WELL.

ORDER 89-2015

Docket No. 81-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 356-2012.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 27 and 34, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 89-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 26 AND 35, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE RAY T. FED #2958 13-26H WELL.

ORDER 90-2015

Docket No. 82-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 442-2012.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 26 and 35, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 90-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 25 AND 36, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE DAVE T #2958 13-25H WELL.

ORDER 91-2015

Docket No. 83-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 225-2013.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 25 and 36, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 91-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1, 2, 11, AND 12, T27N-R59E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE AMAZING GRACE #11-2H WELL.

ORDER 92-2015

Docket No. 84-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 58-2011 and BLM Order No. 2-2011 FED.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12, T27N-R59E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 92-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16 AND 21, T27N-R59E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE FALCON FED #2759 12-16H WELL.

ORDER 93-2015

Docket No. 85-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 271-2012.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 and 21, T27N-R59E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 93-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO POOL ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 6 AND 7, T27N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE DIXIE FED #2758 14-6H WELL.

ORDER 94-2015

Docket No. 86-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Applicant is an interest owner and operator in the spacing unit identified in the caption as established by Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order 270-2012.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-202, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all interests in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 6 and 7, T27N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, are hereby pooled on the basis of surface acreage for production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation.

BOARD ORDER NO. 94-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF INTERSTATE EXPLORATIONS, LLC,  
TO CONVERT THE LAWRENCE "E" 16-29 WELL IN THE SE¼SE¼  
OF SECTION 29, T14N-R60E, WIBAUX COUNTY, MONTANA  
(YATES FIELD) TO A CLASS II SALTWATER DISPOSAL WELL IN  
THE DAKOTA FORMATION AT A DEPTH OF APPROXIMATELY  
5450-5675 FT. AN AQUIFER EXEMPTION IS BEING REQUESTED  
AS THE INJECTION ZONE CONTAINS WATER WITH LESS THAN  
10,000 MG/L TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS.

ORDER 100-2015

Docket No. 87-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of A.R.M. 36.22.1403 have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that the application of Interstate Explorations, LLC is granted as applied for subject to stipulations on the sundry notice.

BOARD ORDER NO. 100-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF BALDWIN LYNCH ENERGY CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL OF A PILOT ENHANCED RECOVERY PROJECT IN THE LAKOTA FORMATION INVOLVING THE W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  AND NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 15 AND THE E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  AND NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 16, T9S-R22E, CARBON COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED EIGHTEEN MONTHS FROM THE COMMENCEMENT OF INJECTION OPERATIONS.

ORDER 96-2015

Docket No. 88-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of A.R.M. 36.22.1403 have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Baldwin Lynch Energy Corporation is authorized to do a pilot enhanced recovery project in the Lakota Formation involving the W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 15 and the E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 16, T9S-R22E, Carbon County, Montana.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the injection period authorized under this order is limited to 18 months from the date of first injection.

BOARD ORDER NO. 96-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF BALDWIN LYNCH ENERGY CORPORATION TO CONVERT THE STATE 1-16 WELL (API #25-009-21056) IN THE SE¼NE¼ OF SECTION 16, T9S-R22E, CARBON COUNTY, MONTANA (NORTH CLARK'S FORK FIELD) TO A CLASS II ENHANCED RECOVERY INJECTION WELL IN THE LAKOTA FORMATION AT A DEPTH OF APPROXIMATELY 8802-8820 FT. AN AQUIFER EXEMPTION IS BEING REQUESTED AS THE INJECTION ZONE CONTAINS WATER WITH LESS THAN 10,000 MG/L TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS.

ORDER 97-2015

Docket No. 89-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of A.R.M. 36.22.1403 have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Baldwin Lynch Energy Corporation is authorized to convert the State 1-16 well (API # 25-009-21056) in the SE¼NE¼ of Section 16, T9S-R22E, Carbon County, Montana, to an enhanced recovery injection well in the Lakota Formation at a depth of approximately 8,802 to 8,820 feet, subject to stipulations on the sundry notice.

BOARD ORDER NO. 97-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF FORT WORTH OPERATING COMPANY, LLC TO CREATE A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF THE W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 23 AND E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 22, T29N-R50E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DRILLING A NISKU FORMATION TEST WELL WITHIN SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT AT A PROPOSED LOCATION APPROXIMATELY 2,508' FSL AND 407' FWL IN SECTION 23, AS AN EXCEPTION TO A.R.M. 36.22.702. APPLICANT WILL APPLY FOR PERMANENT SPACING WITHIN 90 DAYS OF SUCCESSFUL WELL COMPLETION.

ORDER 98-2015

Docket No. 90-2015 & 5-2015 FED

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. Forest Smith, mineral director for the Fort Peck Tribe, appeared in support of this docket on behalf of the Fort Peck Tribe. Mr. Smith wanted to acknowledge the Tribes approval of the application and encourage future drilling on tribal lands.
3. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that the W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 23 and the E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 22, T29N-R50E, Roosevelt County, Montana, is designated a temporary spacing unit to drill a Nisku Formation test well at the proposed location of approximately 2,508' FSL and 407' FWL in Section 23.

BOARD ORDER NO. 98-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant must apply for permanent spacing within 90 days of successful well completion.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF FORT WORTH OPERATING COMPANY, LLC TO CREATE A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF THE NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, AND SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> OF SECTION 21, T29N-R50E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DRILLING A NISKU FORMATION TEST WELL WITHIN SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT AT A PROPOSED LOCATION APPROXIMATELY 2,389' FSL AND 2,420' FWL IN SECTION 21, AS AN EXCEPTION TO A.R.M. 36.22.702. APPLICANT WILL APPLY FOR PERMANENT SPACING WITHIN 90 DAYS OF SUCCESSFUL WELL COMPLETION.

ORDER 101-2015

Docket No. 91-2015 & 6-2015 FED

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that the application of Fort Worth Operating Company, LLC is granted as applied for.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant must apply for permanent spacing within 90 days of successful well completion.

BOARD ORDER NO. 101-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF FORT WORTH OPERATING COMPANY, LLC TO CREATE A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF THE S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 22 AND N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 27, T28N-R51E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DRILLING A NISKU FORMATION TEST WELL WITHIN SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT AT A PROPOSED LOCATION APPROXIMATELY 505' FSL AND 935' FWL IN SECTION 22, AS AN EXCEPTION TO A.R.M. 36.22.702. APPLICANT WILL APPLY FOR PERMANENT SPACING WITHIN 90 DAYS OF SUCCESSFUL WELL COMPLETION.

ORDER 102-2015

Docket No. 92-2015 & 7-2015 FED

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that the application of Fort Worth Operating Company, LLC is granted as applied for.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant must apply for permanent spacing within 90 days of successful well completion.

BOARD ORDER NO. 102-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF FORT WORTH OPERATING COMPANY, LLC TO CREATE A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF THE E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  AND W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 5, T29N-R50E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DRILLING A MISSION CANYON FORMATION TEST WELL WITHIN SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT AT A PROPOSED LOCATION APPROXIMATELY 1,916' FSL AND 2,255' FWL IN SECTION 5, AS AN EXCEPTION TO A.R.M. 36.22.702. APPLICANT WILL APPLY FOR PERMANENT SPACING WITHIN 90 DAYS OF SUCCESSFUL WELL COMPLETION.

ORDER 103-2015

Docket No. 93-2015 & 8 FED

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana conclude that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that the application of Fort Worth Operating Company, LLC is granted as applied for.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant must apply for permanent spacing within 90 days of successful well completion.

BOARD ORDER NO. 103-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM, INC. TO DESIGNATE AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 26, 27, 34, AND 35, T29N-R58E, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PURPOSES OF DRILLING THREE HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS AT A LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK) ORIENTED IN A NORTH-SOUTH AZIMUTH PROXIMATE TO THE COMMON BOUNDARY BETWEEN EXISTING PERMANENT SPACING UNITS AND THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT SHALL BE LIMITED TO PRODUCTION FROM THE PROPOSED HORIZONTAL WELLS.

ORDER 95-2015

Docket No. 349-2014

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. The evidence indicates that granting the application will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that the applicant demonstrated the requirements of Section 82-11-201, M.C.A. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that all of Sections 26, 27, 34, and 35, T29N-R58E, Roosevelt County, Montana, is designated an overlapping temporary spacing unit for the purpose of drilling three horizontal wells in the Bakken/Three Forks Interval at a location not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback) oriented in a north-south azimuth proximate to the common boundary between existing permanent spacing units. The overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal wells.

BOARD ORDER NO. 95-2015

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a federal communitization agreement for spacing units which contain both federal and non-federal land shall be submitted to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management prior to or upon completion of a producible well.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant must apply for permanent spacing within 90 days of successful well completion.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April 30, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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Ronald S. Efta, Board Member

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE BOARD'S OWN MOTION TO REQUIRE KELLY OIL AND GAS, LLC TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE, IF ANY IT HAS, WHY ADDITIONAL PENALTIES SHOULD NOT BE IMPOSED FOR FAILURE TO PAY THE ANNUAL INJECTION WELL FEE, FAILURE TO PAY THE LATE FEE, FAILURE TO MAINTAIN MECHANICAL INTEGRITY ON THE STATE 1, STATE E-2, AND R. SHELHAMER 1A INJECTION WELLS AND FOR FAILURE TO MAINTAIN THE WELLSITES OF THE STENSVAD 2X-25 AND DYBVIK KV-1 OIL WELLS.

ORDER 104-2015

Docket No. 95-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. No one appeared on behalf of Kelly Oil and Gas, LLC (Kelly).
3. Kelly has not paid the annual injection fee for its three permitted injection wells or the late fees previously assessed for nonpayment. The total amount previously assessed for injection-related violations is \$900.
4. Kelly has failed to maintain mechanical integrity on the State 1, State E-2, and R. Shelhamer 1A injection wells. At the Board's February 25, 2015 business meeting Kelly was assessed a \$500 fine and directed to have the State E-2 well repaired or abandoned prior to the April 30, 2015 hearing.
5. Two producing wells operated by Kelly Oil and Gas LLC also have violations that have not been addressed. The Dybvik KV1 production pit contains oil and there is oil pooled around the base of the treater at the Stensvad 2X-25 location.
6. The evidence indicates that taking the following action will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that respondent has not demonstrated that the requirements of Title 82, Chapter 11, M.C.A. and A.R.M. 36.22.101, et.seq. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Kelly Oil and Gas, LLC is assessed a fine of \$1000 for failure to appear in response to Docket 95-2015 and failure to remedy the violations at the Dybvik KV 1 and Stensvad 2X-25 wells.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Kelly Oil and Gas, LLC is fined an additional \$1,000.00 for failure to pay the injection well fees for the State 1, State E-2, and R. Shelhamer 1A injection wells. The total due in injection well fees and penalties is now \$2,400.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Kelly Oil and Gas, LLC appear at the June 25, 2015 public hearing and show-cause, if any it has, why its plugging and reclamation bond covering the State E-2 well should not be forfeited for failure to repair or abandon the well and why it shouldn't be required to plug and abandon its remaining production and injection wells.

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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John Evans, Board Member

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Paul Gatzemeier, Board Member

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Peggy Ames Nerud, Board Member

ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE BOARD'S OWN MOTION TO REQUIRE ALTURAS ENERGY LLC TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE, IF ANY IT HAS, WHY IT SHOULD NOT PROVIDE A PLAN AND TIMELINE FOR PLUGGING ITS WELLS AND WHY PENALTIES SHOULD NOT BE IMPOSED FOR FAILURE TO MEET THE COMPLIANCE DEADLINE FOR FIELD VIOLATIONS.

ORDER 105-2015

Docket No. 96-2015

Report of the Board

The above entitled cause came on regularly for hearing on April 30, 2015 at the Board's hearing room at 2535 St. Johns Avenue in Billings, Montana, pursuant to the order of the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana, hereinafter referred to as the Board. At this time and place testimony was presented, statements and exhibits were received, and the Board then took the cause under advisement; and, the Board having fully considered the testimony, statements and exhibits and all things and matters presented to it for its consideration by all parties in the Docket, and being well and fully advised in the premises, finds and concludes as follows:

Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. No one appeared on behalf of Alturas Energy LLC (Alturas).
3. Docket 96-2015 was scheduled due to field violations at its Degn 29-44, Bass Marker 20-33, and Scheetz 21-1 wells that have not been addressed.
4. The evidence indicates that taking the following action will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that respondent has not demonstrated that the requirements of Title 82, Chapter 11, M.C.A. and A.R.M. 36.22.101, et.seq. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Alturas Energy LLC is fined \$1,000.00 for failure to appear at the April 30, 2015 public hearing and for failure to address violations at its Degn 29-44, Bass Marker 20-33, and Scheetz 21-1 wells.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Alturas Energy LLC is to appear at the June 25, 2015 public hearing and show-cause, if any it has, why its plugging and reclamation bond should not be forfeited for failure to provide a plan and timeline for the plugging and abandonment of its wells.

BOARD ORDER NO. 105-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Linda Nelson, Chairman

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Wayne Smith, Vice-Chairman

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Steven Durrett, Board Member

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ATTEST:

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Jennifer Rath, Program Specialist

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

UPON THE BOARD'S OWN MOTION TO REQUIRE AUGUSTA EXPLORATION, LLC TO APPEAR AND SHOW CAUSE, IF ANY IT HAS, WHY IT SHOULD NOT IMMEDIATELY PLUG AND ABANDON ITS KRONE-AUGUSTA 31-32 WELL, API # 25-049-21111, LOCATED IN SECTION 32, T18N-R5W, LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY, MONTANA.

ORDER 106-2015

Docket No. 97-2015

Report of the Board

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Findings of Fact

1. Due, proper and sufficient notice was published and given of this matter, the hearing hereon, and of the time and place of said hearing, as well as the purpose of said hearing; all parties were afforded opportunity to present evidence, oral and documentary.
2. No one appeared on behalf of Augusta Exploration, LLC (Augusta).
3. The evidence indicates that taking the following action will serve to protect correlative rights and be in the interest of conservation of oil and gas in the State of Montana.

Conclusions of Law

The Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana concludes that respondent has not demonstrated that the requirements of Title 82, Chapter 11, M.C.A. and A.R.M. 36.22.101, et.seq. have been met.

Order

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana that Augusta Exploration, LLC is to appear at the June 25, 2015 public hearing and show-cause, if any it has, why its plugging and reclamation bond should not be forfeited and why additional penalties should not be assessed for failure to appear at the April 30, 2015 hearing.

BOARD ORDER NO. 106-2015

Done and performed by the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation of the State of Montana at Billings, Montana, this 30th day of April, 2015.

BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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