

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

001

1a. Type of Work: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRILL <input type="checkbox"/> REENTER		CONFIDENTIAL		5. Lease Serial No. 14-20-H62-4905
1b. Type of Well: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single Zone <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Zone				6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name UTE
2. Name of Operator EL PASO PRODUCTION O&G COMPANY		Contact: CHERYL CAMERON E-Mail: Cheryl.Cameron@ElPaso.com		7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.
3a. Address P.O. BOX 1148 VERNAL, UT 84078		3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 435.781.7023 Fx: 435.781.7094		8. Lease Name and Well No. UTE TRIBAL 6-26
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.)* At surface SENW 2050FNL 1870FWL At proposed prod. zone		4440150 Y 40.10786 597809X -109.85239		9. API Well No. 43-047-34734
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* 14.8 MILES SOUTHEAST OF FT. DUCHESNE, UT				10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory LELAND BENCH
15. Distance from proposed location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) 1870		16. No. of Acres in Lease 638.00		11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk. and Survey or Area Sec 26 T4S R1E Mer SLB USBM
18. Distance from proposed location to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. REFER TO TOPO C		19. Proposed Depth 7200 MD		12. County or Parish UINTAH
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KB, RT, GL, etc.) 5105 GL		22. Approximate date work will start		13. State UT
				17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well
				20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file 103601473
				23. Estimated duration

24. Attachments

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

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| 1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor. | 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above). |
| 2. A Drilling Plan. | 5. Operator certification |
| 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office). | 6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer. |

25. Signature (Electronic Submission) 	Name (Printed/Typed) CHERYL CAMERON	Date 09/26/2002
Title OPERATIONS		
Approved by (Signature) 	Name (Printed/Typed) BRADLEY G. HILL	Date 10-01-02
Title 	Office RECLAMATION SPECIALIST III	

Application approval does not warrant or certify the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

Additional Operator Remarks (see next page)

Electronic Submission #14573 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For EL PASO PRODUCTION O&G COMPANY, sent to the Vernal

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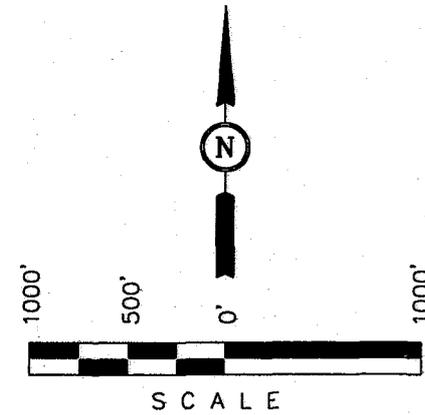
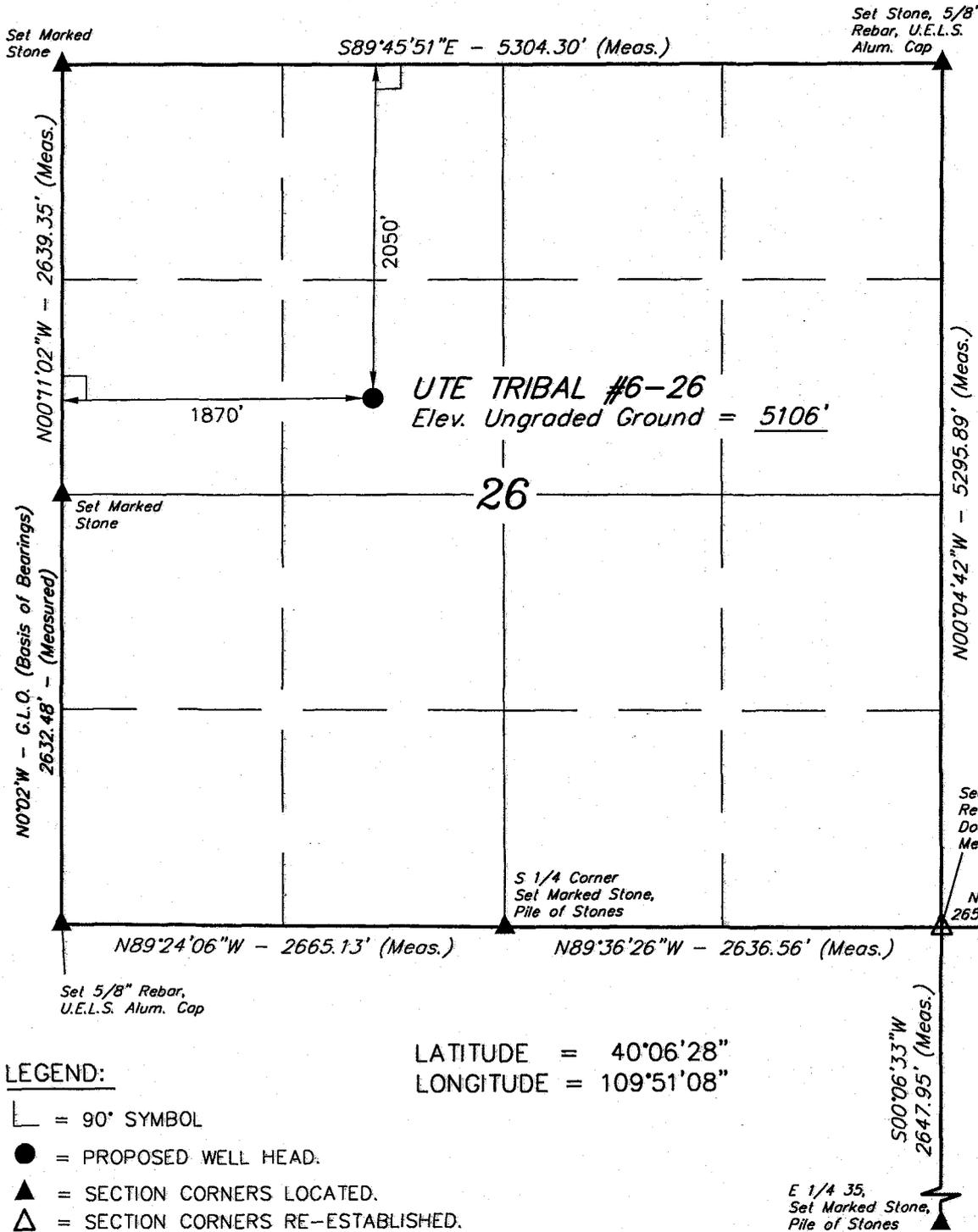
T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M.

**EL PASO
PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY**

Well location, UTE TRIBAL #6-26, located as shown in the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 26, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M. Uintah County, Utah.

BASIS OF ELEVATION

SPOT ELEVATION AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 26, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M. TAKEN FROM THE UTELAND BUTTE QUADRANGLE, UTAH, UINTAH COUNTY, 7.5 MINUTE QUAD. (TOPOGRAPHIC MAP) PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. SAID ELEVATION IS MARKED AS BEING 5188 FEET.



CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE PLAT WAS PREPARED FROM FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEYS MADE BY ME OR UNDER MY SUPERVISION AND THAT THE SAME ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

Robert L. Kay
REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR
REGISTRATION NO. 161319
STATE OF UTAH

UINTAH ENGINEERING & LAND SURVEYING
85 SOUTH 200 EAST - VERNAL, UTAH 84078
(435) 789-1017

LEGEND:

- └─┘ = 90° SYMBOL
- = PROPOSED WELL HEAD.
- ▲ = SECTION CORNERS LOCATED.
- △ = SECTION CORNERS RE-ESTABLISHED.

LATITUDE = 40°06'28"
LONGITUDE = 109°51'08"

SCALE 1" = 1000'	DATE SURVEYED: 11-19-01	DATE DRAWN: 11-26-01
PARTY C.T. T.A. D.COX	REFERENCES G.L.O. PLAT	
WEATHER COOL	FILE	EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY

**UTE TRIBAL 6-26
SENW Sec. 26, T4S, R1E
UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH
14-20-H62-4905**

**ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1
COASTAL OIL & GAS CORPORATION**

DRILLING PROGRAM

1. Geologic Surface Formation:

Top of Green River 0' – 2300'

2. Estimated Tops/Depths of Important Geologic Markers/Anticipated Gas:

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>
	Green River	2125'
Oil	Garden Gulch	4715'
Oil	Douglas Creek	5450'
Oil	Castle Peak	6190'
Oil	Uteland Butte	6575'
	TD	7200'

3. Pressure Control Equipment (Schematic Attached)

The BOP stack will consist of one 11" 3,000 psi annular BOP, one 11" 3,000 psi double ram, and one 11' drilling spool. The lower ram will contain pipe rams, and the upper ram will contain blind rams.

The choke and kill lines and the choke manifold will have a 3,000 psi minimum pressure rating.

The hydrill will be tested to 1,500 psi. The rams, choke manifold, kelly safety valves, drill string safety valves, and inside BOP will be tested to 3,000 psi.

4. Proposed Casing & Cementing Program:

The Surface casing and the Production casing will be new.

Please refer to the attached Casing & Cementing Program.

5. Drilling Fluids Program:

Please refer to the attached Drilling Fluids Program

6. **Evaluation Program:** (Logging)

Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.

7. **Abnormal Conditions:**

Maximum anticipated bottomhole pressure calculated @ 7,200' TD approximately equals 2,880 psi (calculated at 0.4 psi/foot). Maximum anticipated surface pressure equals approximately 1,296 psi (bottomhole pressure minus the pressure of a partially evacuated hole calculated at 0.22 psi/foot).

8. **Anticipated Starting Dates:**

Drilling is planned to commence immediately upon approval of this application.

9. **Variations:**

None anticipated.

10. **Other:**

A Class III Archaeological Study Report and the Paleontological Field Survey Report have been completed. Copies of these reports were submitted to the Ute Indian Tribe, and The Bureau of Indian Affairs prior to the on-site inspection.

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SENW SEC. 26, T4S, R1E
UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH
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ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1

MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE & OPERATIONS PLAN

1. **Existing Roads:**

Directions to the proposed location are attached.

Refer to Topo Maps A and B for location of access roads within a 2-mile radius.

All existing roads will be maintained and kept in good repair during all drilling and completion operations associated with this well.

2. **Planned Access Roads:**

The proposed access road is approximately 14.8 miles. Refer to Topo Map B.

The proposed access road has been re-routed since the on-site date to avoid hookless cactus, As discussed during the on-site inspection. Refer to Topo Map B.

The access road will be crowned (2 to 3%), ditched and constructed with a running surface of 18 feet and a maximum disturbed width of 30 feet. Graveling or capping the roadbed will be performed as necessary to provide a well constructed, safe road. Prior to construction or upgrading, the proposed road shall be cleared of any snow and allowed to dry completely.

Surface disturbance and vehicular traffic will be limited to the proposed location and proposed access route. Any additional area needed will be approved in advance. All construction shall be in conformance with the standards outlined in the BLM and Forest Service publication: Surface Operating Standards for Oil and Gas Exploration and Development. 1989.

The road surface and shoulders will be kept in a safe and usable condition and will be maintained in accordance with the original construction standards. All drainage ditches will be kept clear and free-flowing and will be maintained according to original construction standards. The access road surface will be kept free of trash during operations. All traffic will be confined to the approved disturbed surface. Road drainage crossings shall be designed so they will not cause siltation or accumulation of debris in the drainage crossing or shall the drainages be blocked by the road bed. Erosion of drainage ditches by runoff water shall be prevented by diverting water off at frequent intervals by means of cutouts. Should mud holes develop, they shall be filled in and detours around them avoided. When snow is removed from the road during the winter months, the snow shall be pushed outside of the borrow ditches, and the turnouts kept clear so that snowmelt will be channeled away from the road.

3. **Location of Existing Wells Within a 1-Mile Radius**

Please refer to Topo Map C.

4. **Location of Existing & Proposed Facilities**

The following guidelines will apply if the well is productive.

All production facilities will be located on the disturbed portion of the well pad and at a minimum of 25 feet from the toe of the back slope or the top of the fill slope.

A dike will be constructed completely around those production facilities which contain fluids (i.e., production tanks, produced water tanks, and/or heater/treater). These dikes will be constructed of compacted subsoil, be impervious, hold 100% of the capacity of the largest tank, and be independent of the back cut.

All permanent (on-site six months or longer) above the ground structures constructed or installed, including pumping units, will be painted a flat, non-reflective, earthtone color to match one of the standard environmental colors, as determined by the five state Rocky Mountain Inter-Agency Committee.

All facilities will be painted within six months of installation. Facilities required to comply with the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) will be excluded. The requested color is Juniper Green as determined during the on-site inspection.

Any necessary pits will be properly fenced to protect livestock and prevent wildlife entry.

Refer to Topo Map D for the proposed pipeline.

5. **Location and Type of Water Supply:**

Water for drilling purposes will be obtained from Dalbo Inc.'s underground well located in Ouray, Utah, Sec.32, T4S,R3E, Water User Claim #43-8496, Application #53617.

Water will be hauled to location over the roads marked on Maps A and B.

No water well is to be drilled on this lease.

6. **Source of Construction Materials**

Surface and subsoil materials in the immediate area will be utilized.

Any gravel will be obtained from a commercial source.

7. Methods of Handling Waste Materials

Drill cuttings will be contained and buried in the reserve pit.

Drilling fluids, including salts and chemicals, will be contained in the reserve pit. Upon termination of drilling and completion operations, the liquid contents of the reserve pit will be removed and disposed of at an approved waste disposal facility within 120 days after drilling is terminated.

The reserve pit will be constructed on the location and will not be located within natural drainage, where a flood hazard exists or surface runoff will destroy or damage the pit walls. The reserve pit will be constructed so that it will not leak, break, or allow discharge of liquids.

A plastic reinforced liner with felt is to be used as discussed during on-site inspection. It will be a minimum of 12 mil thick, with sufficient bedding used to cover any rocks. The liner will overlap the pit walls and be covered with dirt and/or rocks to hold it in place. No trash or scrap that could puncture the liner will be disposed of in the pit.

Any spills of oil, gas, salt water, or other noxious fluids will be immediately cleaned up and removed to an approved disposal site.

A chemical porta-toilet will be furnished with the drilling rig.

Garbage, trash, and other waste materials will be collected in a portable, self-contained, fully enclosed trash cage during operations. No trash will be burned on location.

All debris and other waste material not contained in the trash cage will be cleaned up and removed from the location immediately after removal of the drilling rig.

Any open pits will be fenced during the operations. The fencing will be maintained until such time as the pits are backfilled.

No chemicals subject to reporting under SARA Title III (hazardous materials) in an amount greater than 10,000 pounds will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of annually in association with the drilling of this well. Furthermore, no extremely hazardous substances, as defined in 40 CFR 355, in threshold planning quantities, will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of in association with the drilling of this well.

Any produced water from the proposed well will be contained in a water tank and will then be hauled by truck to one of the pre-approved disposal sites: RNI, Sec. 5, T9S, R22E, NBU #159, Sec.35, T9S, R21E, Ace Oilfield, Sec. 2, T6S, R20E, MC&MC, Sec. 12, T6S, R19E. (Request is in lieu of filing Form 3160-5, after initial production).

8. Ancillary Facilities

None are anticipated.

9. Well Site Layout: (See Location Layout Diagram)

The attached Location Layout Diagram describes drill pad cross-sections, cuts and fills, and locations of the mud tanks, reserve pit, flare pit, pipe racks, trailer parking, spoil dirt stockpile(s), and surface material stockpile(s).

Please see the attached diagram to describe rig orientation, parking areas, and access roads.

39 inch net wire will be used with at least one strand of barbed wire on top of the net wire. Barbed wire is not necessary if pipe or some type of reinforcement rod is attached to the top of the entire fence.

The net wire shall be no more than two inches above the ground. The barbed wire shall be three inches over the net wire. Total height of the fence shall be at least 42 inches.

Corner posts shall be cemented and/or braced in such a manner to keep the fence tight at all times.

Standard steel, wood, or pipe posts shall be used between the corner braces. Maximum distance between any 2 fence posts shall be no greater than 16 feet.

All wire shall be stretched, by using a stretching device, before it is attached to corner posts.

The reserve pit fencing will be on three sides during drilling operations, and on the fourth side when the rig moves off location. Pits will be fenced and maintained until cleanup.

10. Plans for Reclamation of the Surface:***Producing Location:***

Immediately upon well completion, the location and surrounding area will be cleared of all unused tubing, materials, trash, and debris not required for production.

Immediately upon well completion, any hydrocarbons in the pit shall be removed in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.7-1.

Before any dirt work associated with location restoration takes place, the reserve pit shall be as dry as possible. All debris in it will be removed. Other waste and spoil materials will be disposed of immediately upon completion of operations.

The reserve pit and that portion of the location not needed for production facilities/operations will be re-contoured to the approximate natural contours. The reserve pit will be reclaimed within 90 days from the date of well completion, weather permitting.

To prevent surface water (s) from standing (ponding) on the reclaimed reserve pit area, final reclamation of the reserve pit will consist of "mounding" the surface three feet above surrounding ground surface to allow the reclaimed pit area to drain effectively.

Upon completion of backfilling, leveling, and re-contouring, the stockpiled topsoil will be spread evenly over the reclaimed area(s).

Dry Hole/Abandoned Location:

Abandoned well sites, roads, and other disturbed areas will be restored as near as practical to their original condition. Where applicable, these conditions include the re-establishment of irrigation systems, the re-establishment of appropriate soil conditions, and re-establishment of vegetation as specified.

All disturbed surfaces will be recontoured to the approximate natural contours, with reclamation of the well pad and access road to be performed as soon as practical after final abandonment. Reseeding operations will be performed after completion of other reclamation operations.

A qualified Paleontologist shall monitor construction of the access road and well pad, as discussed during the on-site inspection.

A Raptor Nest Activity Inspection Report, prepared by Buys & Associates, Inc. for the proposed location is attached. A large stick nest near the location site has been determined to be inactive by any raptor species for nesting purposes during the 2001-2002 nesting season.

11. **Surface Ownership:**

Ute Indian Tribe
Ft. Duchesne, Utah

12. **Other Information:**

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, the approved Plan of Operations, and any applicable Notice of Lessees. The Operator is fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of these conditions will be furnished to the field representative to ensure compliance.

The Operator will control noxious weeds along Rights-Of-Way for roads, pipelines, wellsites, or other applicable facilities.

13. Lessee's or Operator's Representative & Certification:

Cheryl Cameron
Senior Regulatory Analyst
El Paso Production O&G Co.
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Vernal, UT 84078
(435) 781-7023

Scott Palmer
Drilling Manager
El Paso Production O&G Co.
9 Greenway Plaza
Houston, TX 77046
(713) 420-4850

Certification: All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, the approved Plan of Operations, and any applicable Notice to Lessees.

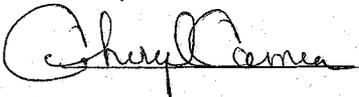
The Operator will be fully responsible for the actions of its subcontractors. A complete copy of the approved "Application for Permit to Drill" will be furnished to the field representative(s) to ensure compliance and shall be on location during all construction and drilling operations.

El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company is considered to be the operator of the subject well. El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company agrees to be responsible under the terms and the conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon leased lands.

Bond coverage pursuant to 43 CFR 3104 for the lease activities is being provided by BIA
Nationwide Bond No. 103601473.

I hereby certify that the proposed drill site and access route has been inspected and that I am familiar with the conditions that currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by the Operator, its contractors, and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

s/s Cheryl Cameron
Cheryl Cameron



9/24/02

Date

EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY
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SECTION 26, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M.

PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION FROM FORT DUCHESNE, UTAH APPROXIMATELY 4.0 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTH; PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 6.1 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTH; PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 2.0 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE EAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN AN EASTERLY, THEN DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.9 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHEAST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 1.4 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE WEST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.2 MILES TO THE BEGINNING OF THE PROPOSED ACCESS TO THE WEST; FOLLOW ROAD FLAGS IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.2 MILES TO THE PROPOSED LOCATION.

TOTAL DISTANCE FROM FORT DUCHESNE, UTAH TO THE PROPOSED WELL LOCATION IS APPROXIMATELY 14.8 MILES.

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LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH
SECTION 26, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M.

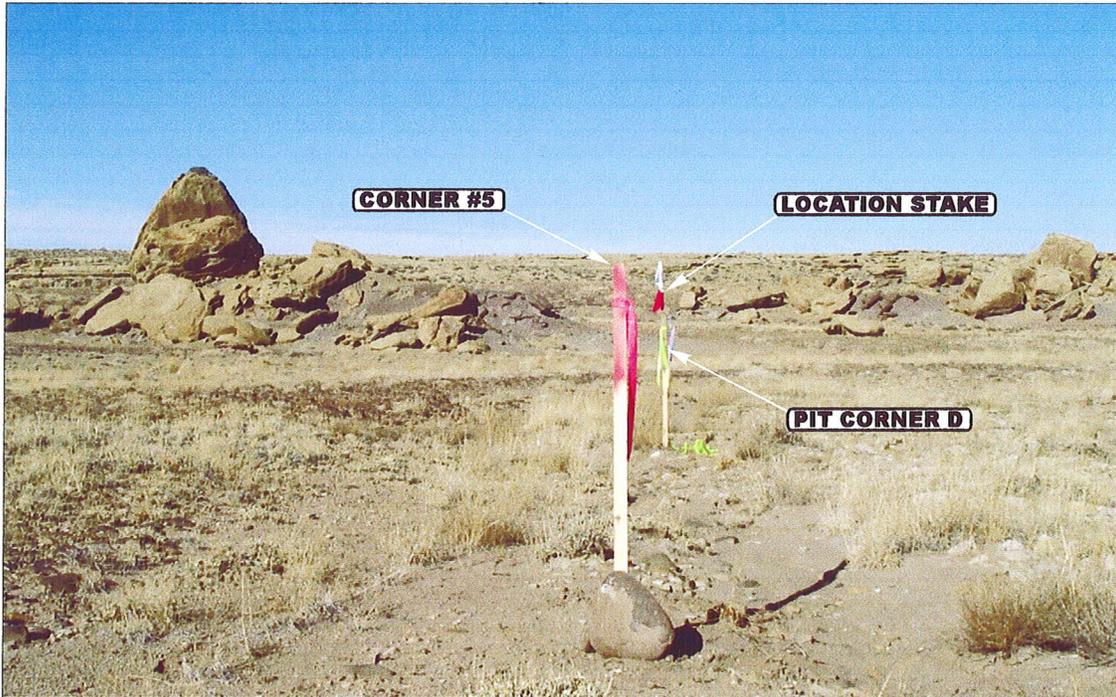


PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE

CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHERLY



PHOTO: VIEW OF BEGINNING OF PROPOSED ACCESS

CAMERA ANGLE: WESTERLY



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LOCATION PHOTOS

12 **4** **01**
MONTH DAY YEAR

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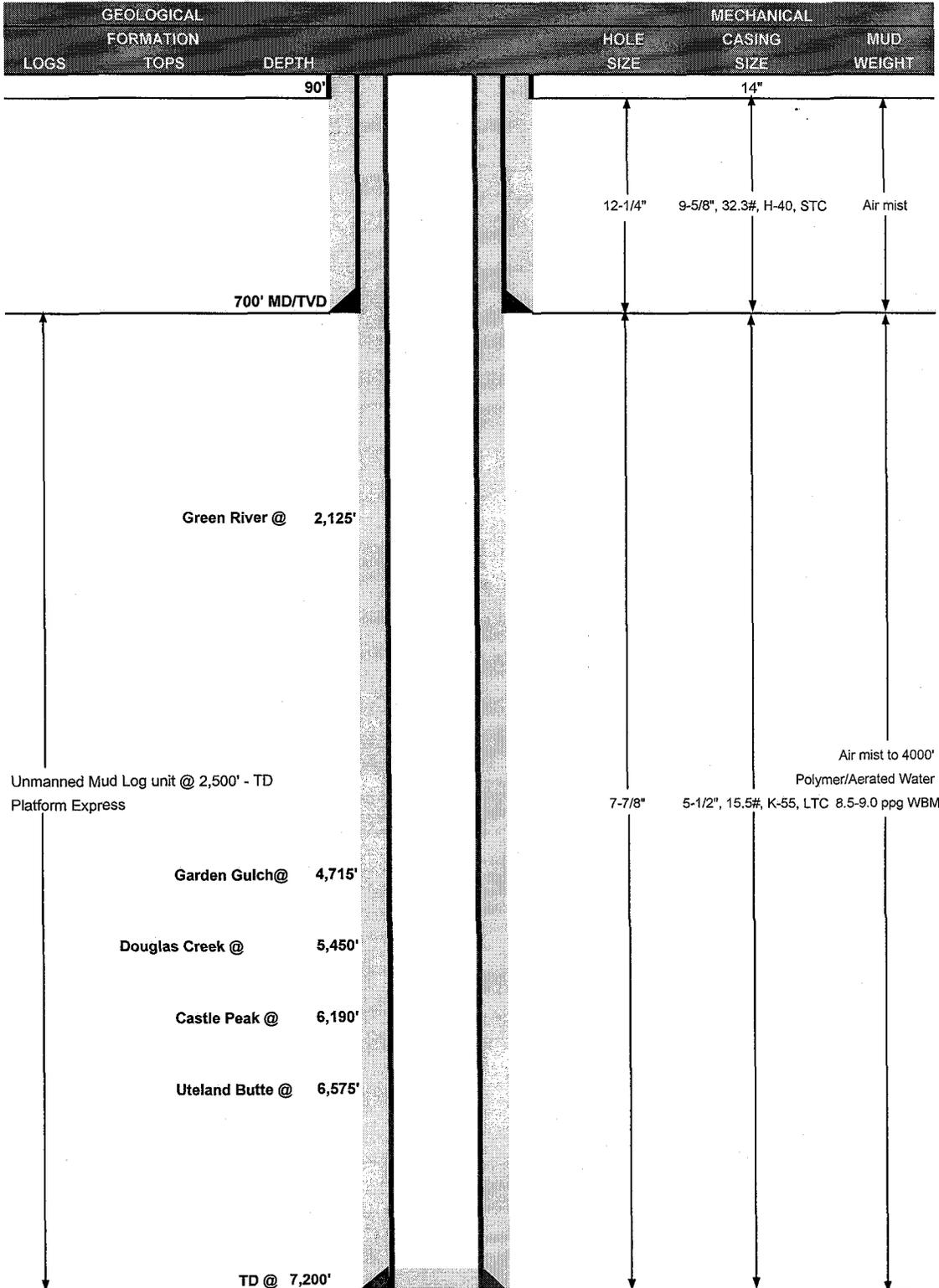
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DRILLING PROGRAM FOR APD

COMPANY NAME EI Paso Production Company DATE September 19, 2002
 WELL NAME Ute Tribal 6-26 TD 7,200' MD/TVD
 FIELD Leland Bench COUNTY Uintah STATE Utah ELEVATION 5,120' KB
 SURFACE LOCATION SE/NW, SEC. 26, T4S, R1E BHL Straight Hole
 OBJECTIVE ZONE(S) Lower Green River oil
 ADDITIONAL INFO Regulatory Agencies: BLM, BIA, UDOGM, Tri-County Health Dept.



el paso Production
DRILLING PROGRAM

CASING PROGRAM

	SIZE	INTERVAL	WT.	GR.	CPLG.	DESIGN FACTORS		
						BURST	COLLAPSE	TENSION
CONDUCTOR	14"	0-40'				2270	1370	254000
SURFACE	9-5/8"	0-700'	32.30	H-40	STC	5.78	4.18	3.50
						4810	4040	239000
PRODUCTION	5-1/2"	0-TD	15.50	K-55	LTC	1.89	1.20	1.48

- 1) Maximum Anticipated Surface Pressure (MASP) (Conductor and Surface Casings) = (Frac Gradient at Shoe - Gas Gradient (0.115 psi/ft))(TVD)
 - 2) MASP (Int Casing) = Pore Pressure at Next Casing Point - (Gas Gradient x TVD of Next Casing Point x 0.67) - (Mud Weight x TVD x 0.052 x 0.33)
 - 3) MASP (Prod Casing) = Pore Pressure - (Gas Gradient x TVD of Production Interval)
- (Burst Assumptions: FG @ 9-5/8" shoe = 13.0 ppg, Max Pore Pressure = 9.0 ppg EMW)
(Collapse Assumption: Fully Evacuated Casing, Max MW) (Tension Assumptions: Air Weight of Casing, 50000 lbs overpull)

CEMENT PROGRAM

	FT. OF FILL	DESCRIPTION	SACKS	EXCESS*	WEIGHT	YIELD
SURFACE	700	Class G + 2% CaCl ₂ + 0.25 pps celloflake	270	35%	15.80	1.16
PRODUCTION	LEAD 4,215'	Premium Lite II + 3% KCl + 0.25 pps celloflake + 5 pps gilsonite + 10% gel + 0.5% extender	350	60%	11.00	3.38
	TAIL 2,985'	50/50 Poz/G + 10% salt + 2% gel	640	60%	14.30	1.31

* or 15% over caliper log

FLOAT EQUIPMENT & CENTRALIZERS

SURFACE	Guide shoe, 1 jt, insert float. Centralize first 3 joints with bow spring centralizers. Thread lock guide shoe.
PRODUCTION	Float shoe, 1 jt, float collar. Centralize first 3 joints & every third joint to top of tail cement with bow spring centralizers.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Test casing head to 750 psi after installing. Test surface casing to 1,500 psi prior to drilling out.

BOPE: 11" 3M with one annular and 2 rams. Test to 3,000 psi (annular to 1,500 psi) prior to drilling out. Record on chart recorder & tour sheet. Function test rams on each trip. Maintain safety valve & inside BOP on rig floor at all times. Kelly to be equipped with upper & lower kelly valves.

Run Totco surveys every 1000'. Maximum allowable hole angle is 5 degrees.

DRILLING ENGINEER:

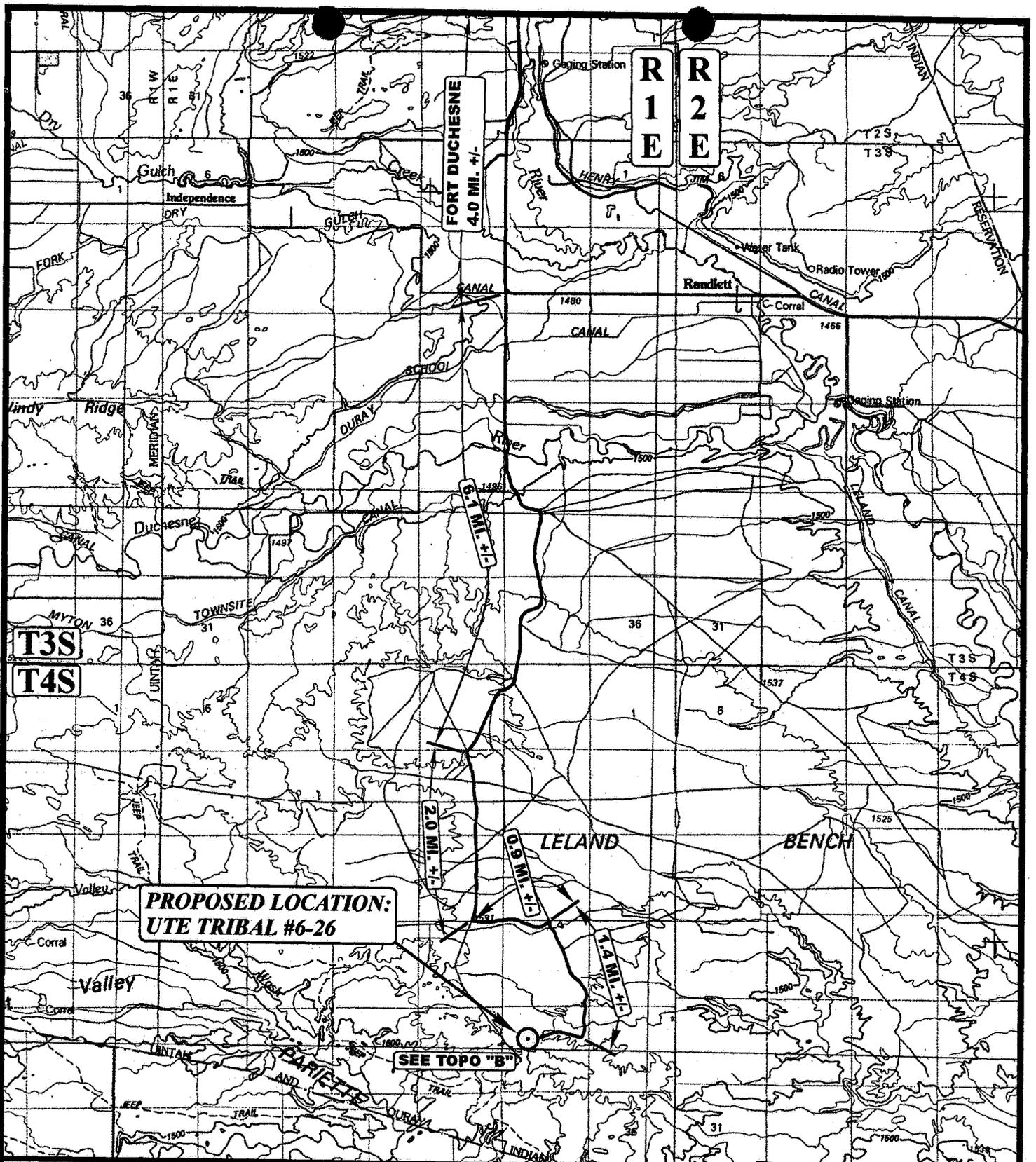
Dan Lindsey

DATE:

DRILLING SUPERINTENDANT:

Larry Strasheim

DATE:



**PROPOSED LOCATION:
UTE TRIBAL #6-26**

SEE TOPO "B"

LEGEND:

⊙ PROPOSED LOCATION



EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY

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SECTION 26, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M.
2050' FNL 1870' FWL**



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**TOPOGRAPHIC
MAP**

12	4	01
MONTH	DAY	YEAR

SCALE: 1:100,000 DRAWN BY: P.M. REVISED: 7-23-02



R
1
E

FT. DUCHESNE
12.1 MI. +/-

0.9 MI. +/-

1.4 MI. +/-

PROPOSED LOCATION:
UTE TRIBAL #6-26

0.2 MI. +/-

PROPOSED ACCESS 0.2 MI. +/-

LELAND BENCH

T4S

LEGEND:

- EXISTING ROAD
- - - PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD



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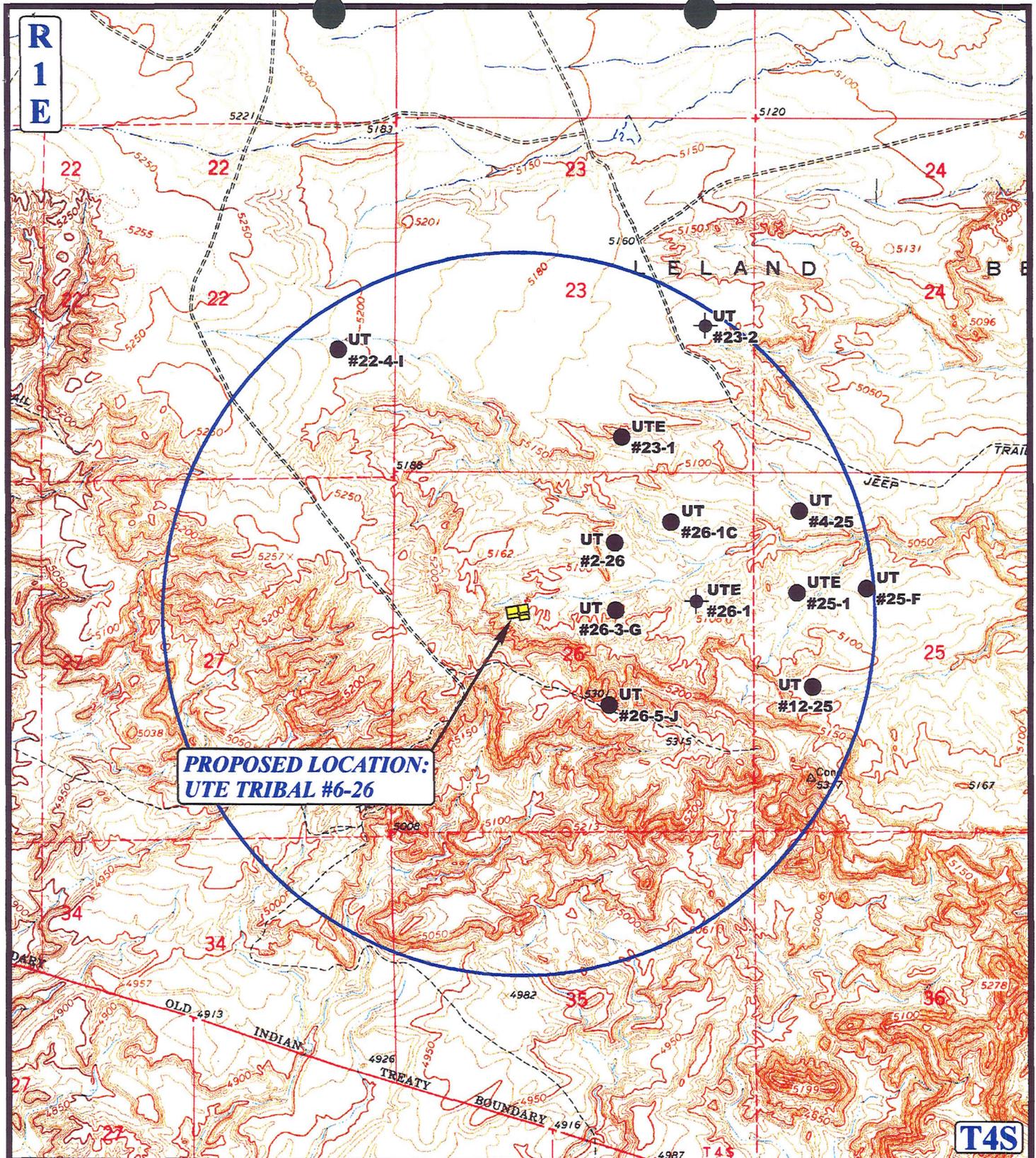
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TOPOGRAPHIC MAP

12	4	01
MONTH	DAY	YEAR

SCALE: 1" = 2000' DRAWN BY: P.M. REVISED: 7-23-02





LEGEND:

- ⊗ DISPOSAL WELLS
- PRODUCING WELLS
- ⦿ SHUT IN WELLS
- ⊗ WATER WELLS
- ABANDONED WELLS
- ⦿ TEMPORARILY ABANDONED

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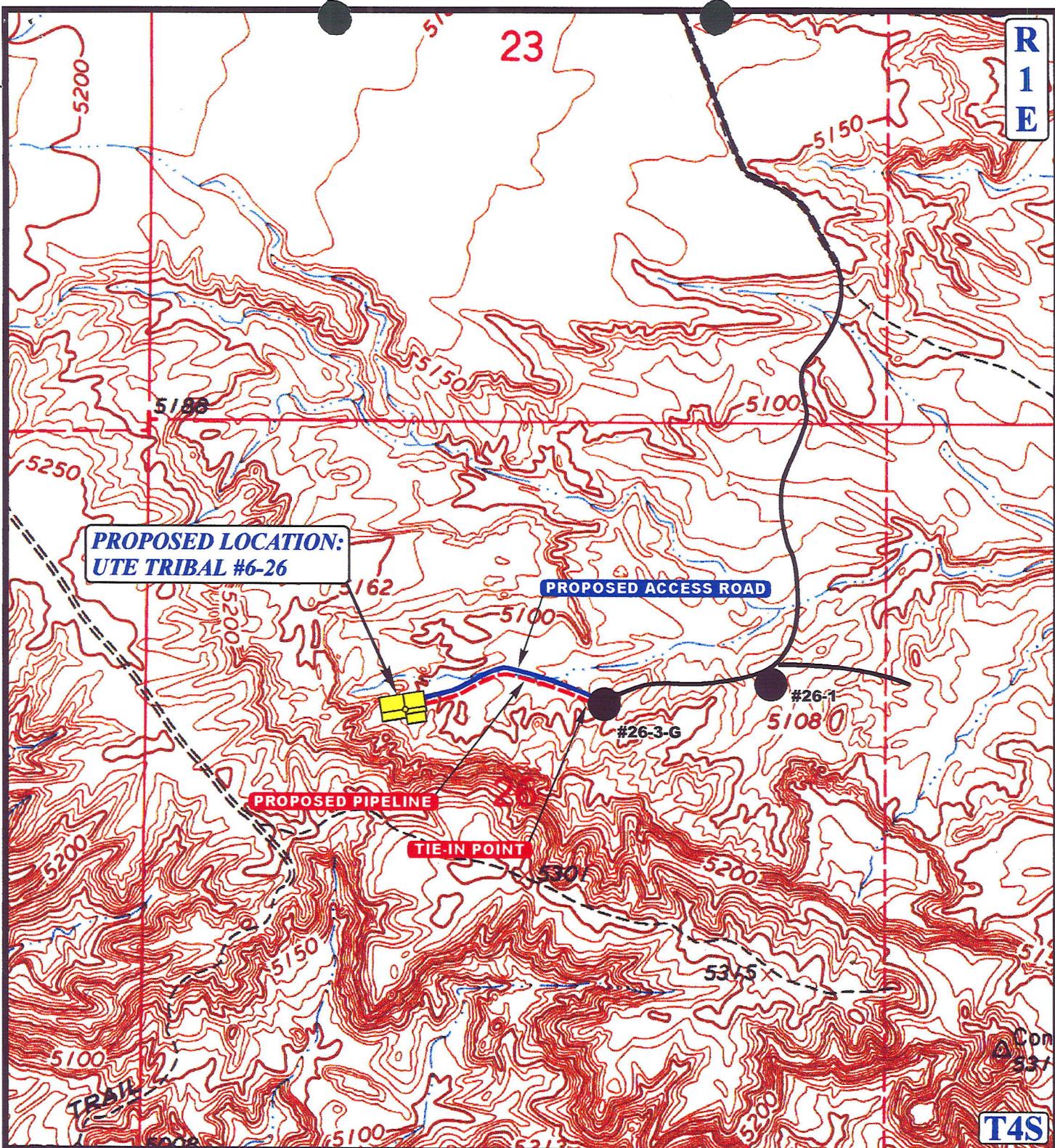


TOPOGRAPHIC
MAP

12	4	01
MONTH	DAY	YEAR

SCALE: 1" = 2000' DRAWN BY: P.M. REVISED: 00-00-00





APPROXIMATE TOTAL PIPELINE DISTANCE = 1,263' +/-

LEGEND:

-  PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
-  EXISTING PIPELINE
-  PROPOSED PIPELINE

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Uintah Engineering & Land Surveying
85 South 200 East Vernal, Utah 84078
(435) 789-1017 * FAX (435) 789-1813

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MAP MONTH DAY YEAR

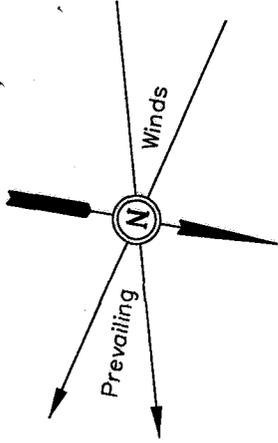
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EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY

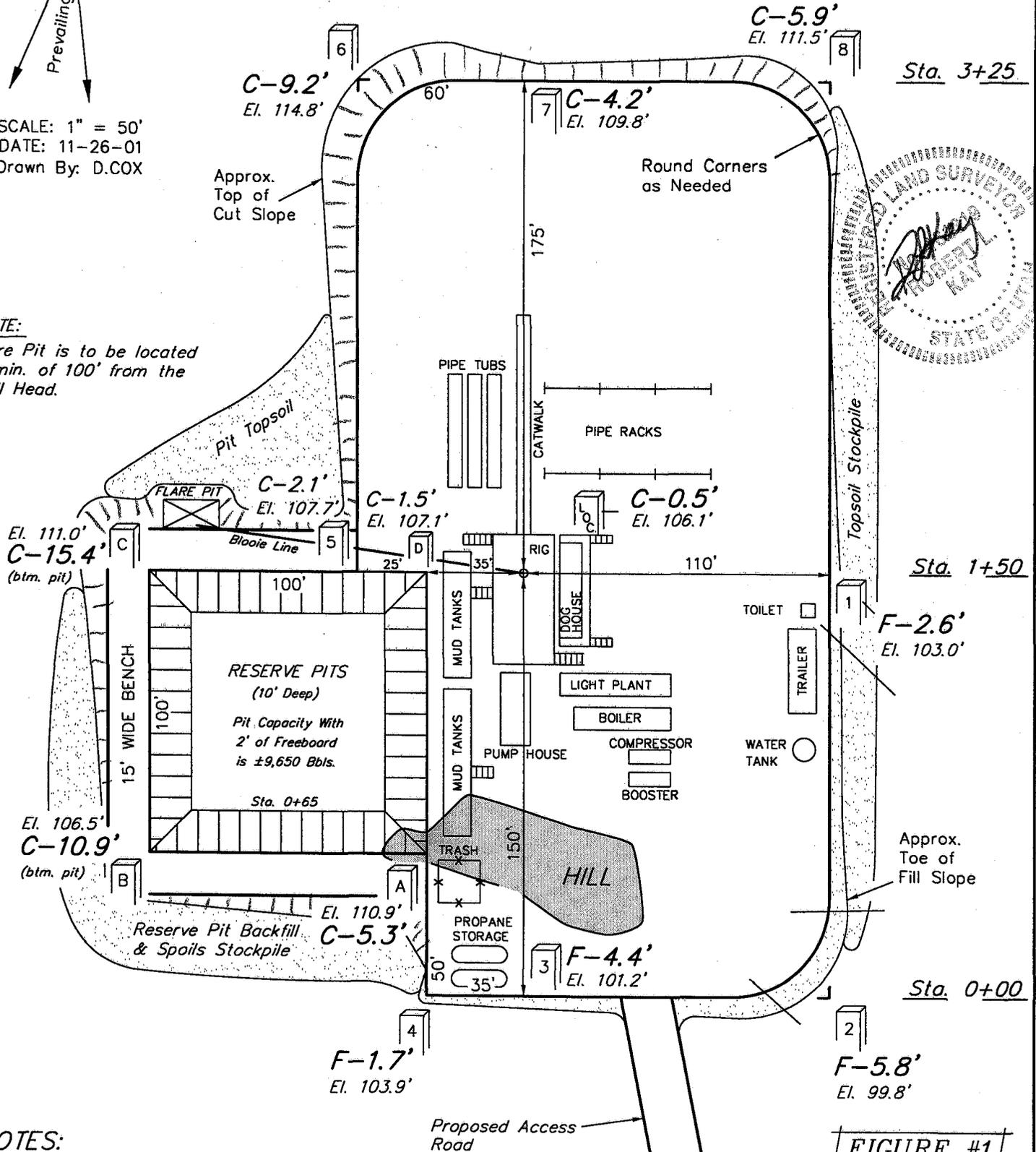
LOCATION LAYOUT FOR

UTE TRIBAL #6-26
SECTION 26, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M.
2050' FNL 1870' FWL



SCALE: 1" = 50'
DATE: 11-26-01
Drawn By: D.COX

NOTE:
Flare Pit is to be located
a min. of 100' from the
Well Head.



NOTES:

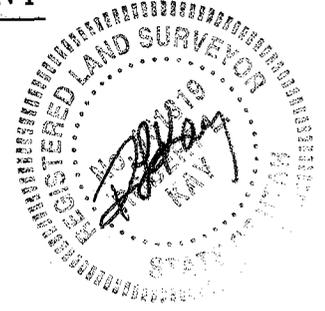
Elev. Ungraded Ground At Loc. Stake = 5106.1'
FINISHED GRADE ELEV. AT LOC. STAKE = 5105.6'

FIGURE #1

EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY

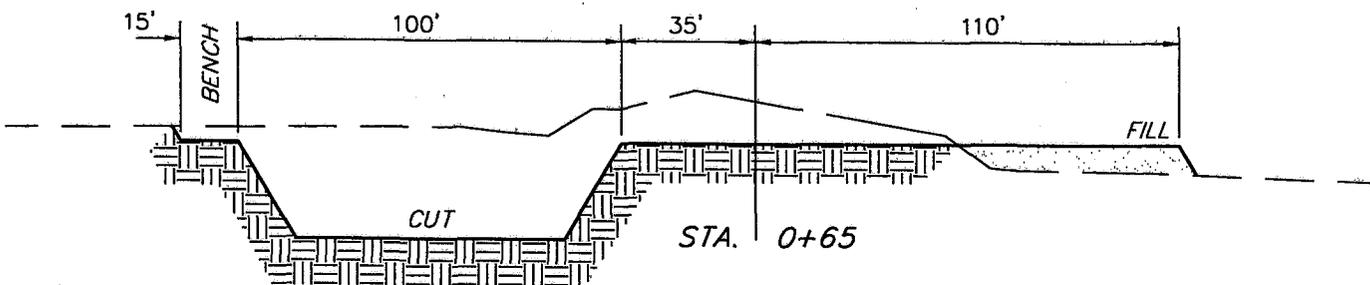
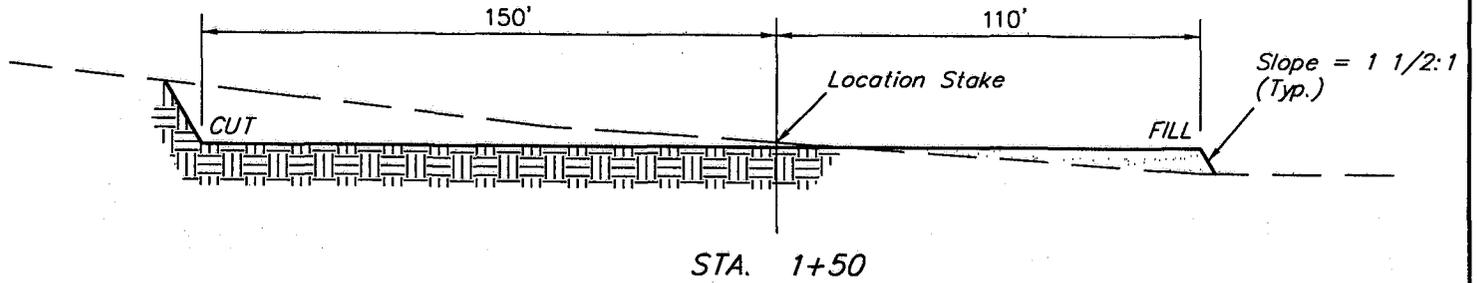
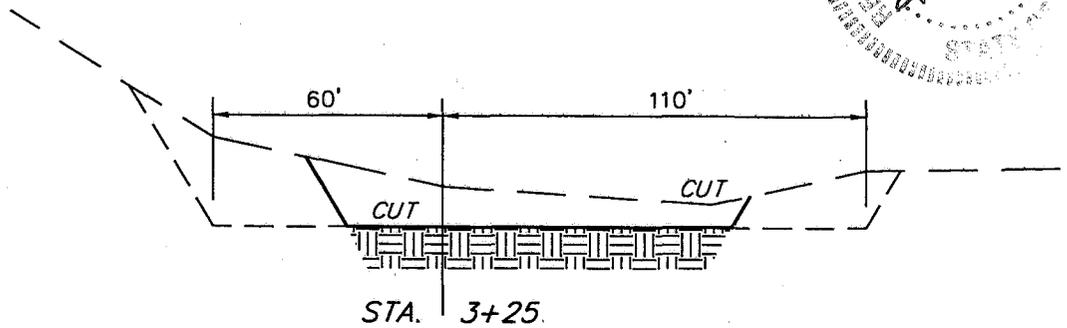
TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS FOR

UTE TRIBAL #6-26
SECTION 26, T4S, R1E, U.S.B.&M.
2050' FNL 1870' FWL



1" = 20'
X-Section
Scale
1" = 50'

DATE: 11-26-01
Drawn By: D.COX



NOTE:

Topsoil should not be Stripped Below Finished Grade on Substructure Area.

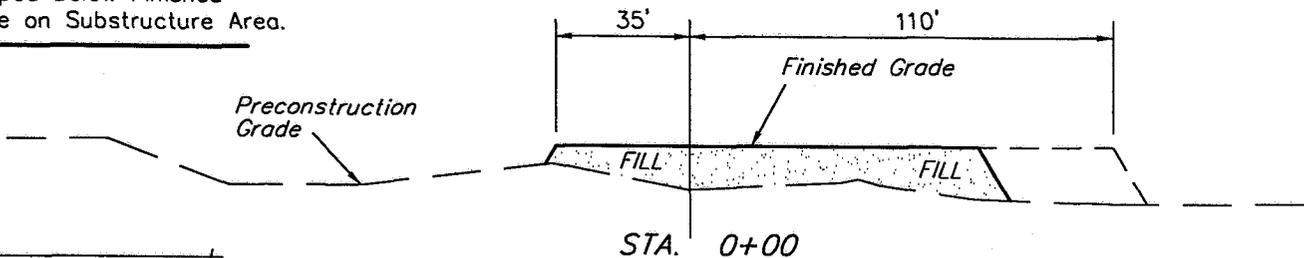


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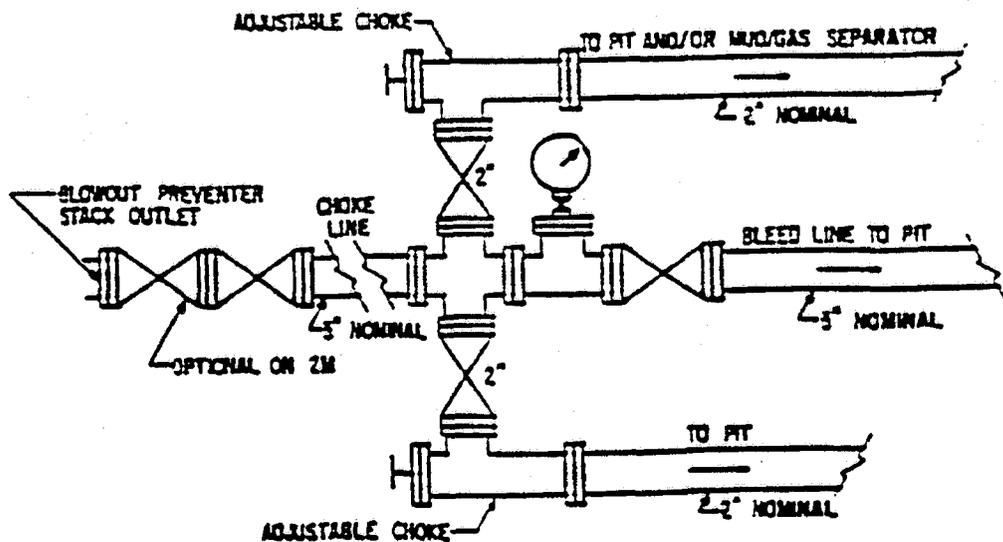
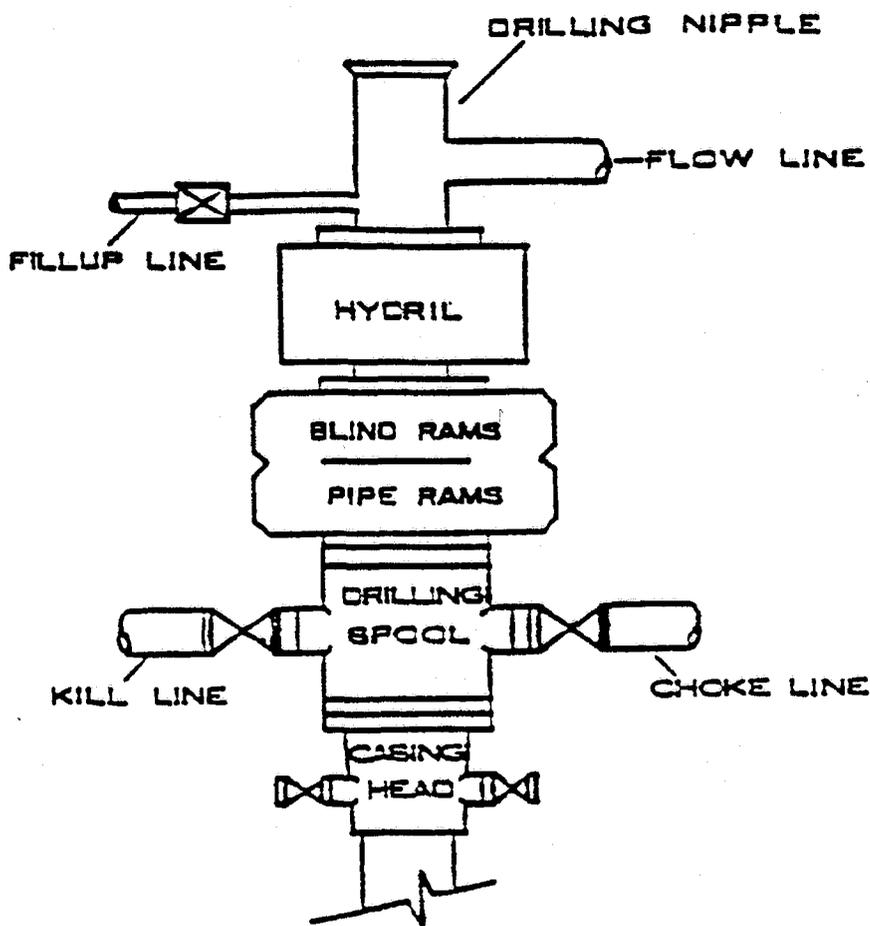
APPROXIMATE YARDAGES

CUT	
(12") Topsoil Stripping	= 2,450 Cu. Yds.
Remaining Location	= 6,230 Cu. Yds.
TOTAL CUT	= 8,680 CU.YDS.
FILL	= 2,460 CU.YDS.

EXCESS MATERIAL AFTER 5% COMPACTION	= 6,090 Cu. Yds.
Topsoil & Pit Backfill (1/2 Pit Vol.)	= 3,790 Cu. Yds.
EXCESS UNBALANCE (After Rehabilitation)	= 2,300 Cu. Yds.

3,000 PSI

BOP STACK



**Raptor Nest Activity Inspection Report for Ute Tribal 6-26
SE-NW1/4 of Section 26, Township 4 South, Range 1 East**

ORIGINAL

Prepared for:

Ute Indian Tribe
Energy & Minerals Department
Fort Duchesne, Utah

Bureau of Indian Affairs
Uintah and Ouray Agency
Fort Duchesne, Utah

El Paso Production Company
Vernal, Utah

Prepared by:

B&A Buys & Associates, Inc.
Environmental Consultants

July 2002

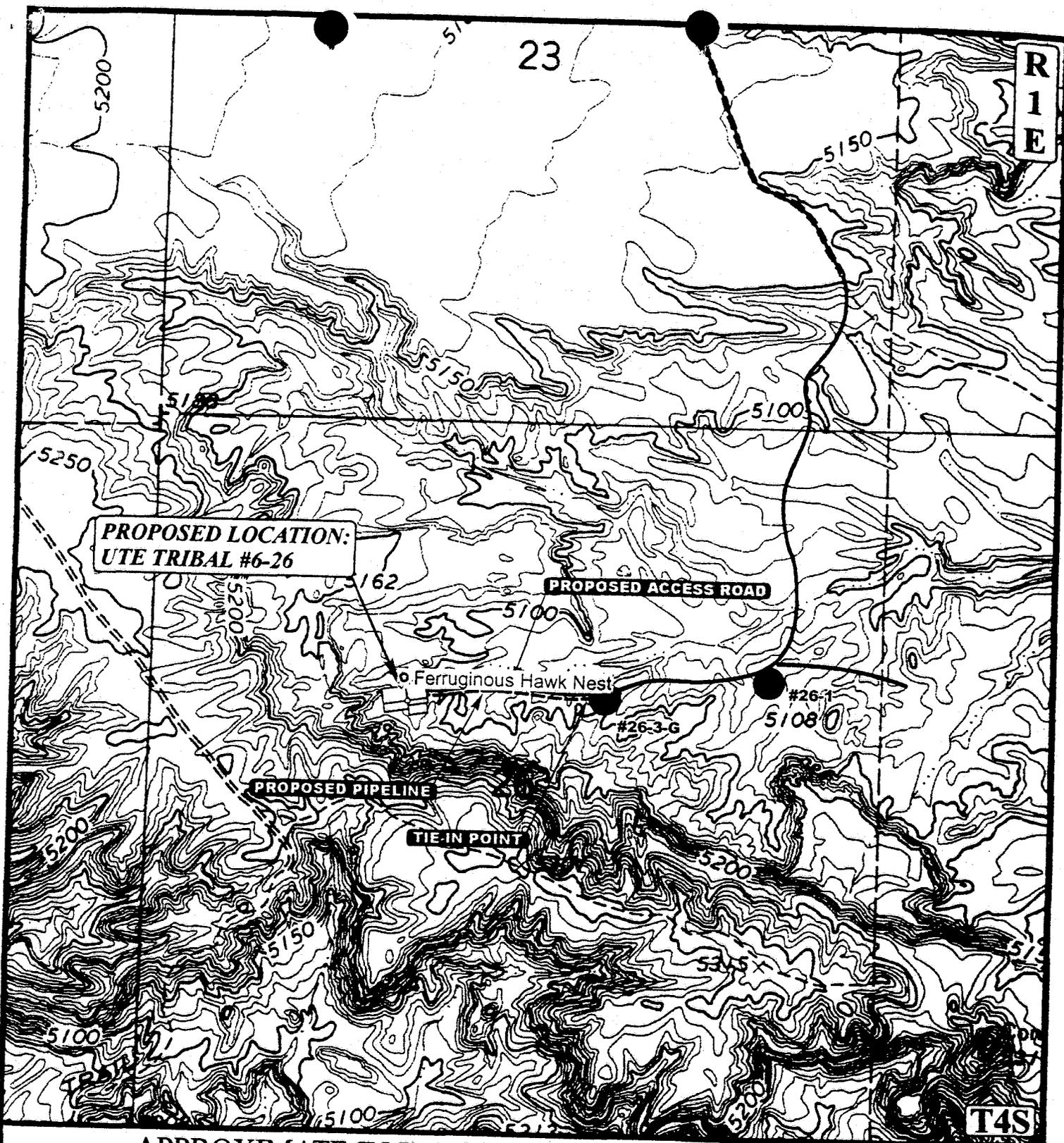
Introduction

At the request of Mr. Manuel Myore (Bureau of Indian Affairs), Mr. Cecil Cornpeach (Ute Indian Tribe - Energy and Minerals Department) and Mr. Carroll Estes (El Paso Production Company), Buys & Associates Inc. (B&A) completed a raptor nest activity inspection of a large stick nest near the proposed Ute Tribal 6-26 well location. Both the stick nest and the proposed well pad are located in the SENW 1/4 of Section 26, T4S, R1E (See attached map). The inspection was requested in response to the observation of the nest near an existing well location. The nest of concern is a large stick nest sitting on top of a large boulder (10-15 feet high) that appears to have been constructed by a ferruginous hawk. The nest's activity status was inspected by B&A in July of 2002 and was determined to be inactive.

Methods & Results

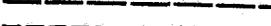
The nest's activity status was inspected by Andy Dworak, B&A Biologist, with the supervision of Cecil Cornpeach on July 11, 2002. Upon arriving at the location, they observed the nest sitting approximately 1/4 mile west of the existing Ute Tribal #26-3-G well location. No raptors, adults or juveniles, were observed in the area. Andy inspected the stick nest but did not find signs (e.g. down feathers stuck to the nest substrate, fresh whitewash, bones) of recent nesting activity by any raptor species.

Given that: 1) there were no signs of raptor nesting activity; and 2) no adult or juvenile raptors were observed in or near the nest, it is highly unlikely that the stick nest under discussion was used by any raptor species for nesting purposes during the 2001-2002 nesting season.



APPROXIMATE TOTAL PIPELINE DISTANCE = 1,220' +/-

LEGEND:

-  EXISTING ROAD
-  PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
-  EXISTING PIPELINE
-  PROPOSED PIPELINE

EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY

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TOPOGRAPHIC MAP
SCALE: 1" = 1000' DRAWN BY: P.M. REVISED: 00-00-00

12	4	01
MONTH	DAY	YEAR



WORKSHEET
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL

APD RECEIVED: 09/27/2002

API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-34734

WELL NAME: UTE TRIBAL 6-26
OPERATOR: EL PASO PROD OIL & GAS (N1845)
CONTACT: CHERYL CAMERON

PHONE NUMBER: 435-781-7023

PROPOSED LOCATION:

SENW 26 040S 010E
SURFACE: 2050 FNL 1870 FWL
BOTTOM: 2050 FNL 1870 FWL
UINTAH
WINDY RIDGE (718)

INSPECT LOCATN BY: / /		
Tech Review	Initials	Date
Engineering		
Geology		
Surface		

LEASE TYPE: 2 - Indian
LEASE NUMBER: 14-20-H62-4905
SURFACE OWNER: 2 - Indian

LATITUDE: 40.10786

PROPOSED FORMATION: CSLPK

LONGITUDE: 109.85239

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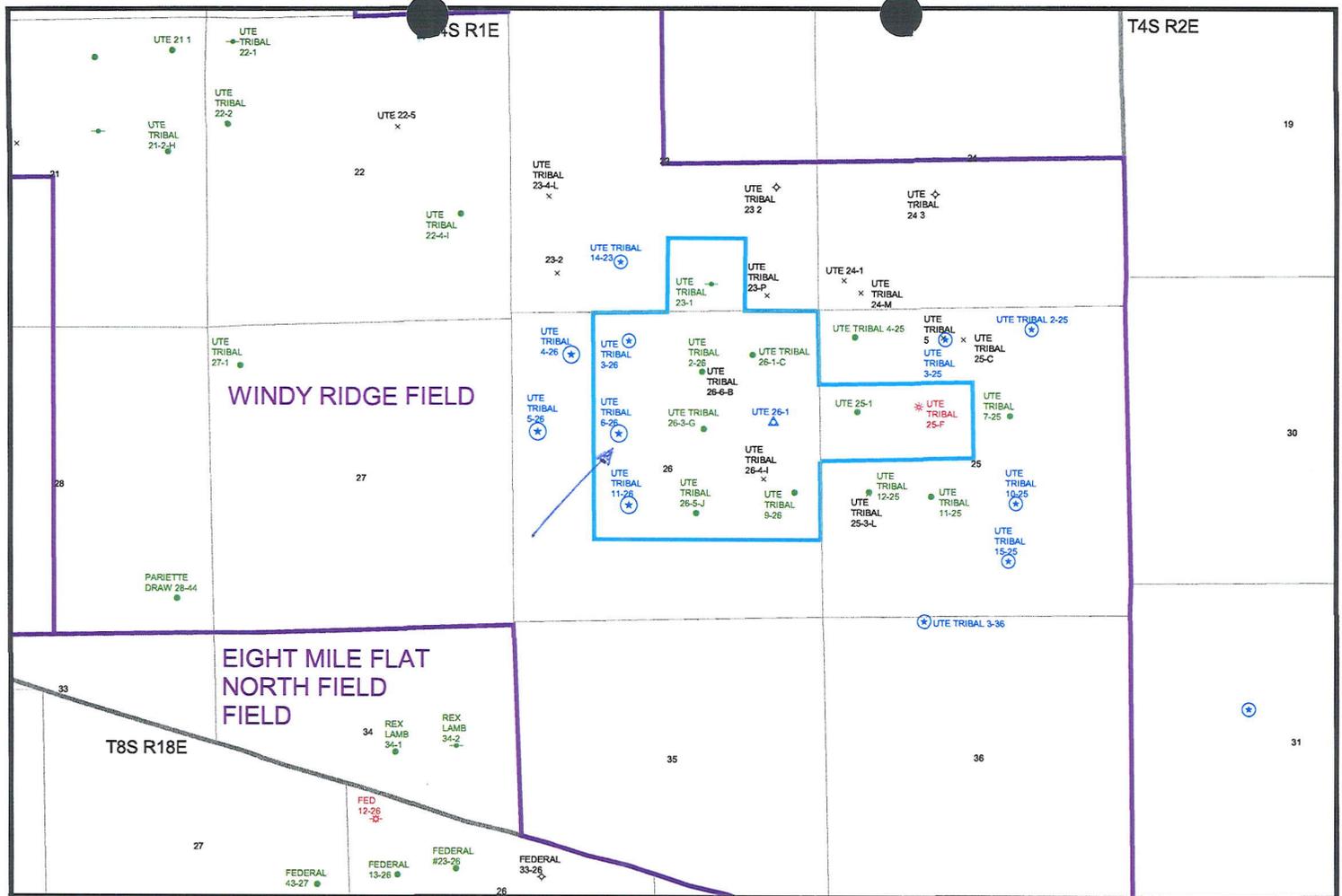
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(No. 103601473)
- Potash (Y/N)
- Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13
- Water Permit
(No. 43-8496)
- RDCC Review (Y/N)
(Date: _____)
- Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)

LOCATION AND SITING:

- R649-2-3.
- Unit _____
- R649-3-2. General
Siting: 460 From Qtr/Qtr & 920' Between Wells
- R649-3-3. Exception
- Drilling Unit
Board Cause No: _____
Eff Date: _____
Siting: _____
- R649-3-11. Directional Drill

COMMENTS: _____

STIPULATIONS: 1- Federal approval
2- Spacing Stip



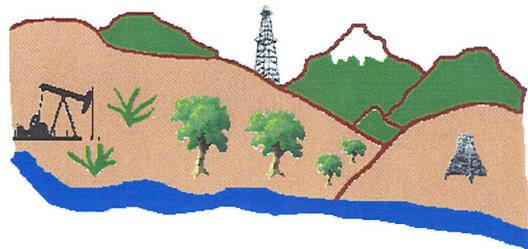
OPERATOR: EL PASO PRODUCTION (N1845)

SEC. 26 T4S R1E

FIELD: WINDY RIDGE (718)

COUNTY: Uintah

SPACING: R649-3-2 / GENERAL SITING



Utah Oil Gas and Mining

Well Status

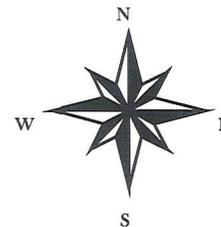
- GAS INJECTION
- GAS STORAGE
- LOCATION ABANDONED
- NEW LOCATION
- PLUGGED & ABANDONED
- PRODUCING GAS
- PRODUCING OIL
- SHUT-IN GAS
- SHUT-IN OIL
- TEMP. ABANDONED
- TEST WELL
- WATER INJECTION
- WATER SUPPLY
- WATER DISPOSAL

Unit Status

- EXPLORATORY
- GAS STORAGE
- NF PP OIL
- NF SECONDARY
- PENDING
- PI OIL
- PP GAS
- PP GEOTHERML
- PP OIL
- SECONDARY
- TERMINATED

Field Status

- ABANDONED
- ACTIVE
- COMBINED
- INACTIVE
- PROPOSED
- STORAGE
- TERMINATED
- Section Lines
- Township Lines
- County Boundaries



PREPARED BY: DIANA MASON
DATE: 30-SEPTEMBER-2002



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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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October 1, 2002

El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company
P O Box 1148
Vernal, UT 84078

Re: Ute Tribal 6-26 Well, 2050' FNL, 1870' FWL, SE NW, Sec. 26, T. 4 South, R. 1 East,
Uintah County, Utah

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions and requirements of Utah Code Ann. § 40-6-1 *et seq.*, Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 *et seq.*, and the attached Conditions of Approval, approval to drill the referenced well is granted.

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date. The API identification number assigned to this well is 43-047-34734.

Sincerely,

John R. Baza
Associate Director

pb

Enclosures

cc: Uintah County Assessor
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal District Office

Operator: El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company
Well Name & Number Ute Tribal 6-26
API Number: 43-047-34734
Lease: 14-20-H62-4905

Location: SE NW Sec. 26 T. 4 South R. 1 East

Conditions of Approval

1. General

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 *et seq.*, the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

2. Notification Requirements

Notify the Division within 24 hours of spudding the well.

- Contact Carol Daniels at (801) 538-5284.

Notify the Division prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well.

- Contact Dan Jarvis at (801) 538-5338

3. Reporting Requirements

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

4. State approval of this well does not supersede the required federal approval, which must be obtained prior to drilling.

5. This proposed well is located in an area for which drilling units (well spacing patterns) have not been established through an order of the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining (the "Board"). In order to avoid the possibility of waste or injury to correlative rights, the operator is requested, once the well has been drilled, completed, and has produced, to analyze geological and engineering data generated therefrom, as well as any similar data from surrounding areas if available. As soon as is practicable after completion of its analysis, and if the analysis suggests an area larger than the quarter-quarter section upon which the well is located is being drained, the operator is requested to seek an appropriate order from the Board establishing drilling and spacing units in conformance with such analysis by filing a Request for Agency Action with the Board.

memorandum

Branch of Real Estate Services
Uintah & Ouray Agency

Date: 5 December, 2002

Reply to
Attn of: Supervisory Petroleum Engineer

Subject: Modification of Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Regulations

To: Director, Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Division: John Baza

We have been advised of changes occurring with the operation of your database for Change of Operator. You will be modifying your records to reflect Change of Operator once you have received all necessary documentation from the companies involved, and perhaps in advance of our Notice of Concurrence/Approval of Change of Operator where Indian leases are involved.

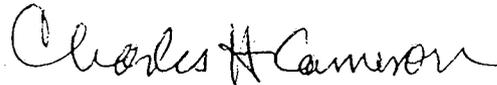
We have no objection.

With further comment to Rulemaking, I wish to comment concerning the provision of Exhibits for upcoming Hearings. I would like to see the Uintah & Ouray Agency, BIA, and the Ute Indian Tribe, Energy & Mineral Resources Department added to the list of those parties that receive advance Exhibits so as to allow us to have research time prior to Hearing dates. We will be able to provide a more informed recommendation to the Oil, Gas and Mining Board. It would be best if we would receive only those Exhibits that concern Indian lands, specifically on or adjacent to Indian lands. This may be a difficult situation to attain, as it is not always clear where 'on or adjacent' occurs.

I am aware that you have gone to extra effort to correct this matter already, and I fully appreciate it. My request is intended only to allow the addition of Uintah & Ouray Agency and Ute Indian Tribe to the official listing.

We appreciate your concern, and hope that these comments are timely enough for consideration in the revision process.

CC: Minerals & Mining Section of RES
Ute Energy & Mineral Resources Department: Executive Director
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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Utah State Office
P.O. Box 45155
Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0155

FEB 22 2002

DIVISION OF
OIL, GAS AND MINING

In Reply Refer To:
3106
UTU-25566 et al
(UT-924)

FEB 21 2002

NOTICE

Westport Oil and Gas Company L.P. : Oil and Gas
410 Seventeenth Street, #2300 :
Denver Colorado 80215-7093 :

Name Change Recognized

Acceptable evidence has been received in this office concerning the name change of Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc. into Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P. with Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P. being the surviving entity.

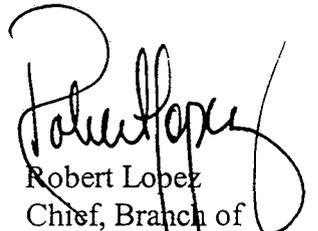
For our purposes, the name change is recognized effective December 31, 2001.

The oil and gas lease files identified have been noted as to the name change. The exhibit was compiled from a list of leases obtained from our computer program. We have not abstracted the lease files to determine if the entities affected by this name change hold an interest in the leases identified nor have we attempted to identify leases where the entities are the operator on the ground maintaining no vested recorded title or operating rights interests. We will be notifying the Minerals Management Service and all applicable Bureau of Land Management offices of the change by a copy of this notice. If additional documentation for changes of operator are required by our Field Offices, you will be contacted by them.

If you identify additional leases in which the entities maintain an interest, please contact this office and we will appropriately document those files with a copy of this Notice.

Due to the name change, the name of the principal/obligor on the bond is required to be changed from Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc. to Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.. You may accomplish this either by consent of surety rider on the original bond or a rider to the original bond. The bonds are held in Colorado.

UTU-03405
UTU-20895
UTU-25566
UTU-43156
UTU-49518
UTU-49519
UTU-49522
UTU-49523



Robert Lopez
Chief, Branch of
Minerals Adjudication

cc: Moab Field Office
Vernal Field Office
MMS, Reference Data Branch, MS3130, PO Box 5860, Denver CO 80217
State of Utah, DOGM, Attn: Jim Thompson (Ste. 1210), Box 145801, SLC UT 84114
Teresa Thompson (UT-922)
Joe Incardine (UT-921)



WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.

410 Seventeenth Street #2300 Denver Colorado 80202-4436
Telephone: 303 573 5404 Fax: 303 573 5609

February 1, 2002

Department of the Interior
Bureau of Land Management
2850 Youngfield Street
Lakewood, CO 80215-7093
Attention: Ms. Martha Maxwell

RE: BLM Bond CO-1203
BLM Nationwide Bond 158626364
Surety - Continental Casualty Company
Belco Energy Corporation merger into Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc.
Conversion of Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc., into Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.
Assumption Rider - Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.

Dear Ms. Maxwell:

Pursuant to our recent conversations, please find the following list of enclosures for the BLM's consideration and approval:

Two (2) Assumption Riders, fully executed originals.
Copies of Belco Energy Corporation merger into Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc.
Copies of Westport Oil and Gas Company, Inc., conversion into Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.
List of all Federal/BIA/State Leases - Belco/Westport's leases - in all states.

Please inform us of any additional information needed to complete the change to Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P., as operator of record.

I thank you for your assistance and cooperation in this matter. Please do not hesitate contacting the undersigned, should a question arise.

Sincerely,
Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.

Debby J. Black
Debby J. Black
Engineer Technician

Encl:



United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
Washington, D.C. 20240

FEB 10 2003

IN REPLY REFER TO:
Real Estate Services

Carroll A. Wilson
Principal Landman
Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.
1368 South 1200 East
Vernal, Utah 84078

Dear Mr. Wilson:

This is in response to your request for approval of RLI Insurance Company's Nationwide Oil and Gas Lease Bond No. RLB0005239 executed effective December 17, 2002, (\$150,000 coverage) with Westport Oil and Gas Company, L. P., as principal.

This bond is hereby approved as of the date of this correspondence and will be retained in the Bureau of Indian Affairs' Division of Real Estate Services, 1849 C Street, NW, MS-4512-MIB, Washington, D.C. 20240. All Bureau oil and gas regional offices and the surety are being informed of this action.

In cases where you have existing individual and/or collective bonds on file with one or more of our regional offices, you may now request those offices, directly, to terminate in lieu of coverage under this Nationwide Bond.

Enclosed is a copy of the approved bond for your files. If we may be of further assistance in this matter, please advise.

Sincerely,

Director, Office of Trust Responsibilities

ACTING

Enclosure

STATE OF UTAH
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

FORM 9

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS		5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NUMBER:
		6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME:
Do not use this form for proposals to drill new wells, significantly deepen existing wells below current bottom-hole depth, reenter plugged wells, or to drill horizontal laterals. Use APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL form for such proposals.		7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME:
1. TYPE OF WELL	OIL WELL <input type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____	8. WELL NAME and NUMBER: Exhibit "A"
2. NAME OF OPERATOR:	El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company	9. API NUMBER:
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR:	9 Greenway Plaza Houston TX 77064-0995	10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT:
	PHONE NUMBER: (832) 676-5933	

4. LOCATION OF WELL

FOOTAGES AT SURFACE: _____ COUNTY: _____

QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN: _____ STATE: **UTAH**

11. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

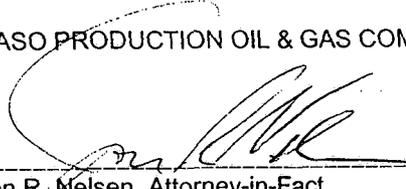
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<input type="checkbox"/> NOTICE OF INTENT (Submit in Duplicate) Approximate date work will start: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> ACIDIZE	<input type="checkbox"/> DEEPEN	<input type="checkbox"/> REPERFORATE CURRENT FORMATION
	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTER CASING	<input type="checkbox"/> FRACTURE TREAT	<input type="checkbox"/> SIDETRACK TO REPAIR WELL
	<input type="checkbox"/> CASING REPAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> NEW CONSTRUCTION	<input type="checkbox"/> TEMPORARILY ABANDON
	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE TO PREVIOUS PLANS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OPERATOR CHANGE	<input type="checkbox"/> TUBING REPAIR
<input type="checkbox"/> SUBSEQUENT REPORT (Submit Original Form Only) Date of work completion: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE TUBING	<input type="checkbox"/> PLUG AND ABANDON	<input type="checkbox"/> VENT OR FLARE
	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE WELL NAME	<input type="checkbox"/> PLUG BACK	<input type="checkbox"/> WATER DISPOSAL
	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE WELL STATUS	<input type="checkbox"/> PRODUCTION (START/RESUME)	<input type="checkbox"/> WATER SHUT-OFF
	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMINGLE PRODUCING FORMATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> RECLAMATION OF WELL SITE	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER: _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> CONVERT WELL TYPE	<input type="checkbox"/> RECOMPLETE - DIFFERENT FORMATION	

12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.

Operator change to Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P., 1670 Broadway, Suite 2800, Denver, CO. 80202-4800, effective December 17, 2002.

BOND # _____
State Surety Bond No. RLB0005236
Fee Bond No. RLB0005238

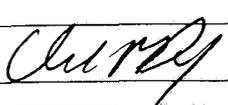
EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY

By: 
Jon R. Nelsen, Attorney-in-Fact

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.	TITLE Agent and Attorney-in-Fact
NAME (PLEASE PRINT) David R. Dix	
SIGNATURE 	DATE 12/17/02

(This space for State use only)

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

FORM APPROVED
OMB No. 1004-0135
Expires November 30, 2000

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Type of Well
 Oil Well Gas Well Other
 2. Name of Operator
 WESTPORT OIL & GAS COMPANY, L.P.

3a. Address
 P.O. BOX 1148 VERNAL, UT 84078

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
 (435) 781-7023

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A"

5. Lease Serial No.
 SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A"

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

8. Well Name and No.
 SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A"

9. API Well No.
 SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A"

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

11. County or Parish, State
 UINTAH COUNTY, UT

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION		
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal
			<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
			<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
			<u>SUCCESSOR OF</u>
			<u>OPERATOR</u>

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recomplete horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zone. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompletion in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed if testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator determined that the site is ready for final inspection.

WESTPORT OIL & GAS COMPANY, L.P., IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE OPERATOR ON THE ATTACHED DESCRIBED LANDS AND IS RESPONSIBLE UNDER THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LEASE FOR THE OPERATIONS CONDUCTED ON THE LEASED LANDS OR PORTIONS THEREOF, BOND COVERAGE FOR THIS WELL IS PROVIDED BY FEDERAL NATIONWIDE BOND NO. 158626364, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 2002, AND BIA NATIONWIDE BOND NO. RLB0005239, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 10, 2003.

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed)
 CHERYL CAMERON

Title
 OPERATIONS

Signature


Date
 March 4, 2003

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by

Title

Date

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Office

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on reverse)

OPERATOR CHANGE WORKSHEET

1. GLH
2. CDW <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. FILE

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X Change of Operator (Well Sold)

Designation of Agent/Operator

Operator Name Change

Merger

The operator of the well(s) listed below has changed, effective: **12-17-02**

FROM: (Old Operator):	TO: (New Operator):
EL PASO PRODUCTION OIL & GAS COMPANY	WESTPORT OIL & GAS COMPANY LP
Address: 9 GREENWAY PLAZA	Address: P O BOX 1148
HOUSTON, TX 77064-0995	VERNAL, UT 84078
Phone: 1-(832)-676-5933	Phone: 1-(435)-781-7023
Account No. N1845	Account No. N2115

CA No. Unit:

WELL(S)	SEC TWN RNG	API NO	ENTITY NO	LEASE TYPE	WELL TYPE	WELL STATUS
SW HANGING ROCK FED 23-1	23-12S-23E	43-047-34231	99999	FEDERAL	GW	APD
SW HANGING ROCK FED 24-1	24-12S-23E	43-047-34232	99999	FEDERAL	GW	APD
SW HANGING ROCK FED 25-1	25-12S-23E	43-047-34233	99999	FEDERAL	GW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 14-23	23-04S-01E	43-047-33834	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 3-25	25-04S-01E	43-047-33540	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 15-25	25-04S-01E	43-047-33834	99999	INDIAN	GW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 2-25	25-04S-01E	43-047-34431	99999	INDIAN	GW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 10-25	25-04S-01E	43-047-34435	99999	INDIAN	GW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 3-26	26-04S-01E	43-047-34724	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 11-26	26-04S-01E	43-047-34731	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 4-26	26-04S-01E	43-047-34732	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 5-26	26-04S-01E	43-047-34733	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 6-26	26-04S-01E	43-047-34734	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 12-26	26-04S-01E	43-047-34746	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
UTE TRIBAL 3-36	36-04S-01E	43-047-33867	99999	INDIAN	OW	APD
ANKERPONT 35-224	35-08S-21E	43-047-34736	99999	INDIAN	GW	NEW
ARCHEE 1-118	01-09S-20E	43-047-34825	99999	INDIAN	GW	NEW
BAYLESS ST 2-2	02-09S-20E	43-047-34904	99999	STATE	GW	APD
BAYLESS ST 2-3	02-09S-20E	43-047-34905	99999	STATE	GW	APD
NBU 393	22-09S-20E	43-047-34864	99999	FEDERAL	GW	APD
NBU 392	22-09S-20E	43-047-34877	99999	FEDERAL	GW	APD

OPERATOR CHANGES DOCUMENTATION

Enter date after each listed item is completed

- (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the **FORMER** operator on: 02/28/2003
- (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the **NEW** operator on: 03/04/2003
- The new company has been checked through the **Department of Commerce, Division of Corporations Database** on: 03/06/2003
- Is the new operator registered in the State of Utah: YES Business Number: 1355743-0181

5. If **NO**, the operator was contacted contacted on: _____

6. (R649-9-2)Waste Management Plan has been received on: IN PLACE

7. **Federal and Indian Lease Wells:** The BLM and or the BIA has approved the merger, name change, or operator change for all wells listed on Federal or Indian leases on: BLM-12/31/2003 BIA-12/5/02

8. **Federal and Indian Units:**
The BLM or BIA has approved the successor of unit operator for wells listed on: 02/27/2003

9. **Federal and Indian Communization Agreements ("CA"):**
The BLM or BIA has approved the operator for all wells listed within a CA on: 01/09/2003

10. **Underground Injection Control ("UIC")** The Division has approved UIC Form 5, **Transfer of Authority to Inject**, for the enhanced/secondary recovery unit/project for the water disposal well(s) listed on: N/A

DATA ENTRY:

- 1. Changes entered in the **Oil and Gas Database** on: 03/27/2003
- 2. Changes have been entered on the **Monthly Operator Change Spread Sheet** on: 03/27/2003
- 3. Bond information entered in RBDMS on: N/A
- 4. Fee wells attached to bond in RBDMS on: N/A

STATE WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

1. State well(s) covered by Bond Number: RLB 0005236

FEDERAL WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

1. Federal well(s) covered by Bond Number: 158626364

INDIAN WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

1. Indian well(s) covered by Bond Number: RLB 0005239

FEE WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

- 1. (R649-3-1) The **NEW** operator of any fee well(s) listed covered by Bond Number RLB 0005238
- 2. The **FORMER** operator has requested a release of liability from their bond on: N/A
The Division sent response by letter on: N/A

LEASE INTEREST OWNER NOTIFICATION:

3. (R649-2-10) The **FORMER** operator of the fee wells has been contacted and informed by a letter from the Division of their responsibility to notify all interest owners of this change on: N/A

COMMENTS:

6. (R649-9-2)Waste Management Plan has been received on:

IN PLACE

7. **Federal and Indian Lease Wells:** The BLM and or the BIA has approved the merger, name change, or operator change for all wells listed on Federal or Indian leases on:

BLM n/a

BIA ***

8. **Federal and Indian Units:**

The BLM or BIA has approved the successor of unit operator for wells listed on:

n/a

9. **Federal and Indian Communization Agreements ("CA"):**

The BLM or BIA has approved the operator for all wells listed within a CA on:

n/a

10. **Underground Injection Control ("UIC")** The Division has approved UIC Form 5, **Transfer of Authority to Inject**, for the enhanced/secondary recovery unit/project for the water disposal well(s) listed on:

N/A

DATA ENTRY:

1. Changes entered in the **Oil and Gas Database** on:

10/15/2003

2. Changes have been entered on the **Monthly Operator Change Spread Sheet** on:

10/15/2003

3. Bond information entered in RBDMS on:

N/A

4. Fee wells attached to bond in RBDMS on:

N/A

5. Injection Projects to new operator in RBDMS on:

n/a

STATE WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

1. State well(s) covered by Bond Number:

n/a

FEDERAL WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

1. Federal well(s) covered by Bond Number:

n/a

INDIAN WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

1. Indian well(s) covered by Bond Number:

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FEE WELL(S) BOND VERIFICATION:

1. (R649-3-1) The **NEW** operator of any fee well(s) listed covered by Bond Number

n/a

2. The **FORMER** operator has requested a release of liability from their bond on:

N/A

The Division sent response by letter on:

N/A

LEASE INTEREST OWNER NOTIFICATION:

3. (R649-2-10) The **FORMER** operator of the fee wells has been contacted and informed by a letter from the Division of their responsibility to notify all interest owners of this change on:

N/A

COMMENTS:

These wells were transferred to WestPort in error. This information was verified with both operators. ER

From: Earlene Russell
To: Diana Whitney
Date: 10/30/03 11:09AM
Subject: Re: El Paso and Westport

By looking at Sec Twsp Rng, there are 3 more I verified with Bill. and he will check on the extensions for these also.

Ute Tribal 14-23 43-047-33834
Ute Tribal 10-25 43-047-34435
Ute Tribal 12-26 43-047-34746

I just wanted to move them all at one time. ER

>>> Diana Whitney 10/30/03 10:44AM >>>
She already sent them in.

>>> Earlene Russell 10/30/03 10:41AM >>>
I spoke with Bill at El Paso today. All 5 APD's are theirs. He will have Margie send extension requests when she is back in the office on Monday 11/3/2003. ER

>>> Diana Whitney 10/20/03 07:59AM >>>
I spoke with Sheila Upchego with Westport.

>>> Earlene Russell 10/20/03 07:42AM >>>
Have you spoken with either operator? If so, Which one and I'll confirm with the other and check the list. Thanks for that blessing (actually, I should thank JLT). ER

>>> Diana Whitney 10/17/03 09:18AM >>>

Hi Earlene,

Here are 5 more apds that should be El Paso's but are under Westports name.

Ute Tribal 11-26 43-047-34731
Ute Tribal 5-26 43-047-34733
Ute Tribal 6-26 43-047-34734
Ute Tribal 2-25 43-047-34431
Ute Tribal 4-26 43-047-34732

Thank you,
Diana

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**Application for Permit to Drill
Request for Permit Extension
Validation**

(this form should accompany the Sundry Notice requesting permit extension)

API: 43-047-34734
Well Name: UTE TRIBAL 6-26
Location: 2050' FNL & 1870' FWL, SENW, SEC 26, T4S, R1E
Company Permit Issued to: EL PASO PRODUCTION O&G COMPANY
Date Original Permit Issued: 10/1/2002

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision.

Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated? Yes No

Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location? Yes No

Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well? Yes No

Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or right-of-way, which could affect the proposed location? Yes No

Has the approved source of water for drilling changed? Yes No

Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation? Yes No

Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes No

Margie Herrmann
Signature

11/3/2003
Date

Title: Regulatory

Representing: EL PASO PRODUCTION O&G COMPANY

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December 30, 2004

Margie Herrmann
El Paso Production Oil & Gas Company
P. O. Box 120
Altamont, Utah 84001

Re: APD Rescinded – Ute Tribal 6-26, Sec.26, T.4S, R.1E
Uintah County, Utah, API No. 43-047-34734

Dear Ms. Herrmann:

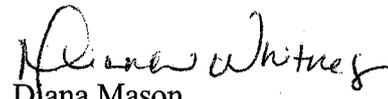
The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the subject well was approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) on October 1, 2002. On November 10, 2003, the Division granted a one-year APD extension. On December 28, 2004, you requested that the division rescind the state approved APD.

No drilling activity at this location has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill the well is hereby rescinded, effective December 28, 2004.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval prior to the commencement of any future work on the subject location.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,


Diana Mason
Engineering Technician

cc: Well File
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal