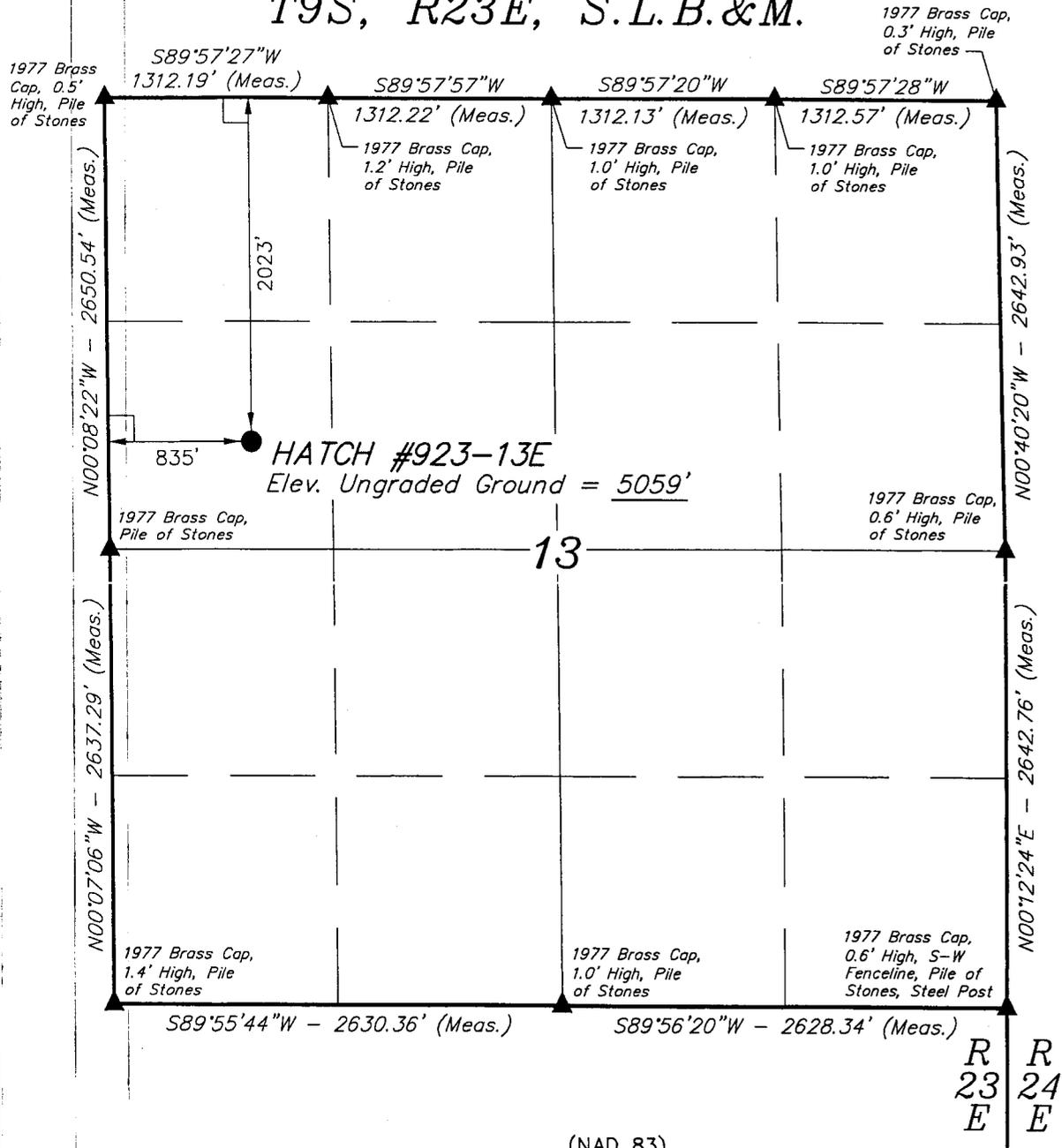


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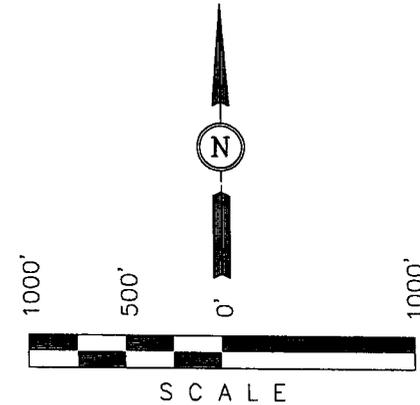
Well location, HATCH #923-13E, located as shown in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 13, T9S, R23E, S.L.B.&M. Uintah County, Utah.

BASIS OF ELEVATION

BENCH MARK 58 EAM (1965) LOCATED IN THE NE 1/4 OF SECTION 30, T9S, R23E, S.L.B.&M. TAKEN FROM THE RED WASH SE, QUADRANGLE, UTAH, UTAH COUNTY, 7.5 MINUTE QUAD. (TOPOGRAPHIC MAP) PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GEOLOGICAL SURVEY. SAID ELEVATION IS MARKED AS BEING 5132 FEET.

BASIS OF BEARINGS

BASIS OF BEARINGS IS A G.P.S. OBSERVATION.



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 H. Gray*  
 REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR  
 REGISTRATION NO. 151319  
 STATE OF UTAH

<b>UINTAH ENGINEERING &amp; LAND SURVEYING</b>		
85 SOUTH 200 EAST - VERNAL, UTAH 84078		
(435) 789-1017		
SCALE 1" = 1000'	DATE SURVEYED: 05-10-05	DATE DRAWN: 05-14-05
PARTY A.F. A.S. P.M.	REFERENCES G.L.O. PLAT	
WEATHER COOL	FILE WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.	

LEGEND:

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

(NAD 83)  
 LATITUDE = 40°02'15.63" (40.037675)  
 LONGITUDE = 109°16'54.37" (109.281769)  
 (NAD 27)  
 LATITUDE = 40°02'15.75" (40.037708)  
 LONGITUDE = 109°16'51.93" (109.281092)

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HATCH 923-13E  
SWNW SEC 13-T9S-R23E  
UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
UTU-1301

ONSHORE ORDER NO. 1

***DRILLING PROGRAM***

1. **Estimated Tops of Important Geologic Markers:**

<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>
Uinta	0- Surface
Green River	1750'
Wasatch	4435'
Mesaverde	6455'
TD	8365'

2. **Estimated Depths of Anticipated Water, Oil, Gas, or Mineral Formations:**

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Formation</u>	<u>Depth</u>
	Green River	1750'
Gas	Wasatch	4435'
Gas	Mesaverde	6455'
Water	N/A	
Other Minerals	N/A	

3. **Pressure Control Equipment** (Schematic Attached)

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

4. **Proposed Casing & Cementing Program:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

5. **Drilling Fluids Program:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

6. **Evaluation Program:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

7. **Abnormal Conditions:**

Maximum anticipated bottomhole pressure calculated at 8365' TD, approximately equals 3346 psi (calculated at 0.4 psi/foot).

Maximum-anticipated surface pressure equals approximately 1505.7 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. **Variances:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*

10. **Other Information:**

*Please refer to the attached Drilling Program.*



  
**Westport Oil and Gas Company, L.P.**  
**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 to 2000	32.30	H-40	STC	0.79	1.46	4.49
PRODUCTION	4-1/2"	0 to 8365	11.60	I-80	LTC	2.72	1.35	201000

- 1) Max Anticipated Surf. Press. (MASP) (Surface Casing) = (Pore Pressure at next csg point - (0.22 psi/ft - partial evac gradient x TVD of next csg point))  
 2) MASP (Prod Casing) = Pore Pressure at TD - (.22 psi/ft - partial evac gradient x TD)  
 (Burst Assumptions: TD = 10.8 ppg) .22 psi/ft = gradient for partially evac wellbore  
 (Collapse Assumption: Fully Evacuated Casing, Max MW) (Tension Assumptions: Air Weight of Casing \* Buoy. Fact. of water)  
 MASP 2857 psi

\*\*\*\*\* Burst SF is low but csg is much stronger than formation at 2000'. EMW @ 2000' for 2270# is 21.8 ppg or 1.13 psi/ft

**CEMENT PROGRAM**

		FT. OF FILL	DESCRIPTION	SACKS	EXCESS	WEIGHT	YIELD
SURFACE	LEAD	500	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl + .25 pps flocele	215	60%	15.60	1.18
<b>Option 1</b>	TOP OUT CMT (1)	200	20 gals sodic m silicate + Premium cmt + 2% CaCl + .25 pps flocele	50		15.60	1.18
	TOP OUT CMT (2)	as required	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl	as req.		15.60	1.18
SURFACE		<b>NOTE: If well will circulate water to surface, option 2 will be utilized</b>					
<b>Option 2</b>	LEAD	1500	Prem cmt + 16% Gel + 10 pps gilsonite + .25 pps Flocele + 3% salt BWOC	170	35%	11.00	3.82
	TAIL	500	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl + .25 pps flocele	180	35%	15.60	1.18
	TOP OUT CMT	as required	Premium cmt + 2% CaCl	as req.		15.60	1.18
PRODUCTION	LEAD	3,935'	Premium Lite II + 3% KCl + 0.25 pps celloflake + 5 pps gilsonite + 10% gel + 0.5% extender	430	60%	11.00	3.38
	TAIL	4,430'	50/50 Poz'G + 10% salt + 2% gel + .1% R-3	1240	60%	14.30	1.31

- \*Substitute caliper hole volume plus 0% excess for LEAD if accurate caliper is obtained  
 \*Substitute caliper hole volume plus 15% excess for TAIL if accurate caliper is obtained

**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.

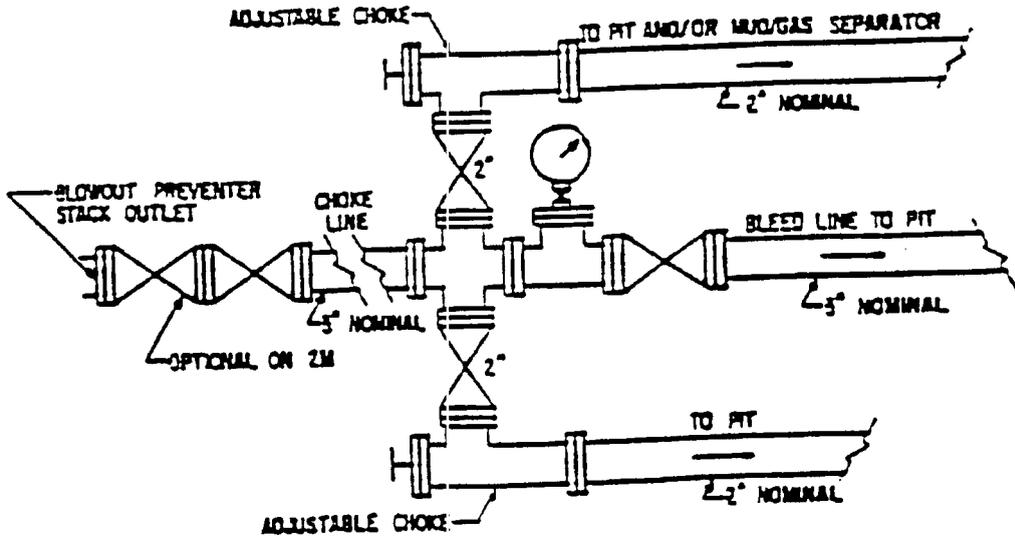
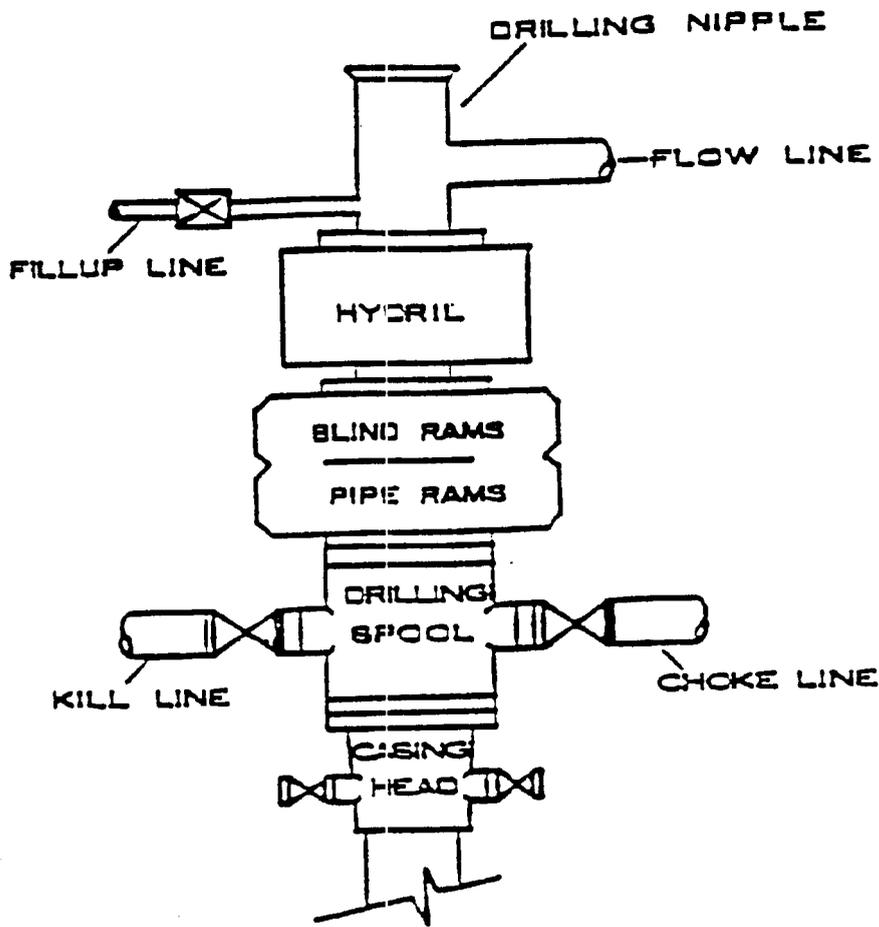
**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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.  
 Drop Totco surveys every 2000'. Maximum allowable hole angle is 5 degrees.

DRILLING ENGINEER: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Brad Laney  
 DRILLING SUPERINTENDENT: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Randy Bayne HATCH923-13E\_I80\_APD.xls

3,000 PSI

# EOP STACK



HATCH 923-13E  
SWNW SEC 13-T9S-R23E  
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 210' +/- . 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 Carlsbad Canyon (2.5 Y 6/2) 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 placement of 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.

Where available a 2" or 3" poly pipe will be installed with the existing rights-of-way to supply water during drilling and completion operations. There will be no new disturbance needed and the poly line will be removed after completion operations. The fresh water will be supplied from the power plant located within the following Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 35, & 36, T8S, R23E.

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 is to be used as discussed during on-site inspection. It will be a minimum of 16 mil thick and felt, 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.

Houston Exploration Company's pipeline will be marked during construction of this location.

#### **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 recontoured 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 recontouring, 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.

**11. Surface Ownership:**

United States of America  
Bureau of Land Management  
170 South 500 East  
Vernal, UT 84078  
(435) 789-1362

**12. Other Information:**

A Class III archaeological survey and a paleontological survey have been completed and the reports will be submitted separately.

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, well sites, or other applicable facilities.

This location is not within 460' from the boundary of the Natural Buttes Unit, nor is it within 460' of any non-committed tract lying within the boundaries of the Unit.

**Seed Mixture:**

Shadscale                    5lb/acre  
Crested Wheatgrass       6lb/acre  
Black Sagebrush           1 lb/acre

**13. Lessee's or Operators's Representative & Certification:**

Debra Domenici  
Associate Environmental Analyst  
Westport O&G Co.  
1368 South 1200 East  
Vernal, UT 84078  
(435) 781-7060

Randy Bayne  
Drilling Manager  
Westport O&G Co.  
1368 South 1200 East  
Vernal, UT 84078  
(435)781-7018

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.

Westport Oil & Gas Company is considered to be the operator of the subject well. Westport 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 BLM Nationwide Bond #CO-1203.

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.

  
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Debra Domenici

July 19, 2005  
Date

WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.  
HATCH #923-13E  
SECTION 13, T9S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.

PROCEED IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION FROM VERNAL, UTAH ALONG U.S. HIGHWAY 40 APPROXIMATELY 14.0 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF STATE HIGHWAY 88; EXIT LEFT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 17.0 MILES TO OURAY, UTAH; PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.3 MILES ON THE SEEP RIDGE ROAD TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE EAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN AN EASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 12.3 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTH; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 1.7 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE EAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN AN EASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 1.9 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHEAST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.5 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHEAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 4.5 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTHEAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN A NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 3.1 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTHEAST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.6 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE EAST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A EASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.8 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTH; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A EASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.15 MILES TO THE BEGINNING OF THE PROPOSED ACCESS TO THE SOUTHEAST; FOLLOW ROAD FLAGS IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 210' TO THE PROPOSED LOCATION.

TOTAL DISTANCE FROM VERNAL, UTAH TO THE PROPOSED WELL LOCATION IS APPROXIMATELY 56.9 MILES.

# WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.

HATCH #923-13E  
 LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
 SECTION 13, T9S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.



PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE

CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHERLY

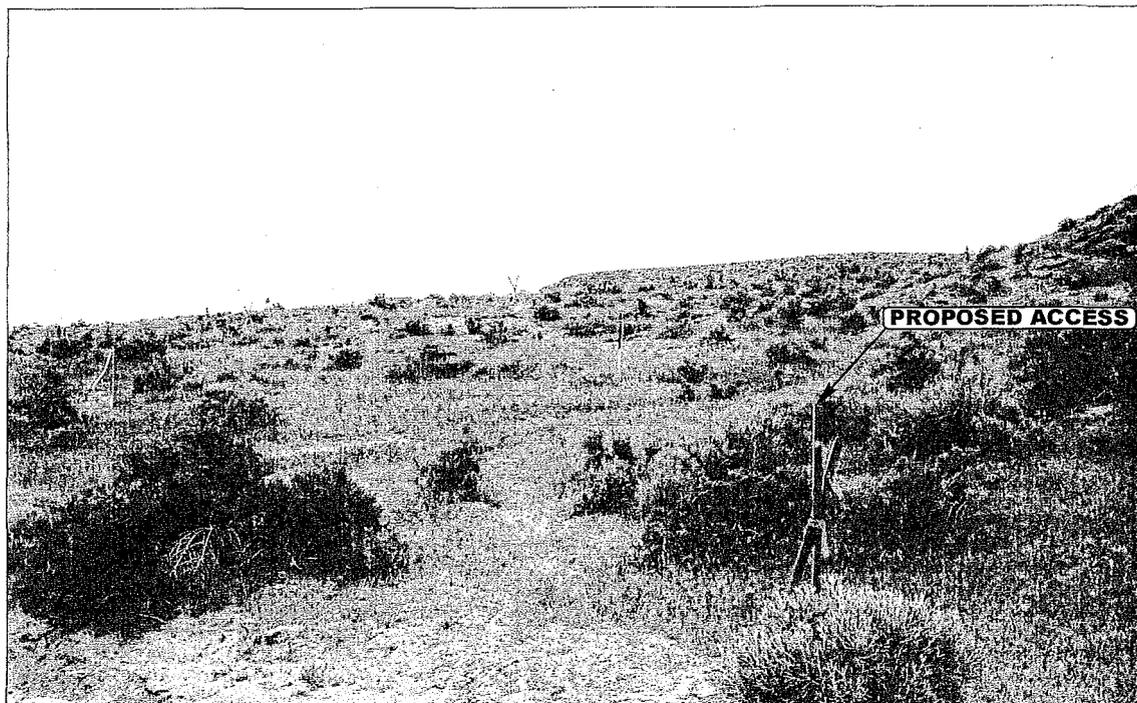


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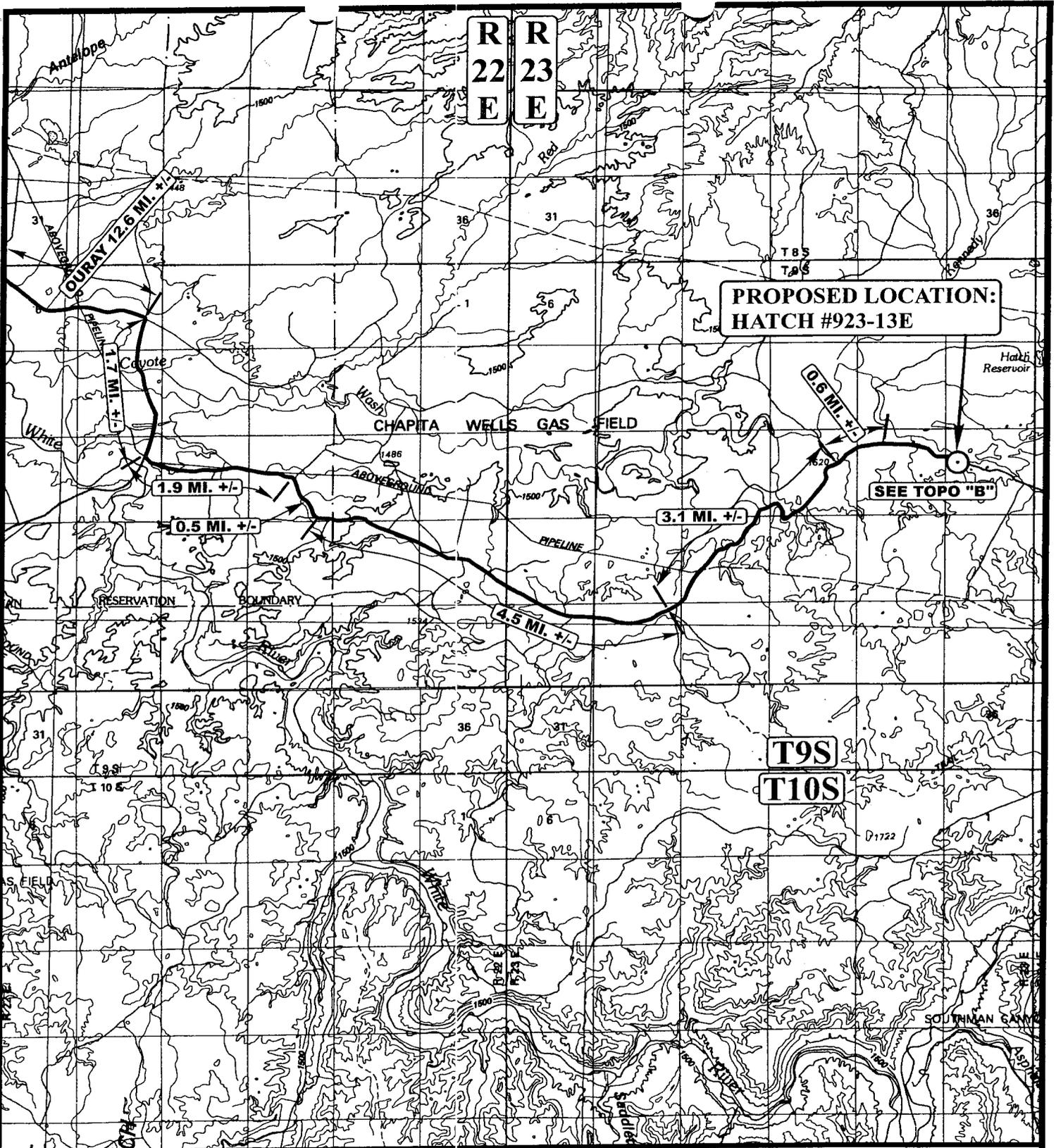
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LOCATION PHOTOS			05	18	05	PHOTO
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**LEGEND:**

○ PROPOSED LOCATION

**WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.**

HATCH #923-13E  
 SECTION 13, T9S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.  
 2023' FNL 835' FWL



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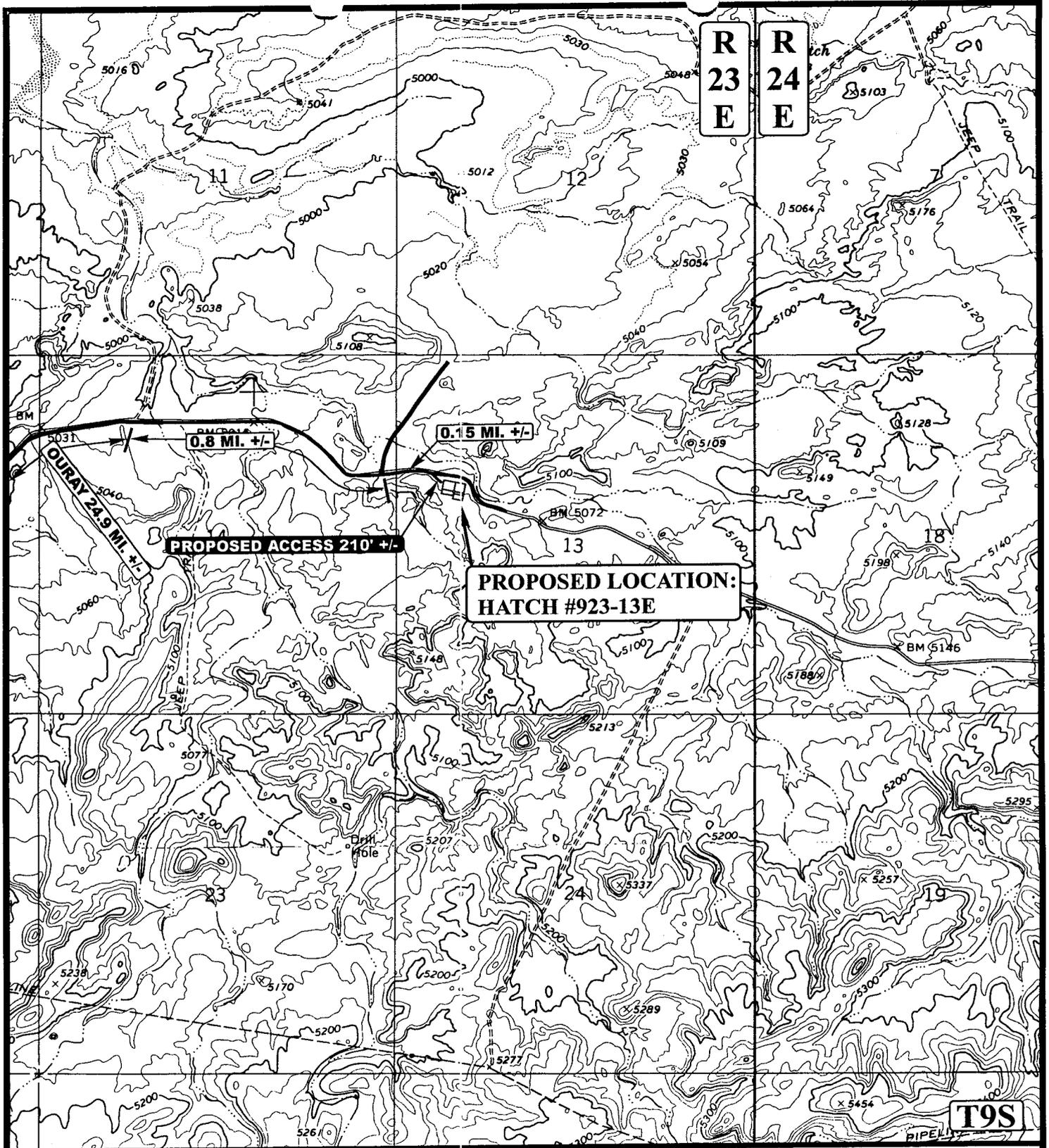
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**LEGEND:**

- PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
- EXISTING ROAD

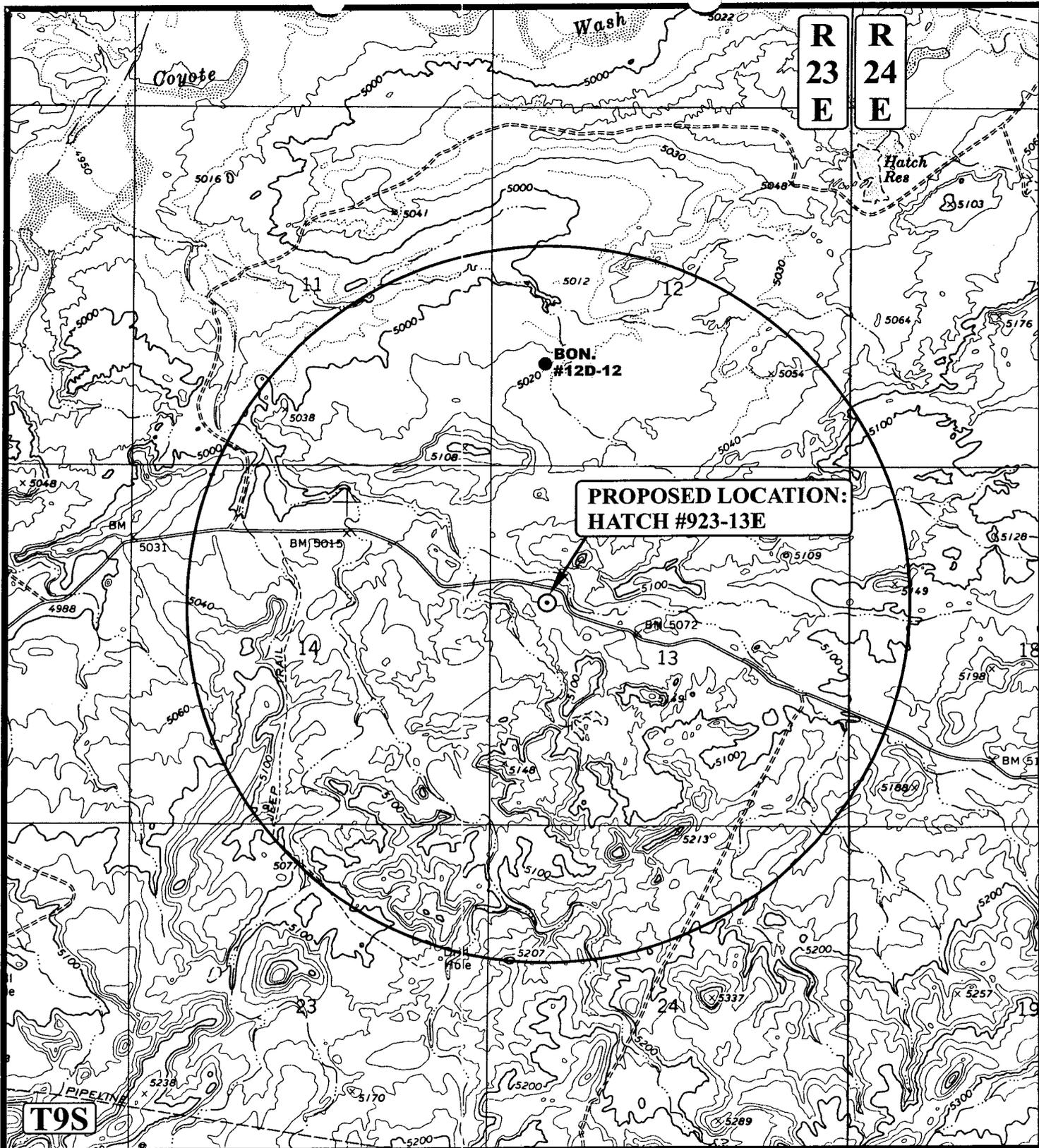
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**LEGEND:**

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

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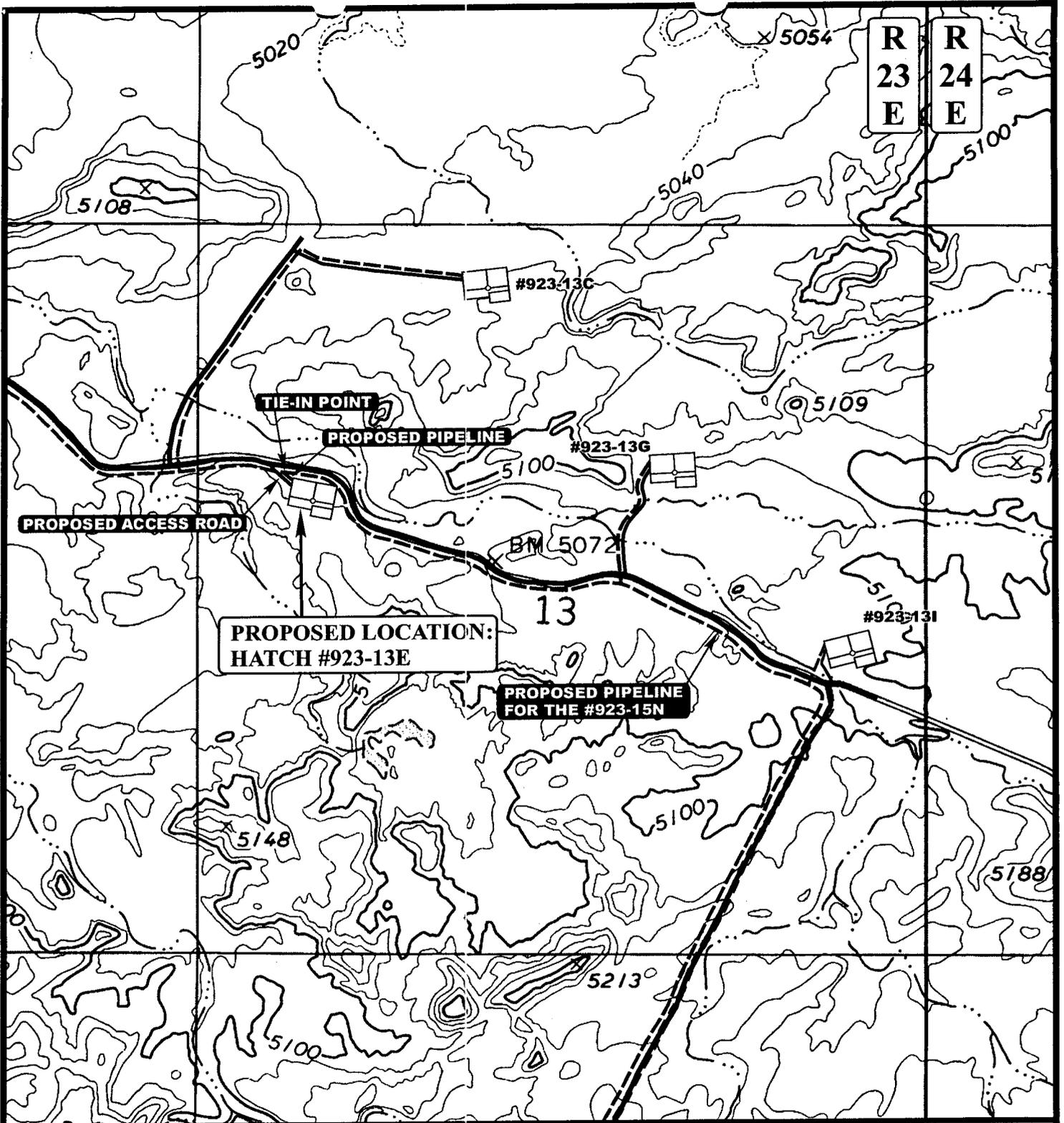


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APPROXIMATE TOTAL PIPELINE DISTANCE = 188' +/-

**LEGEND:**

-  PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
-  EXISTING PIPELINE
-  PROPOSED PIPELINE
-  PROPOSED PIPELINE (SERVICING OTHER WELLS)



**WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.**

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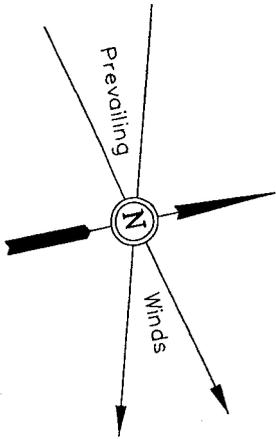
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WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.

FIGURE #1

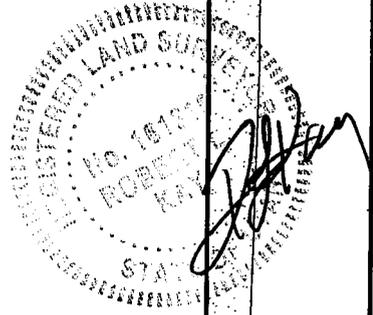
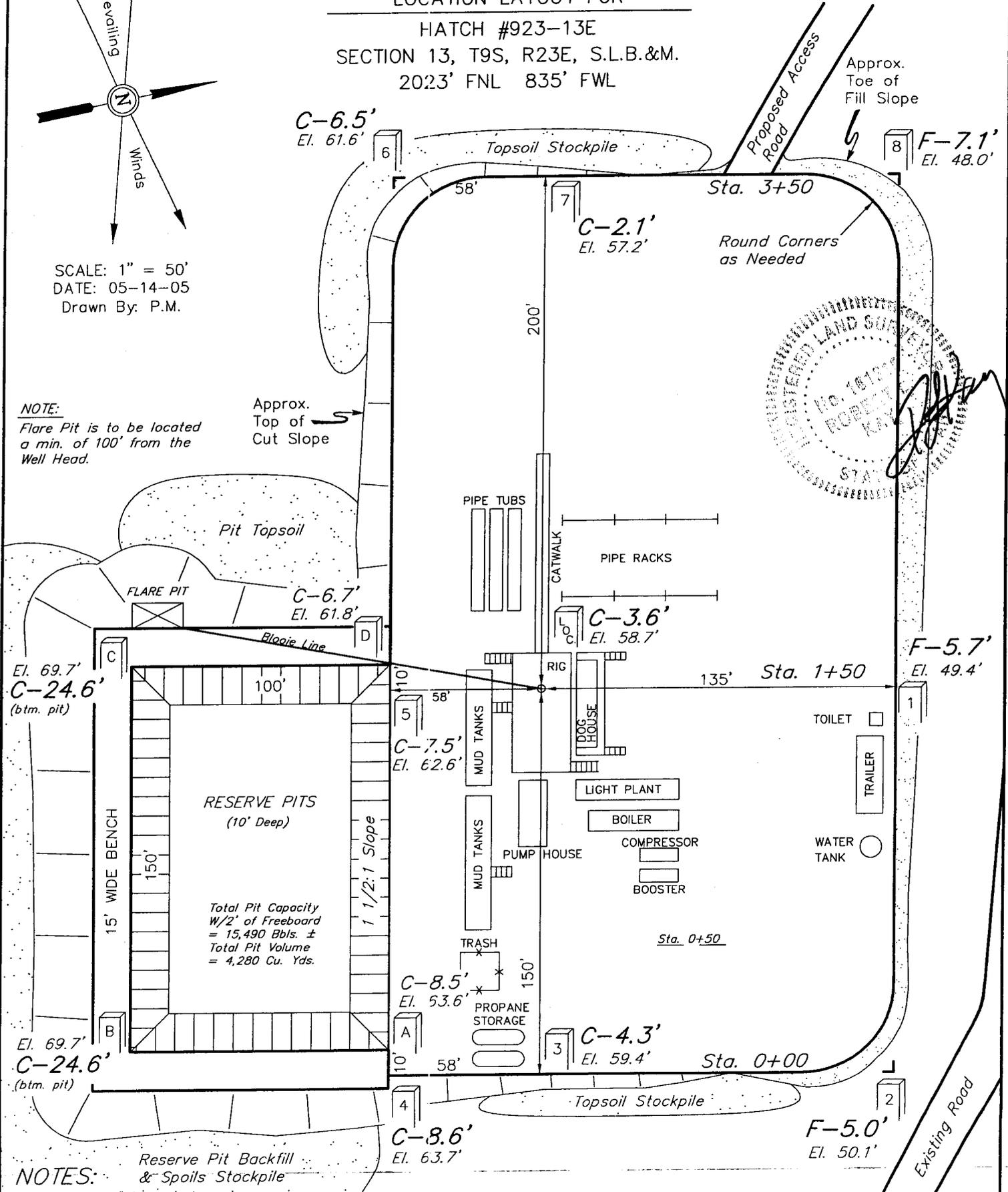
LOCATION LAYOUT FOR

HATCH #923-13E  
SECTION 13, T9S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.  
2023' FNL 835' FWL



SCALE: 1" = 50'  
DATE: 05-14-05  
Drawn By: P.M.

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



NOTES:  
Reserve Pit Backfill  
& Spoils Stockpile  
Elev. Ungraded Ground At Loc. Stake = 5058.7'  
FINISHED GRADE ELEV. AT LOC. STAKE = 5055.1'

WESTPORT OIL AND GAS COMPANY, L.P.

FIGURE #2

TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS FOR

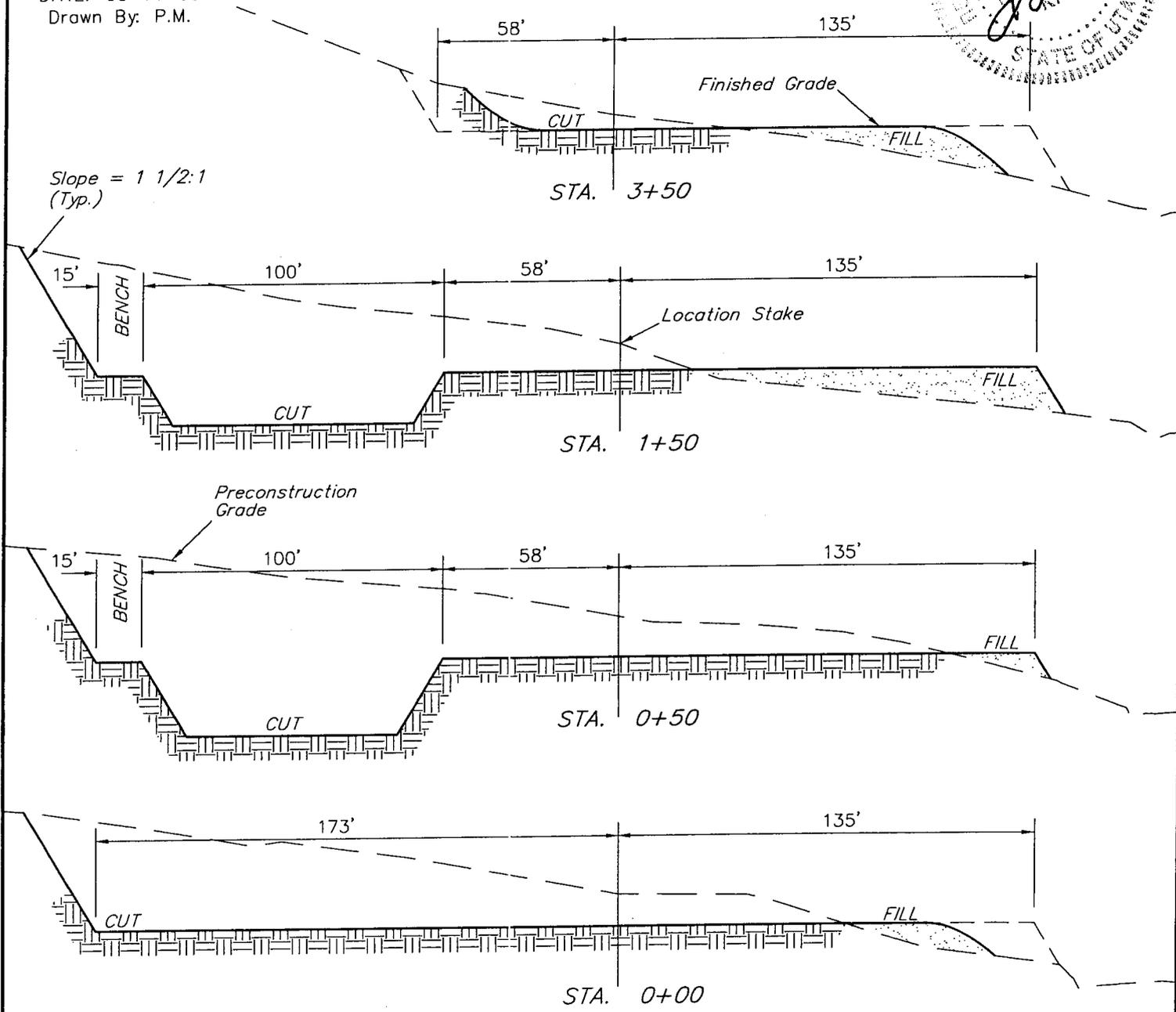
HATCH #923-13E

SECTION 13, T9S, R23E, S.L.B.&M.

2023' FNL 835' FWL

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

DATE: 05-14-05  
Drawn By: P.M.



\* NOTE:  
FILL QUANTITY INCLUDES  
5% FOR COMPACTION

APPROXIMATE YARDAGES

CUT	
(6") Topsoil Stripping	= 2,010 Cu. Yds.
Remaining Location	= 19,960 Cu. Yds.
<b>TOTAL CUT</b>	<b>= 21,970 CU.YDS.</b>
<b>FILL</b>	<b>= 4,780 CU.YDS.</b>

EXCESS MATERIAL	= 17,190 Cu. Yds.
Topsoil & Pit Backfill (1/2 Pit Vol.)	= 4,150 Cu. Yds.
<b>EXCESS UNBALANCE</b> (After Rehabilitation)	<b>= 13,040 Cu. Yds.</b>

**WORKSHEET  
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL**

APD RECEIVED: 07/22/2005

API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-36861

WELL NAME: HATCH 923-13E  
 OPERATOR: WESTPORT OIL & GAS CO ( N2115 )  
 CONTACT: DEBRA DOMENICI

PHONE NUMBER: 435-781-7060

PROPOSED LOCATION:  
 SWNW 13 090S 230E  
 SURFACE: 2023 FNL 0835 FWL  
 BOTTOM: 2023 FNL 0835 FWL  
 UINTAH  
 NATURAL BUTTES ( 630 )

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

LEASE TYPE: 1 - Federal  
 LEASE NUMBER: UTU-1301  
 SURFACE OWNER: 1 - Federal  
 PROPOSED FORMATION: WSMVD  
 COALBED METHANE WELL? NO

LATITUDE: 40.03770  
 LONGITUDE: -109.2811

RECEIVED AND/OR REVIEWED:

Plat

Bond: Fed[1] Ind[] Sta[] Fee[]  
 (No. CO-1203 )

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)

Intent to Commingle (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 Strip





**State of Utah**

**Department of  
Natural Resources**

MICHAEL R. STYLER  
*Executive Director*

**Division of  
Oil, Gas & Mining**

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*Division Director*

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*Governor*

GARY R. HERBERT  
*Lieutenant Governor*

July 26, 2005

Westport Oil & Gas Company, LP  
1368 S 1200 E  
Vernal, UT 84078

Re: Hatch 923-13E Well, 2023' FNL, 835' FWL, SW NW, Sec. 13,  
T. 9 South, R. 23 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 43-047-36861.

Sincerely,

Gil Hunt  
Acting Associate Director

pab  
Enclosures

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

**Operator:** Westport Oil & Gas Company, LP  
**Well Name & Number** Hatch 923-13E  
**API Number:** 43-047-36861  
**Lease:** UTU-1301

**Location:** SW NW                      **Sec.** 13                      **T.** 9 South                      **R.** 23 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.

JUL 20 2005

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0136  
Expires November 30, 2000

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

5. Lease Serial No.  
UTU-01301

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Lease Name and Well No.  
HATCH 923-13E

9. API Well No.  
K304736861

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory

1a. Type of Work:  DRILL  REENTER

b. Type of Well:  Oil Well  Gas Well  Other  Single Zone  Multiple Zone

2. Name of Operator  
WESTPORT OIL & GAS COMPANY, L.P.

3A. Address  
1368 SOUTH 1200 EAST, VERNAL, UTAH 84078

3b. Phone No. (include area code)  
(435) 781-7060

4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. \*)  
At surface SWNW 2023' FNL 835' FWL

11. Sec., T., R., M., or Blk. and Survey or Area

SEC 13-T9S-R23E

At proposed prod. Zone  
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office\*  
25.85 MILES SOUTHEAST OF OURAY, UTAH

12. County or Parish  
Uintah

13. State  
UT

15. Distance from proposed\* location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any)  
835'

16. No. of Acres in lease  
2520

17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well  
40

18. Distance from proposed location\* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft.  
REFER TO TOPO C

19. Proposed Depth  
8365'

20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file  
CO-1203

21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)  
5058.7' GL

22. Approximate date work will start\*  
UPON APPROVAL

23. Estimated duration  
TO BE DETERMINED

24. Attachments

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

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

25. Signature *Debra Domenici*  
Name (Printed/Typed) DEBRA DOMENICI  
Date 7/19/2005

Approved by (Signature) *Thomas B. Cleaves*  
Name (Printed/Typed) THOMAS B. CLEAVES  
Date 01/27/2006  
Title Assistant Field Manager  
Office Mineral Resources

Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which are necessary for the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ATTACHED

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.

\*(Instructions on reverse)

Accepted by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining  
FOR RECORD ONLY

NOTICE OF APPROVAL RECEIVED

FEB 01 2006

DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
VERNAL FIELD OFFICE

170 South 500 East VERNAL, UT 84078 (435) 781-4400



**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL FOR APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL**

Company: Westport Oil & Gas Co. Location: SWNW, Sec 13, T9S, R23E  
Well No: Hatch 923-13E Lease No: UTU-01301  
API No: 43-047-36861 Agreement:

Petroleum Engineer:	Matt Baker	Office: 435-781-4490	Cell: 435-828-4470
Petroleum Engineer:	Michael Lee	Office: 435-781-4432	Cell: 435-828-7875
Supervisory Petroleum Technician:	Jamie Sparger	Office: 435-781-4502	Cell: 435-828-3913
Environmental Scientist:	Paul Buhler	Office: 435-781-4475	Cell: 435-828-4029
Environmental Scientist:	Karl Wright	Office: 435-781-4484	
Natural Resource Specialist:	Holly Villa	Office: 435-781-4404	
Natural Resource Specialist:	Melissa Hawk	Office: 435-781-4476	
After Hours Contact Number:	435-781-4513	Fax: 435-781-4410	

**A COPY OF THESE CONDITIONS SHALL BE FURNISHED TO YOUR  
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE TO INSURE COMPLIANCE**

All lease and/or unit operations are to be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with the applicable laws, regulations (43 CFR Part 3160), and this approved Application for Permit to Drill including Surface and Downhole Conditions of Approval. The operator is considered fully responsible for the actions of his subcontractors. A copy of the approved APD must be on location during construction, drilling, and completion operations. **This permit is approved for a one-year period. An additional year extension may be applied for by sundry notice prior to expiration.**

**NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Location Construction (Notify Holly Villa) - Forty-Eight (48) hours prior to construction of location and access roads.
- Location Completion (Notify Holly Villa) - Prior to moving on the drilling rig.
- Spud Notice (Notify Petroleum Engineer) - Twenty-Four (24) hours prior to spudding the well.
- Casing String & Cementing (Notify Jamie Sparger) - Twenty-Four (24) hours prior to running casing and cementing all casing strings.
- BOP & Related Equipment Tests (Notify Jamie Sparger) - Twenty-Four (24) hours prior to initiating pressure tests.
- First Production Notice (Notify Petroleum Engineer) - Within Five (5) business days after new well begins or production resumes after well has been off production for more than ninety (90) days.

***SURFACE USE PROGRAM  
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (COAs)***

- If paleontologic materials are uncovered during construction, the operator shall immediately stop work that might further disturb such materials and contact the Authorized Officer (AO). A determination will be made by the AC as to what mitigation will be necessary for the discovered paleontologic material.
- The following interim seed mixture shall be used:

<b>Type</b>		<b>lbs./acre</b>
Needle and Threadgrass	<i>Stipa commata</i>	6
Crested Wheatgrass	<i>Agropyron cristatum</i>	6
** Seed shall be drilled; but if broadcasted double the pounds per acre used and work the solids mechanically to cover the seed.		

- All pounds are in pure live seed.
  - Reseeding may be required if first seeding is not successful.
- The topsoil from the reserve pit shall be stripped and piled separately near the reserve pit. When the reserve pit is closed, it shall be recontoured and the topsoil respread, and the area shall be seeded in the same manner as the location topsoil.
- Following well plugging and abandonment, the location, access roads, pipelines, and other facilities shall be reclaimed. All disturbed surfaces shall be reshaped to approximate the original contour; the top soil respread over the surface; and, the surface revegetated. The surface of approved staging areas where construction activities did not occur may require disking or ripping and reseeding.
- Within 90 calendar days of the approval date for this Application for Permit to Drill (APD), the operator/lessee shall submit to the Authorized Officer (AO), on Sundry Notice Form 3160-5, an Interim Surface Reclamation Plan for surface disturbance on well pads, access roads, and pipelines. At a minimum, this will include the reshaping of the pad to the original contour to the extent possible; the respreading of the top soil up to the rig anchor points; and, the area reseeded using appropriate reclamation methods. The AO will provide written approval or concurrence within 30 calendar days of receipt.

## **DOWNHOLE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

All provisions outlined in Onshore Oil & Gas Order #2 Drilling Operations shall be strictly adhered to. The following items are emphasized:

### **SITE SPECIFIC DOWNHOLE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

1. None.

### **DRILLING/COMPLETION/PRODUCING OPERATING STANDARDS**

1. There shall be no deviation from the proposed drilling, completion, and/or workover program as approved. Safe drilling and operating practices must be observed. All wells, whether drilling, producing, suspended, or abandoned, shall be identified in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.6. There shall be a sign or marker with the name of the operator, lease serial number, well number, and surveyed description of the well. Any changes in operation must have prior approval from the BLM, Vernal Field Office Petroleum Engineers.
2. The spud date and time shall be reported orally to Vernal Field Office within 24 hours of spudding.
3. **Notify Vernal Field Office Supervisory Petroleum Engineering Technician at least 24 hours in advance of casing cementing operations and BOPE & casing pressure tests.**
4. Blowout prevention equipment (BOPE) will remain in use until the well is completed or abandoned. Closing unit controls must remain unobstructed and readily accessible at all times. Choke manifolds must be located outside of the rig substructure.

All BOPE components will be inspected daily and those inspections shall be recorded in the daily drilling report. Components shall be operated and tested as required by Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 2 to insure good mechanical working order. All BOPE pressure tests must be performed by a test pump with a chart recorder and **NOT** by the rig pumps. Test must be reported in the driller's log.

BOP drills must be initially conducted by each drilling crew within 24 hours of drilling out from under the surface casing and weekly thereafter as specified in Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 2.

Casing pressure tests are required before drilling out from under all casing strings set and cemented in place.

No aggressive/fresh hard-banded drill pipe shall be used within casing.

5. All shows of fresh water and minerals will be reported and protected. A sample will be taken of any water flows and a water analysis furnished the BLM, Vernal Field Office. All oil and gas shows will be adequately tested for commercial possibilities, reported, and protected.
6. No location will be constructed or moved, no well will be plugged, and no drilling or workover equipment will be removed from a well to be placed in a suspended status without prior approval of the BLM, Vernal Field Office. If operations are to be suspended for more than 30 days, prior

approval of the BLM, Vernal Field Office must be obtained and notification given before resumption of operations.

7. Chronologic drilling progress reports must be filed directly with the BLM, Vernal Field Office on a weekly basis in sundry, letter format or e-mail to the Petroleum Engineers until the well is completed.

Any change in the program must be approved by the BLM, Vernal Field Office. "Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells" (Form BLM 3160-5) must be filed for all changes of plans and other operations in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.3-2.

Emergency approval may be obtained orally, but such approval does not waive the written report requirement. Any additional construction, reconstruction, or alterations of facilities, including roads, gathering lines, batteries, etc., which will result in the disturbance of new ground, will require the filing of a suitable plan pursuant to Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 1 of 43 CFR 3164.1 and prior approval by the BLM, Vernal Field Office.

In accordance with 43 CFR 3162.4-3, this well must be reported on the "Monthly Report of Operations" (Oil and Gas Operations Report ((OGOR)) starting with the month in which operations commence and continue each month until the well is physically plugged and abandoned. This report shall be filed in duplicate, directly with the Minerals Management Service, P.O. Box 17110, Denver, Colorado 80217-0110, or call 1-800-525-7922 (303) 231-3650 for reporting information.

8. Whether the well is completed as a dry hole or as a producer, "Well Completion and Recompletion Report and Log" (BLM Form 3160-4) will be submitted not later than 30 days after completion of the well or after completion of operations being performed, in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.4-1. Two copies of all logs run, core descriptions, and all other surveys or data obtained and compiled during the drilling, workover, and/or completion operations, will be filed on BLM Form 3160-4. Submit with the well completion report a geologic report including, at a minimum, formation tops, and a summary and conclusions. Also include deviation surveys, sample descriptions, strip logs, core data, drill stem test data, and results of production tests if performed. Samples (cuttings, fluid, and/or gas) will be submitted only when requested by the BLM, Vernal Field Office.

**Please submit an electronic copy of all logs run on this well in LAS format to UT\_VN\_Welllogs@BLM.gov. This submission will supersede the requirement for submittal of paper logs to the BLM. The cement bond log must be submitted in raster format (TIF, PDF other).**

9. All off-lease storage, off-lease measurement, or commingling on-lease or off-lease will have prior written approval from the BLM, Vernal Field Office.

All measurement points shall be identified as point of sales or allocation for royalty determination prior to the installation of facilities.

10. Oil and gas meters will be calibrated in place prior to any deliveries. The Field Office Petroleum Engineers will be provided with a date and time for the initial meter calibration and all future

meter proving schedules. A copy of the meter calibration reports will be submitted to the BLM, Vernal Field Office. All measurement facilities will conform to the API standards for liquid hydrocarbons and the AGA standards for natural gas measurement.

11. A schematic facilities diagram as required by Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 3 shall be submitted to the BLM, Vernal Field Office within 30 days of installation or first production, whichever occurs first. All site security regulations as specified in Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 3 shall be adhered to. All product lines entering and leaving hydrocarbon storage tanks will be effectively sealed in accordance with Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 3.
12. This APD is approved subject to the requirement that, should the well be successfully completed for production, the BLM, Vernal Field office must be notified when it is placed in a producing status. Such notification will be by written communication and must be received in this office by not later than the fifth business day following the date on which the well is placed on production. The notification shall provide, as a minimum, the following informational items:
  - a. Operator name, address, and telephone number.
  - b. Well name and number.
  - c. Well location ( $\frac{1}{4}$ / $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec., Twn, Rng, and P.M.).
  - d. Date well was placed in a producing status (date of first production for which royalty will be paid).
  - e. The nature of the well's production, (i.e., crude oil, or crude oil and casing head gas, or natural gas and entrained liquid hydrocarbons).
  - f. The Federal or Indian lease prefix and number on which the well is located; otherwise the non-Federal or non-Indian land category, i.e., State or private.
  - g. Unit agreement and / or participating area name and number, if applicable.
  - h. Communitization agreement number, if applicable.
13. Any venting or flaring of gas will be done in accordance with Notice to Lessees (NTL) 4A and needs prior approval from Field Office Petroleum Engineers.
14. All undesirable events (fires, accidents, blowouts, spills, discharges) as specified in NTL 3A will be reported to the BLM, Vernal Field Office. Major events as defined in NTL3A, will be reported verbally within 24 hours, followed by a written report within 15 days. "Other than Major Events" will be reported in writing within 15 days. "Minor Events" will be reported on the Monthly Report of Operations and Production
15. Pursuant to Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 7, this is authorization for pit disposal of water produced from this well for a period of 90 days from the date of initial production. A permanent disposal method must be approved by this office and in operation prior to the end of this 90-day

period. In order to meet this deadline, an application for the proposed permanent disposal method shall be submitted along with any necessary water analyses, as soon as possible, but no later than 45 days after the date of first production. Any method of disposal which has not been approved prior to the end of the authorized 90-day period will be considered as an Incident of Noncompliance and will be grounds for issuing a shut-in order until an acceptable manner for disposing of said water is provided and approved by this office.

16. Unless the plugging is to take place immediately upon receipt of oral approval, the Field Office Petroleum Engineers must be notified at least 24 hours in advance of the plugging of the well, in order that a representative may witness plugging operations. If a well is suspended or abandoned, all pits must be fenced immediately until they are backfilled. The "Subsequent Report of Abandonment" (Form BLM 3160-5) must be submitted within 30 days after the actual plugging of the well bore, showing location of plugs, amount of cement in each, and amount of casing left in hole, and the current status of the surface restoration.

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
**OPERATOR CHANGE WORKSHEET**

**ROUTING**

1. DJJ
2. CDW

**X Change of Operator (Well Sold)**

Operator Name Change/Merger

The operator of the well(s) listed below has changed, effective:

**1/6/2006**

**FROM:** (Old Operator):  
 N2115-Westport Oil & Gas Co., LP  
 1368 South 1200 East  
 Vernal, UT 84078  
 Phone: 1-(435) 781-7024

**TO:** ( New Operator):  
 N2995-Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore, LP  
 1368 South 1200 East  
 Vernal, UT 84078  
 Phone: 1-(435) 781-7024

**CA No.**

**Unit:**

WELL NAME	SEC	TWN	RNG	API NO	ENTITY NO	LEASE TYPE	WELL TYPE	WELL STATUS
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**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: 5/10/2006
- (R649-8-10) Sundry or legal documentation was received from the **NEW** operator on: 5/10/2006
- The new company was checked on the **Department of Commerce, Division of Corporations Database** on: 3/7/2006
- 4a. Is the new operator registered in the State of Utah: YES Business Number: 1355743-0181
- 4b. If **NO**, the operator was contacted on: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5a. (R649-9-2)Waste Management Plan has been received on: IN PLACE
- 5b. Inspections of LA PA state/fee well sites complete on: n/a
- 5c. Reports current for Production/Disposition & Sundries on: ok
- 6. 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 3/27/2006 BIA not yet
- 7. Federal and Indian Units:**  
 The BLM or BIA has approved the successor of unit operator for wells listed on: 3/27/2006
- 8. Federal and Indian Communization Agreements ("CA"):**  
 The BLM or BIA has approved the operator for all wells listed within a CA on: n/a
- 9. 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: \_\_\_\_\_

**DATA ENTRY:**

- Changes entered in the **Oil and Gas Database** on: 5/15/2006
- Changes have been entered on the **Monthly Operator Change Spread Sheet** on: 5/15/2006
- Bond information entered in RBDMS on: 5/15/2006
- Fee/State wells attached to bond in RBDMS on: 5/16/2006
- Injection Projects to new operator in RBDMS on: \_\_\_\_\_
- Receipt of Acceptance of Drilling Procedures for APD/New on: n/a Name Change Only

**BOND VERIFICATION:**

- Federal well(s) covered by Bond Number: CO1203
- Indian well(s) covered by Bond Number: RLB0005239
- (R649-3-1) The **NEW** operator of any fee well(s) listed covered by Bond Number RLB0005236
- a. The **FORMER** operator has requested a release of liability from their bond on: n/a rider added KMG  
 The Division sent response by letter on: \_\_\_\_\_

**LEASE INTEREST OWNER NOTIFICATION:**

- (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: 5/16/2006

**COMMENTS:**

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  
**KERR-McGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP**

3a. Address  
**1368 SOUTH 1200 EAST VERNAL, UT 84078**

3b. Phone No. (include area code)  
**(435) 781-7024**

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

5. Lease Serial No.  
**MULTIPLE LEASES**

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.  
**MUTIPLE WELLS**

9. API Well No.

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

11. County or Parish, State  
**UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH**

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"/> Water Shut-Off	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity	
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PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT KERR-McGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP, IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE OPERATOR OF THE ATTACHED WELL LOCATIONS. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 6, 2006.  
 KERR-McGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP, IS RESPONSIBLE UNDER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LEASE(S) FOR THE OPERATIONS CONDUCTED UPON LEASE LANDS. BOND COVERAGE IS PROVIDED BY STATE OF UTAH NATIONWIDE BOND NO. RLB0005237.

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

BLM BOND = C01203  
 BIA BOND = RLB0005239

APPROVED 5116106

*Earlene Russell*  
 Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
 Earlene Russell, Engineering Technician

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

Name (Printed/Typed) <b>RANDY BAYNE</b>	Title <b>DRILLING MANAGER</b>
Signature <i>Randy Bayne</i>	Date <b>May 9, 2006</b>

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Approved by	Title	Date
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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

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**MUTIPLE WELLS**

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**WESTPORT OIL & GAS COMPANY L.P.**

3a. Address  
**1368 SOUTH 1200 EAST VERNAL, UT 84078**

3b. Phone No. (include area code)  
**(435) 781-7024**

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

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EFFECTIVE JANUARY 6, 2006, WESTPORT OIL & GAS COMPANY L.P., HAS RELINQUISHED THE OPERATORSHIP OF THE ATTACHED WELL LOCATIONS TO KERR-McGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP.

**APPROVED** 5/16/06  
*Earlene Russell*  
 Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
 Earlene Russell, Engineering Technician

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~~DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING~~

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Name (Printed/Typed) <b>BRAD LANEY</b>	Title <b>ENGINEERING SPECIALIST</b>
Signature	Date <b>May 9, 2006</b>

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Approved by <i>Brad Laney</i>	Title	Date <b>5-9-06</b>
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## United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
Colorado State Office  
2850 Youngfield Street  
Lakewood, Colorado 80215-7076

IN REPLY REFER TO:

CO922 (MM)  
3106  
COC017387 et. al.

March 23, 2006

### NOTICE

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore L.P. :  
1999 Broadway, Suite 3700 : Oil & Gas  
Denver, CO 80202 :

#### Merger/Name Change - Recognized

On February 28, 2006 this office received acceptable evidence of the following mergers and name conversion:

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore L.P., a Delaware Limited Partnership, and Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LLC, a Delaware Limited Partnership merger with and into Westport Oil and Gas Company L.P., a Delaware Limited Partnership, and subsequent Westport Oil & Gas Company L.P. name conversion to Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore L.P.

For our purposes the merger and name conversion was effective January 4, 2006, the date the Secretary of State of Delaware authenticated the mergers and name conversion.

Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore L.P. provided a list of oil and gas leases held by the merging parties with the request that the Bureau of Land Management change all their lease records from the named entities to the new entity, Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore L.P. In response to this request each state is asked to retrieve their own list of leases in the names of these entities from the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) automated LR2000 data base.

The oil and gas lease files identified on the list provided by Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore L.P. have been updated as to the merger and name conversion. We have not abstracted the lease files to determine if the entities affected by the acceptance of these documents holds an interest in the lease, nor have we attempt to identify leases where the entity is the operator on the ground that maintains vested record title or operating rights interests. If additional documentation, for change of operator, is required you will be contacted directly by the appropriate Field Office. The Mineral Management Services (MMS) and other applicable BLM offices were notified of the merger with a copy of this notice

Please contact this office if you identify additional leases where the merging party maintains an interest, under our jurisdiction, and we will document the case files with a copy of this notice. If the leases are under the jurisdiction of another State Office that information will be forwarded to them for their action.

Three riders accompanied the merger/name conversion documents which will add Kerr-McGee Oil and Gas Onshore LLC as a principal to the 3 Kerr-McGee bonds maintained by the Wyoming State Office. These riders will be forward to them for their acceptance.

The Nationwide Oil & Gas Continental Casualty Company Bond #158626364 (BLM Bond #CO1203), maintained by the Colorado State Office, will remain in full force and effect until an assumption rider is accepted by the Wyoming State Office that conditions their Nationwide Safeco bond to accept all outstanding liability on the oil and gas leases attached to the Colorado bond.

If you have questions about this action you may call me at 303.239.3768.

/s/Martha L. Maxwell  
Martha L. Maxwell  
Land Law Examiner  
Fluid Minerals Adjudication

Attachment:

List of OG Leases to each of the following offices:

MMS MRM, MS 357B-1

WY, UT, NM/OK/TX, MT/ND, WY State Offices

CO Field Offices

Wyoming State Office

Rider #1 to Bond WY2357

Rider #2 to Bond WY1865

Rider #3 to Bond WY1127



# United States Department of the Interior



BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
Utah State Office  
P.O. Box 45155  
Salt Lake City, UT 84145-0155  
<http://www.blm.gov>

IN REPLY REFER TO:  
3106  
(UT-922)

March 27, 2006

## Memorandum

To: Vernal Field Office

From: Chief, Branch of Fluid Minerals

Subject: Merger Approval

Attached is an approved copy of the merger recognized by the Bureau of Land Management, Colorado State Office. We have updated our records to reflect the merger from Westport Oil and Gas Company L.P. into Kerr-McGee Onshore Oil and Gas Company. The merger was approved effective January 4, 2006.

Chief, Branch of  
Fluid Minerals

## Enclosure

Approval letter from BLM COSO (2 pp)

cc: MMS, Reference Data Branch, James Sykes, PO Box 25165, Denver CO 80225  
State of Utah, DOGM, Attn: Earlene Russell, PO Box 145801, SLC UT 84114  
Teresa Thompson  
Joe Incardine  
Connie Seare  
Dave Mascarenas  
Susan Bauman

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINERALS

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
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**UINTAH, UTAH**

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**COPY SENT TO OPERATOR**  
Date: 8-15-06  
Initials: [Signature]

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

Name (Printed/Typed) **Ramey Hoopes** Title **Regulatory Clerk**

Signature *Ramey Hoopes* Date **June 15, 2006**

**THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE**

Approved by *[Signature]* **BRADLEY G. HILL** Date **06-29-06**  
Office **ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGER**

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(Instructions on reverse)

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**JUN 20 2006**  
**DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING**

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Request for Permit Extension  
Validation**

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**Well Name:** HATCH 923-13E  
**Location:** SWNW, SEC 13-T9S-23E  
**Company Permit Issued to:** KERR-MCGEE OIL AND GAS ONSHORE LP  
**Date Original Permit Issued:** 7/26/2005

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.

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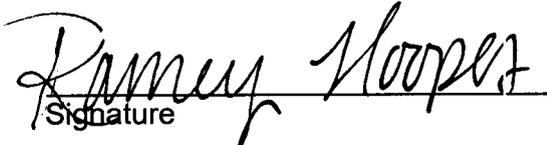
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Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well? Yes  No

  
Signature

6/15/2006

Date

Title: REGULATORY CLERK

Representing: KERR-MCGEE OIL AND GAS ONSHORE L

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**BLM VERNAL, UTAH**

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DEPT. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

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

Name (Printed/Typed) **RAMEY HOOPES** Title **REGULATORY CLERK**

Signature *Ramey Hoopes* Date **December 4, 2006**

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by *James F. Ashley* Title **Petroleum Engineer** Date **JAN 17 2007**

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Ramey Hoopes  
Signature

12/4/2006  
Date

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Representing: Kerr McGee Oil and Gas Onshore LP

# CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

## Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas

### Notice of Intent APD Extension

**Lease:** UTU-01301  
**Well:** Hatch 923-13E  
**Location:** SWNW Sec 13-T9S-R23E

An extension for the referenced APD is granted with the following conditions:

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1. The extension and APD shall expire on 1/27/08.
2. No other extension shall be granted.

If you have any other questions concerning this matter, please contact Jim Ashley of this office at (435) 781-4470.

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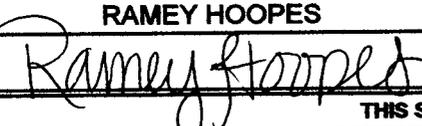
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APPROVED BY THE  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining

33107  
RM

Date: 05-30-07  
By: 

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

Name (Printed/Typed) <b>RAMEY HOOPES</b>	Title <b>REGULATORY CLERK</b>
Signature 	Date <b>May 22, 2007</b>

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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

Ramey Hoopes  
Signature

5/22/2007  
Date

Title: REGULATORY CLERK

Representing: Kerr McGee Oil and Gas Onshore LP



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# State of Utah

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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### Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA  
Division Director

May 12, 2008

Kevin McIntyre  
Kerr-McGee O&G Onshore LP  
1099 18<sup>TH</sup> Street # 600  
Denver, CO 80202

Re: APD Rescinded – Hatch 923-23E Sec. 13, T. 9S, R.23E  
Uintah, Utah API No. 43-047-36861

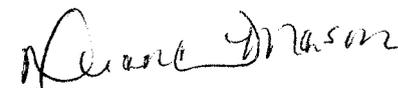
Dear Mr. McIntyre:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the subject well was approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (the Division) on July 26, 2005. On June 29, 2006 and on May 30, 2008, the Division granted a one-year APD extension. On May 12, 2008, 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 this well is hereby rescinded, effective May 12, 2008.

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

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

Sincerely,

  
Diana Mason  
Environmental Scientist

cc: Well File  
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal



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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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UT08300

December 8, 2008

Sheila Upchego  
Kerr McGee Oil and Gas Onshore LP  
1368 South 1200 East  
Vernal, UT 84078

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Re: Notice of Expiration  
Well No. Hatch 923-13E  
SWNW, Sec. 13, T9S, R23E  
Uintah County, Utah  
Lease No. UTU-01301

Dear Ms. Upchego:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) the above-referenced well was approved on January 27, 2006. A one (1) year extension of the original APD was requested. The request was reviewed and the extension approved until January 27, 2008. According to our records, no known activity has transpired at the approved location. In view of the foregoing, this office is notifying you that the approval of the referenced application has expired. If you intend to drill at this location in the future, a new Application for Permit to Drill must be submitted.

On December 2, 2008, this office received your email message confirming no surface disturbance on this drill site location.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (435) 781-4455.

Sincerely,

*Cindy Severson*

Cindy Severson  
Land Law Examiner

cc: UDOGM