

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER**

5. Lease Serial No. <b>UTU-013766</b>	
6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name N/A	
7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No. River Bend Unit	
8. Lease Name and Well No. RBU 19-23E	
9. API Well No. <b>43047-40593</b>	
1a. Type of work: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRILL <input type="checkbox"/> REENTER	10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Natural Buttes
1b. Type of Well: <input type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Single Zone <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multiple Zone	11. Sec., T. R. M. or Blk. and Survey or Area Section 23, T10S, R19E, SLB&M
2. Name of Operator XTO Energy, Inc.	12. County or Parish Uintah
3a. Address 390 CR 3100 Aztec, New Mexico 87410	13. State UT
3b. Phone No. (include area code) (505) 333-3100	14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* 11.37 miles southwest of Ouray, Utah
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements.)* At surface 1,687' FNL & 639' FWL, SW/4 NW/4, At proposed prod. zone 1,300' FNL & 1,400' FWL, NE/4 NW/4,	15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. unit line, if any) 639'
16. No. of acres in lease 2,240	17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 40 acres
18. Distance from proposed location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. 20'	19. Proposed Depth 8,785' MD / 8,678' TVD
20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file UTB-000138	21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 5,267'
22. Approximate date work will start* 07/15/2009	23. Estimated duration 14 days

24. Attachments

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No.1, must 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 must 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 BLM.

25. Signature <i>Don Hamilton</i>	Name (Printed/Typed) Don Hamilton	Date 03/09/2009
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Title  
Agent for XTO Energy, Inc.

Approved by (Signature) <i>[Signature]</i>	Name (Printed/Typed) BRADLEY G. HILL	Date 03-23-09
Title	Office ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGER	

Application approval 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.  
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.

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\*(Instructions on page 2)

Surf  
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4421134Y  
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-109.755775

BHL  
606542X  
4421254Y  
39.936594  
-109.753054

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING  
**Federal Approval of this Action is Necessary**

# T10S, R19E, S.L.B.&M.

XTO ENERGY, INC.

1956 Brass Cap  
0.8' High, Pile of  
Stones

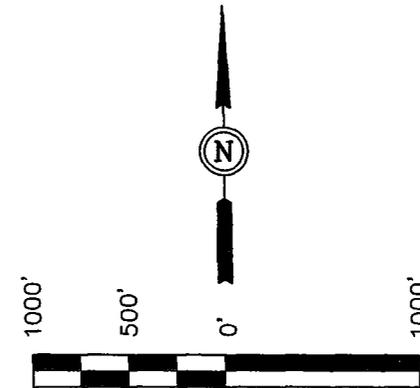
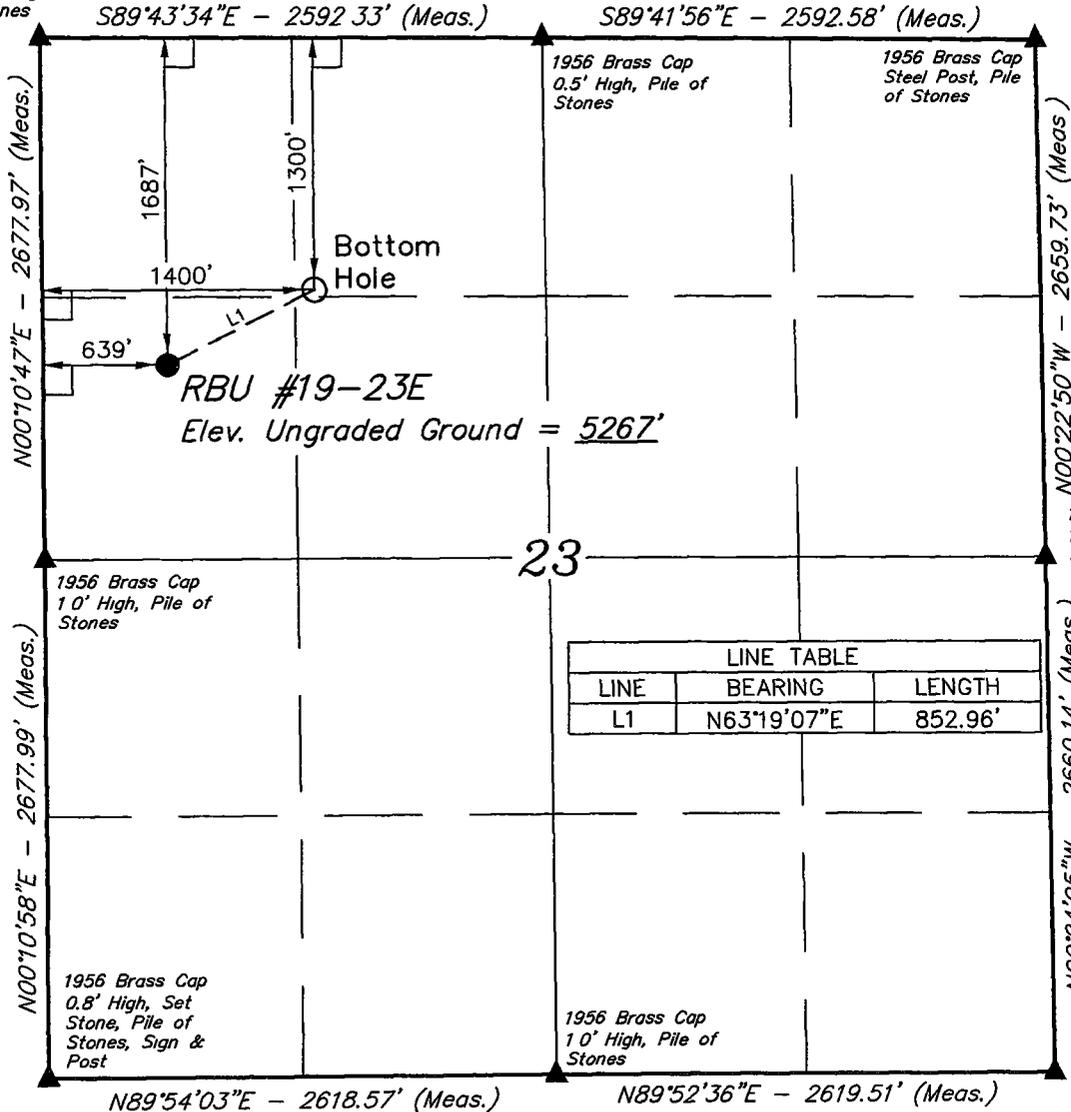
Well location, RBU #19-23E, located as shown in  
the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 23, T10S, R19E,  
S.L.B.&M., Uintah County, Utah.

## BASIS OF ELEVATION

SPOT ELEVATION AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION  
20, T10S, R20E, S.L.B.&M, TAKEN FROM THE BIG PACK  
MTN. NW 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 5251 FEET.

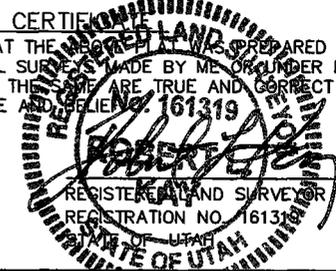
## BASIS OF BEARINGS

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



SCALE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE RECORD PREPARED FROM  
FIELD NOTES OF ACTUAL SURVEY MADE BY ME OR UNDER MY  
SUPERVISION AND THAT THE SAME ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE  
BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF. 161319



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

### LEGEND:

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

NAD 83 (TARGET BOTTOM HOLE)	NAD 83 (SURFACE LOCATION)	SCALE	DATE SURVEYED:	DATE DRAWN
LATITUDE = 39°56'11.73" (39.936592)	LATITUDE = 39°56'07.94" (39.935539)	1" = 1000'	08-08-08	08-15-08
LONGITUDE = 109°45'13.90" (109.753861)	LONGITUDE = 109°45'23.68" (109.756578)	PARTY	REFERENCES	
NAD 27 (TARGET BOTTOM HOLE)	NAD 27 (SURFACE LOCATION)	B.B K.A. DP	G.L.O. PLAT	
LATITUDE = 39°56'11.86" (39.936628)	LATITUDE = 39°56'08.07" (39.935575)	WEATHER	FILE	
LONGITUDE = 109°45'11.39" (109.753164)	LONGITUDE = 109°45'21.18" (109.755883)	WARM	XTO ENERGY, INC.	

March 9, 2009

Fluid Minerals Group  
Bureau of Land Management  
Vernal Field Office  
170 South 500 East  
Vernal, Utah 84078

RE: Application for Permit to Drill—XTO Energy, Inc  
**RBU 19-23E**

*Surface Location: 1,687' FNL & 639' FWL, SW/4 NW/4,  
Target Location: 1,300' FNL & 1,400' FWL, NE/4 NW/4,  
Section 23, T10S, R19E, SLB&M, Uintah County, Utah*

Dear Fluid Minerals Group:

On behalf of XTO Energy, Inc. Buys & Associates, Inc. respectfully submits the enclosed original and three copies of the Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the above referenced BLM surface and mineral directional well. A letter from XTO Energy, Inc. immediately follows this letter to charge the APD processing fee under the Fiscal Year 2008 Consolidated Appropriations Act. The location of the surface and target location as well as all points along the intended well bore path are within Cause No. 259-01 and are not within 460 feet of any uncommitted tracts or the unit boundary. Included with the APD is the following supplemental information:

- Exhibit "A" - Survey plats, layouts and photos of the proposed well site,
- Exhibit "B" - Proposed location maps with access and pipeline corridors,
- Exhibit "C" - Production site layout,
- Exhibit "D" - Drilling Plan with Directional Survey;
- Exhibit "E" - Surface Use Plan with APD Certification,
- Exhibit "F" - Typical BOP and Choke Manifold diagram,
- Exhibit "G" - Cultural and Paleontological Clearance Reports

Thank you very much for your timely consideration of this application. Please feel free to contact myself or Ken Secrest of XTO Energy, Inc. at 435-722-4521 if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,



Don Hamilton  
Agent for XTO Energy, Inc.

cc: Diana Mason, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining  
Ken Secrest, XTO Energy, Inc.  
Kyla Vaughn, XTO Energy, Inc.

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# XTO ENERGY INC.

RBU 19-23E

APD Data

March 9, 2009

Location: 1687' FNL & 639' FWL, Sec. 23, T10S, R19E County: Uintah

State: Utah

Bottomhole Location: 1300' FNL & 1400' FWL, Sec. 23, T10S, R19E

GREATEST PROJECTED TD: 8785' MD/ 8678' TVD

OBJECTIVE: Wasatch/Mesaverde

APPROX GR ELEV: 5267'

Est KB ELEV: 5289' (22' AGL)

## 1. MUD PROGRAM:

INTERVAL	0' to 2152'	2152' to 8785'
HOLE SIZE	12.25"	7.875"
MUD TYPE	FW/Spud Mud	KCl Based LSND / Gel Chemical
WEIGHT	8.4	8.6-9.20
VISCOSITY	NC	30-60
WATER LOSS	NC	8-15

Remarks: Use fibrous materials as needed to control seepage and lost circulation. Pump high viscosity sweeps as needed for hole cleaning. Raise viscosity at TD for logging. Reduce viscosity after logging for cementing purposes. The mud system will be monitored visually/manually.

## 2. CASING PROGRAM:

Surface Casing: 9.625" casing set at ±2152'MD/2100'TVD in a 12.25" hole filled with 8.8 ppg mud

Interval	Length	Wt	Gr	Cplg	Coll Rating (psi)	Burst Rating (psi)	Jt Str (M-lbs)	ID (in)	Drift (in)	SF Coll	SF Burst	SF Ten
0'-2152'	2152'	36#	J-55	ST&C	2020	3520	394	8.921	8.765	2.10	3.66	5.08

Production Casing: 5.5" casing set at ±8785'MD/8678' TVD in a 7.875" hole filled with 9.2 ppg mud.

Interval	Length	Wt	Gr	Cplg	Coll Rating (psi)	Burst Rating (psi)	Jt Str (M-lbs)	ID (in)	Drift (in)	SF Coll	SF Burst	SF Ten
0'-8785'	8785'	17#	N-80	LT&C	6280	7740	348	4.892	4.767	1.91	2.36	2.33

Collapse and burst loads calculated at TVD with 0.1 psi/ft gas gradient back up.

## 3. WELLHEAD:

- A. Casing Head: Larkin Fig 92 (or equivalent), 9" nominal, 2,000 psig WP (4,000 psig test) with 9-5/8" 8rnd thread on bottom (or slip-on, weld-on) and 11-3/4" 8rnd thread on top.
- B. Tubing Head: Larkin Fig 612 (or equivalent), 6.456" nominal, 5,000 psig WP, 5-1/2" 8rnd female thread on bottom (or slip-on, weld-on), 8-5/8" 8rnd thread on top.

#### 4. CEMENT PROGRAM:

A. Surface: 9.625", 36#, J-55 (or equiv.), ST&C casing to be set at ± 2152' in 12.25" hole.

LEAD:

± 200 sx of Premium Plus V Blend. (Type V/Poz/Gel) or equivalent, with dispersant, fluid loss, accelerator, & LCM mixed at 11.0 ppg, 3.82 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk, 22.95 gal wtr/sx.

TAIL:

350 sx Class G or equivalent cement with bonding additive, LCM, dispersant, & fluid loss mixed at 15.6 ppg, 1.2 cuft/sx

***Total estimated slurry volume for the 9.625" surface casing is 1184 ft<sup>3</sup>. Slurry includes 75% excess of calculated open hole annular volume to 2152'.***

B. Production: 5.5", 17#, N-80 (or equiv.), LT&C casing to be set at ± 8785' in 7.875" hole.

LEAD:

±245 sx of Premium Plus V Blend. (Type V/Poz/Gel) or equivalent, with dispersant, fluid loss, accelerator, & LCM mixed at 11.6 ppg, 3.12 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk, 17.71 gal wtr/sx.

TAIL:

400 sx Class G or equivalent cement with poz, bonding additive, LCM, dispersant, & fluid loss mixed at 13.0 ppg, 1.75 cuft/sx, 9.09 gal/sx.

***Total estimated slurry volume for the 5.5" production casing is 1464 ft<sup>3</sup>. Slurry includes 15% excess of calculated open hole annular volume.***

***Note: The slurry design may change slightly based upon actual conditions. Final cement volumes will be determined from the caliper logs plus 15% or greater excess. The cement is designed to circulate on surface casing string. The production casing is designed for the top of cement to be at 1652'.***

#### 5. LOGGING PROGRAM:

- A. Mud Logger: The mud logger will come on at surface casing point and will remain on the hole until TD. The mud will be logged in 10' intervals.
- B. Open Hole Logs as follows: Run Array Induction/SFL/GR/SP fr/TD (8785') to the bottom of the surface csg. Run Neutron/Lithodensity/Pe/GR/Cal from TD (8785') to 2152'. A GPIT/Orientation Tool may be run from 8785' – 2152'.

#### 6. FORMATION TOPS:

Please see attached directional plan.

7. **ANTICIPATED OIL, GAS, & WATER ZONES:**

A.

Formation	Expected Fluids	Depth Top (MD)
Wasatch Tongue	Oil/Gas/Water	4293
Wasatch	Gas/Water	4811
Chapita Wells	Gas/Water	5629
Uteland Buttes	Gas/Water	6966
Mesaverde	Gas/Water	7748

B. Appropriately weighted mud will be used to isolate potential gas, oil, and water zones until such time as casing can be cemented into place for zonal isolation.

C. There are no known potential sources of H<sub>2</sub>S.

D. The closest offset well, RBU 5-23E was drilled in 1992 to 7200' TVD with a mud density of 8.5 ppg in conjunction with reduced density via fluid aeration. Assuming a slight overbalance of 0.1 ppg, the formation pore pressure would equate to an 8.4 ppg value (or pressure gradient of 0.437 psi/ft). Extrapolating this value down to the target total depth of 8678' TVD the **anticipated bottom hole pressure** would be **3791 psi**. Using a conservative gas gradient to surface of 0.1 psi/ft, the **maximum anticipated surface pressure** would be **2923 psi**.

8. **BOP EQUIPMENT:**

The drilling of the surface hole will not utilize a bop stack – a 2000 psi diverter system will be utilized..

Production hole will be drilled with a 3000 psi rated BOP stack and choke manifold

Minimum specifications for pressure control equipment are as follows:

Ram Type: 11" Hydraulic double ram with annular, 3000 psi w.p.

Ram type preventers and associated equipment shall be tested to stack working pressure if isolated by test plug or to 70% of internal yield pressure of casing. Pressure shall be maintained for at least 10 minutes or until requirements of test are met, whichever is longer. If a test plug is utilized, no bleed-off pressure is acceptable. For a test not utilizing a test plug, if a decline in pressure of more than 10% in 30 minutes occurs, the test shall be considered to have failed. Valve on casing head below test plug shall be open during test of BOP stack.

Annular type preventers (if used) shall be tested to 50% of rated working pressure. Pressure shall be maintained at least 10 minutes or until provisions of test are met, whichever is longer.

As a minimum, the above test shall be performed:

- a. when initially installed:
- b. whenever any seal subject to test pressure is broken
- c. following related repairs: and
- d. at 30 day intervals

Valves shall be tested from working pressure side during BOPE tests with all down stream valves open.

When testing the kill line valve(s) shall be held open or the ball removed.

Annular preventers (if used) shall be functionally operated at least weekly.

Pipe and blind rams shall be activated each trip, however, this function need not be performed more than once a day.

A BOPE pit level drill shall be conducted weekly for each drilling crew.

The BOP and related equipment shall meet the minimum requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No.2 for equipment and testing requirements, procedures, etc., and individual components shall be operable as designed. Chart recorders shall be used for all pressure tests. Pressure tests shall apply to all related well control equipment.

BOP systems shall be consistent with API RP53 with a minimum pressure rating of 3000 psi. Pressure tests will be conducted before drilling out from under casing strings which have been set and cemented in place. Test pressures for BOP equipment are as follows:

- Annular BOP -- 1500 psi
- Ram type BOP -- 3000 psi
- Kill line valves -- 3000 psi
- Choke line valves and choke manifold valves -- 3000 psi
- Chokes -- 3000 psi
- Casing, casinghead & weld -- 1500 psi
- Upper kelly cock and safety valve -- 3000 psi
- Dart valve -- 3000 psi

Blowout preventer controls will be installed prior to drilling the surface casing plug and will remain in use until the well is completed or abandoned. Preventers will be inspected and operated at least daily to ensure good mechanical working order, and this inspection will be recorded on the daily drilling report. Preventers will be pressure tested before drilling casing cement plugs.

The BLM in Vernal, UT shall be notified, at least 24 hours prior to initiating the pressure test, in order to have a BLM representative on location during pressure testing.

- a. The size and rating of the BOP stack is shown on the attached diagram.
- b. A choke line and a kill line are to be properly installed.
- c. The accumulator system shall have a pressure capacity to provide for repeated operation of hydraulic preventers.
- d. Drill string safety valve(s), to fit all tools in the drill string, are to be maintained on the rig floor while drilling operations are in progress.
- e. See attached BOP & Choke manifold diagrams.

**9. COMPANY PERSONNEL:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Office Phone</u>	<u>Home/Cell Phone</u>
Justin Niederhofer	Drilling Engineer	505-333-3199	505-320-0158
Bobby Jackson	Drilling Superintendent	505-333-3224	505-486-4706
Brent H. Martin	Drilling Manager	505-333-3110	505-320-4074
Jeff Jackson	Project Geologist	817-885-2800	

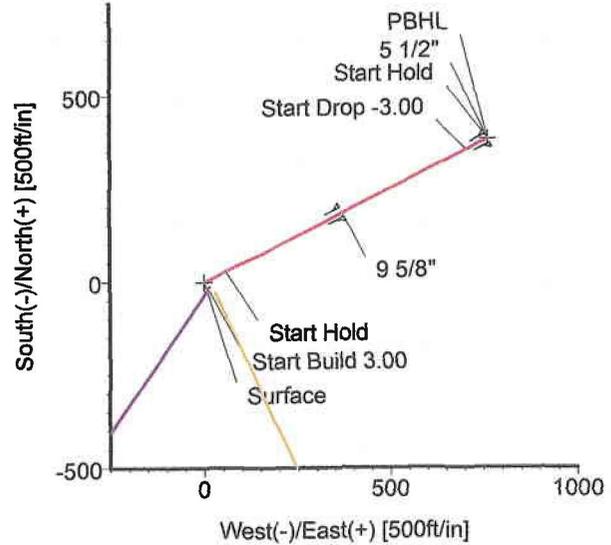
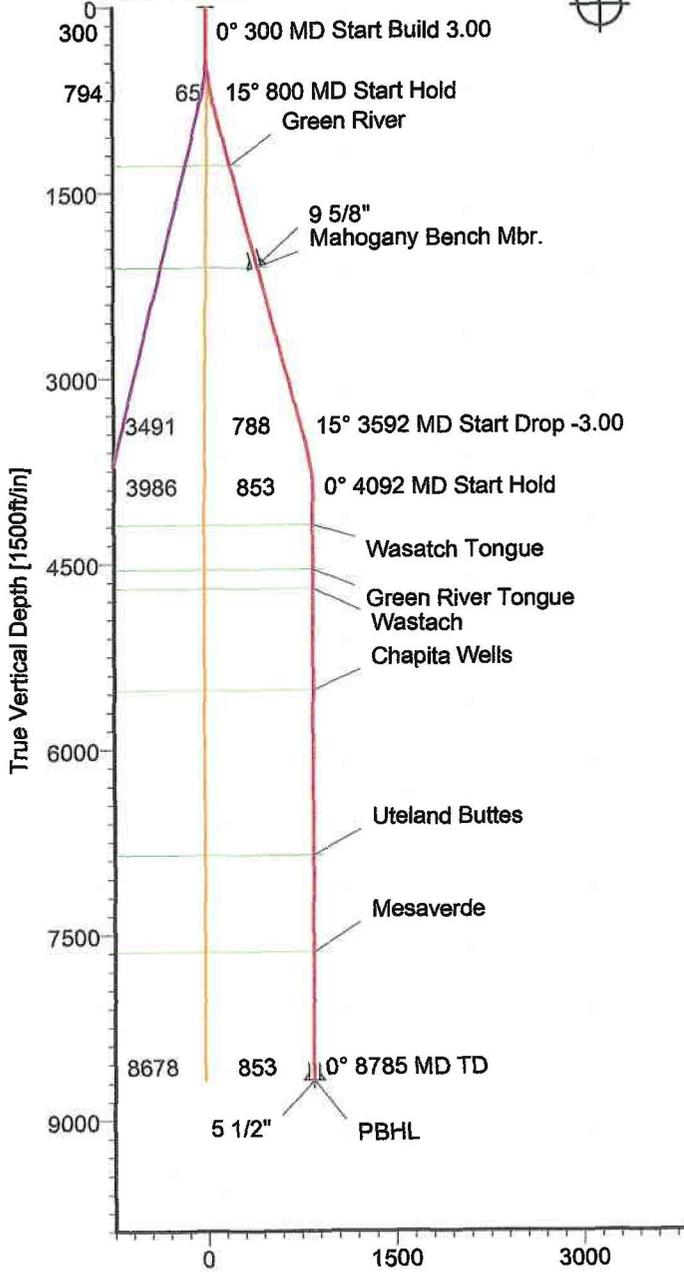
**XTO Energy, Inc.**

Field: Uintah County, UT  
 Site: RBU 19-23E  
 Well: 19-23E  
 Wellpath: Original Hole  
 Plan: Plan #1



Azimuths to True North  
 Magnetic North: 11.46°

Magnetic Field  
 Strength: 52560nT  
 Dip Angle: 65.83°  
 Date: 2/3/2009  
 Model: igrf2005



**LEGEND**

- 21-23E (Original Hole)
- 37-23E (Original Hole)
- Plan #1

**FORMATION TOP DETAILS**

No.	TVDPath	MDPath	Formation
1	1281.00	1303.86	Green River
2	2109.00	2161.07	Mahogany Bench Mbr.
3	4186.00	4292.53	Wasatch Tongue
4	4549.00	4655.53	Green River Tongue
5	4704.00	4810.53	Wastach
6	5522.00	5628.53	Chapita Wells
7	6859.00	6965.53	Uteland Buttes
8	7641.00	7747.53	Mesaverde

**CASING DETAILS**

No.	TVD	MD	Name	Size
1	2100.00	2151.75	9 5/8"	9.625
2	8678.00	8784.53	5 1/2"	5.500

**TARGET DETAILS**

Name	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	Northing	Easting	Latitude	Longitude	Shape
Surface	0.00	0.00	0.00	7150022.28	2129242.66	39°56'07.940N	109°45'23.680W	Point
PBHL	8678.00	383.48	761.74	7150420.54	2129996.78	39°56'11.730N	109°45'13.900W	Point

**SECTION DETAILS**

Sec	MD	Inc	Azi	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	DLeg	TFace	VSec	Target
1	0.00	0.00	63.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2	300.00	0.00	63.28	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3	800.00	15.00	63.28	794.31	29.26	58.13	3.00	63.28	65.08	
4	3592.17	15.00	63.28	3491.34	354.22	703.61	0.00	0.00	787.74	
5	4092.17	0.00	63.28	3985.65	383.48	761.74	3.00	180.00	852.82	
6	8784.53	0.00	63.28	8678.00	383.48	761.74	0.00	0.00	852.82	PBHL



STRATA DIRECTIONAL TECHNOLOGY, LLC.  
 911 Regional Park Drive Houston, Texas 77060  
 Phone: 713-934-9600 Fax: 713-934-9067

Plan: Plan #1 (19-23E/Original Hole)

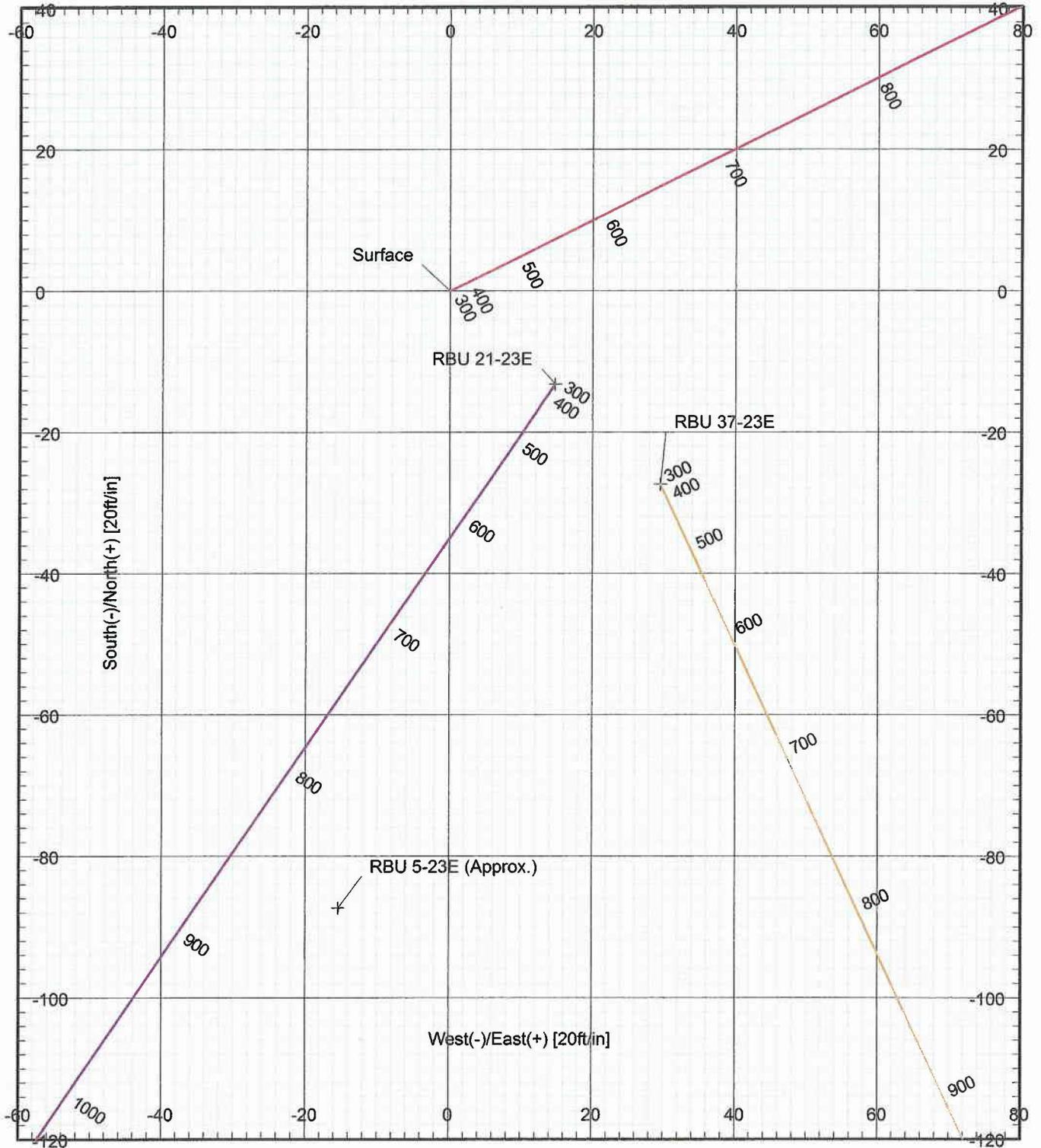
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**XTO Energy, Inc.**

Field: Uintah County, UT  
Site: RBU 19-23E  
Well: 19-23E  
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# Strata Directional Technology, LLC.

## Planning Report

<b>Company:</b> XTO Energy, Inc.	<b>Date:</b> 3/3/2009	<b>Time:</b> 16:01:49	<b>Page:</b> 1
<b>Field:</b> Uintah County, UT	<b>Co-ordinate(NE) Reference:</b> Well: 19-23E, True North		
<b>Site:</b> RBU 19-23E	<b>Vertical (TVD) Reference:</b> 5267'GL + 22'KB 5289.0		
<b>Well:</b> 19-23E	<b>Section (VS) Reference:</b> Well (0.00N,0.00E,63.28Azi)		
<b>Wellpath:</b> Original Hole	<b>Plan:</b> Plan #1		

**Field:** Uintah County, UT

<b>Map System:</b> US State Plane Coordinate System 1983	<b>Map Zone:</b> Utah, Central Zone
<b>Geo Datum:</b> GRS 1980	<b>Coordinate System:</b> Well Centre
<b>Sys Datum:</b> Mean Sea Level	<b>Geomagnetic Model:</b> igrf2005

**Site:** RBU 19-23E

<b>Site Position:</b>	<b>Northing:</b> 7150022.28 ft	<b>Latitude:</b> 39 56 7.940 N
<b>From:</b> Geographic	<b>Easting:</b> 2129242.66 ft	<b>Longitude:</b> 109 45 23.680 W
<b>Position Uncertainty:</b> 0.00 ft		<b>North Reference:</b> True
<b>Ground Level:</b> 5267.00 ft		<b>Grid Convergence:</b> 1.12 deg

<b>Well:</b> 19-23E	<b>Slot Name:</b>
<b>Well Position:</b>	
+N/-S 0.00 ft	<b>Northing:</b> 7150022.28 ft
+E/-W 0.00 ft	<b>Easting :</b> 2129242.66 ft
<b>Position Uncertainty:</b> 0.00 ft	
	<b>Latitude:</b> 39 56 7.940 N
	<b>Longitude:</b> 109 45 23.680 W

<b>Wellpath:</b> Original Hole	<b>Drilled From:</b> Surface
<b>Current Datum:</b> 5267'GL + 22'KB	<b>Tie-on Depth:</b> 0.00 ft
<b>Magnetic Data:</b> 2/3/2009	<b>Above System Datum:</b> Mean Sea Level
<b>Field Strength:</b> 52560 nT	<b>Declination:</b> 11.46 deg
<b>Vertical Section:</b>	<b>Mag Dip Angle:</b> 65.83 deg
<b>Depth From (TVD)</b>	<b>+N/-S</b>
ft	ft
0.00	0.00
	<b>+E/-W</b>
	ft
	0.00
	<b>Direction</b>
	deg
	63.28

<b>Plan:</b> Plan #1	<b>Date Composed:</b> 2/3/2009
<b>Principal:</b> Yes	<b>Version:</b> 1
	<b>Tied-to:</b> From Surface

**Survey**

MD ft	Incl deg	Azim deg	TVD ft	+N/-S ft	+E/-W ft	VS ft	DLS deg/100ft	Build deg/100ft	Turn deg/100ft	Tool/Comment
0.00	0.00	63.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
100.00	0.00	63.28	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
200.00	0.00	63.28	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
300.00	0.00	63.28	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
400.00	3.00	63.28	399.95	1.18	2.34	2.62	3.00	3.00	0.00	
500.00	6.00	63.28	499.63	4.70	9.35	10.46	3.00	3.00	0.00	
600.00	9.00	63.28	598.77	10.57	21.00	23.51	3.00	3.00	0.00	
700.00	12.00	63.28	697.08	18.77	37.28	41.74	3.00	3.00	0.00	
800.00	15.00	63.28	794.31	29.26	58.13	65.08	3.00	3.00	0.00	
900.00	15.00	63.28	890.90	40.90	81.24	90.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1000.00	15.00	63.28	987.49	52.54	104.36	116.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1100.00	15.00	63.28	1084.09	64.18	127.48	142.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1200.00	15.00	63.28	1180.68	75.82	150.60	168.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1300.00	15.00	63.28	1277.27	87.45	173.71	194.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1303.86	15.00	63.28	1281.00	87.90	174.61	195.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	Green River
1400.00	15.00	63.28	1373.86	99.09	196.83	220.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1500.00	15.00	63.28	1470.46	110.73	219.95	246.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1600.00	15.00	63.28	1567.05	122.37	243.07	272.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1700.00	15.00	63.28	1663.64	134.01	266.19	298.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1800.00	15.00	63.28	1760.23	145.64	289.30	323.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1900.00	15.00	63.28	1856.83	157.28	312.42	349.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2000.00	15.00	63.28	1953.42	168.92	335.54	375.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2100.00	15.00	63.28	2050.01	180.56	358.66	401.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2151.75	15.00	63.28	2100.00	186.58	370.62	414.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	9 5/8"
2161.07	15.00	63.28	2109.00	187.67	372.77	417.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	Mahogany Bench Mbr.

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**Survey**

MD ft	Incl deg	Azim deg	TVD ft	+N/-S ft	+E/-W ft	VS ft	DLS deg/100ft	Build deg/100ft	Turn deg/100ft	Tool/Comment
2200.00	15.00	63.28	2146.60	192.20	381.77	427.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2300.00	15.00	63.28	2243.20	203.83	404.89	453.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2400.00	15.00	63.28	2339.79	215.47	428.01	479.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2500.00	15.00	63.28	2436.38	227.11	451.13	505.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2600.00	15.00	63.28	2532.97	238.75	474.24	530.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2700.00	15.00	63.28	2629.57	250.39	497.36	556.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2800.00	15.00	63.28	2726.16	262.03	520.48	582.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2900.00	15.00	63.28	2822.75	273.66	543.60	608.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3000.00	15.00	63.28	2919.34	285.30	566.72	634.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3100.00	15.00	63.28	3015.94	296.94	589.83	660.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3200.00	15.00	63.28	3112.53	308.58	612.95	686.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3300.00	15.00	63.28	3209.12	320.22	636.07	712.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3400.00	15.00	63.28	3305.72	331.85	659.19	738.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3500.00	15.00	63.28	3402.31	343.49	682.30	763.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3592.17	15.00	63.28	3491.34	354.22	703.61	787.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3600.00	14.77	63.28	3498.90	355.12	705.41	789.75	3.00	-3.00	0.00	
3700.00	11.77	63.28	3596.23	365.44	725.90	812.70	3.00	-3.00	0.00	
3800.00	8.77	63.28	3694.61	373.45	741.82	830.52	3.00	-3.00	0.00	
3900.00	5.77	63.28	3793.80	379.14	753.11	843.16	3.00	-3.00	0.00	
4000.00	2.77	63.28	3893.51	382.48	759.75	850.60	3.00	-3.00	0.00	
4092.17	0.00	63.28	3985.65	383.48	761.74	852.82	3.00	-3.00	0.00	
4100.00	0.00	63.28	3993.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4200.00	0.00	63.28	4093.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4292.53	0.00	63.28	4186.00	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	Wasatch Tongue
4300.00	0.00	63.28	4193.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4400.00	0.00	63.28	4293.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4500.00	0.00	63.28	4393.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4600.00	0.00	63.28	4493.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4655.53	0.00	63.28	4549.00	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	Green River Tongue
4700.00	0.00	63.28	4593.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4800.00	0.00	63.28	4693.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4810.53	0.00	63.28	4704.00	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	Wastach
4900.00	0.00	63.28	4793.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5000.00	0.00	63.28	4893.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5100.00	0.00	63.28	4993.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5200.00	0.00	63.28	5093.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5300.00	0.00	63.28	5193.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5400.00	0.00	63.28	5293.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5500.00	0.00	63.28	5393.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5600.00	0.00	63.28	5493.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5628.53	0.00	63.28	5522.00	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	Chapita Wells
5700.00	0.00	63.28	5593.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5800.00	0.00	63.28	5693.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5900.00	0.00	63.28	5793.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6000.00	0.00	63.28	5893.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6100.00	0.00	63.28	5993.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6200.00	0.00	63.28	6093.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6300.00	0.00	63.28	6193.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6400.00	0.00	63.28	6293.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6500.00	0.00	63.28	6393.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6600.00	0.00	63.28	6493.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6700.00	0.00	63.28	6593.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6800.00	0.00	63.28	6693.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	

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### Survey

MD ft	Incl deg	Azim deg	TVD ft	+N/-S ft	+E/-W ft	VS ft	DLS deg/100ft	Build deg/100ft	Turn deg/100ft	Tool/Comment
6900.00	0.00	63.28	6793.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6965.53	0.00	63.28	6859.00	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	Uteland Buttes
7000.00	0.00	63.28	6893.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7100.00	0.00	63.28	6993.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7200.00	0.00	63.28	7093.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7300.00	0.00	63.28	7193.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7400.00	0.00	63.28	7293.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7500.00	0.00	63.28	7393.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7600.00	0.00	63.28	7493.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7700.00	0.00	63.28	7593.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7747.53	0.00	63.28	7641.00	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	Mesaverde
7800.00	0.00	63.28	7693.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7900.00	0.00	63.28	7793.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8000.00	0.00	63.28	7893.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8100.00	0.00	63.28	7993.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8200.00	0.00	63.28	8093.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8300.00	0.00	63.28	8193.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8400.00	0.00	63.28	8293.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8500.00	0.00	63.28	8393.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8600.00	0.00	63.28	8493.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8700.00	0.00	63.28	8593.47	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8784.53	0.00	63.28	8678.00	383.48	761.74	852.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	PBHL

### Targets

Name	Description		TVD ft	+N/-S ft	+E/-W ft	Map Northing ft	Map Easting ft	←← Latitude →→			←← Longitude →→				
	Dip.	Dir.						Deg	Min	Sec	Deg	Min	Sec		
RBU 21-23E			0.00	-13.16	14.80	7150009.41	2129257.71	39	56	7.810	N	109	45	23.490	W
RBU 5-23E (Approx.)			0.00	-87.28	-15.34	7149934.72	2129229.02	39	56	7.077	N	109	45	23.877	W
Surface			0.00	0.00	0.00	7150022.28	2129242.66	39	56	7.940	N	109	45	23.680	W
RBU 37-23E			0.00	-27.32	29.60	7149995.54	2129272.78	39	56	7.670	N	109	45	23.300	W
PBHL -Plan hit target			8678.00	383.48	761.74	7150420.54	2129996.78	39	56	11.730	N	109	45	13.900	W

### Casing Points

MD ft	TVD ft	Diameter in	Hole Size in	Name
2151.75	2100.00	9.625	12.250	9 5/8"
8784.53	8678.00	5.500	7.875	5 1/2"

### Formations

MD ft	TVD ft	Formations	Lithology	Dip Angle deg	Dip Direction deg
1303.86	1281.00	Green River		0.00	0.00
2161.07	2109.00	Mahogany Bench Mbr.		0.00	0.00
4292.53	4186.00	Wasatch Tongue		0.00	0.00
4655.53	4549.00	Green River Tongue		0.00	0.00
4810.53	4704.00	Wastach		0.00	0.00
5628.53	5522.00	Chapita Wells		0.00	0.00
6965.53	6859.00	Uteland Buttes		0.00	0.00
7747.53	7641.00	Mesaverde		0.00	0.00

## SURFACE USE PLAN

**Name of Operator:** XTO Energy, Inc.  
**Address:** 390 CR 3100  
Aztec, New Mexico 87410  
**Well Location:** RBU 19-23E  
*Surface Location:* 1,687' FNL & 639' FWL, SW/4 NW/4,  
*Target Location:* 1,300' FNL & 1,400' FWL, NE/4 NW/4,  
Section 23, T10S, R19E, SLB&M, Uintah County, Utah

The surface owner or surface owner representative and dirt contractor will be provided with an approved copy of the surface use plan of operations and approved conditions of approval before initiating construction.

The BLM onsite inspection for the referenced well was conducted on Wednesday, October 29, 2008 at approximately 2:35 pm. In attendance at the onsite inspections were the following individuals:

Paul Percival	Nat. Res. Prot. Spec.	BLM – Vernal
David Gordon	Wildlife Biologist	BLM – Vernal
Ken Secrest	Regulatory Coordinator	XTO Energy, Inc.
Jody Mecham		XTO Energy, Inc.
Terry Scholes		XTO Energy, Inc.
Brandon Bowthorpe	Surveyor	Uintah Engineering
Billy McClure	Foreman	LaRose Construction
Randy Jackson	Foreman	Jackson Construction

1. Location of Existing Roads:

- a. The proposed well site is located approximately 11.37 miles southwest of Ouray, Utah.
- b. Directions to the proposed well site have been attached at the end of Exhibit B.
- c. The use of roads under State and County Road Department maintenance are necessary to access the River Bend Unit area. However, an encroachment permit is not anticipated since no upgrades to the State or County Road system are proposed at this time.
- d. All existing roads will be maintained and kept in good repair during all phases of operation.
- e. Vehicle operators will obey posted speed restrictions and observe safe speeds commensurate with road and weather conditions.
- f. Since no improvements are anticipated to the State, County, Tribal or BLM access roads no topsoil striping will occur.
- g. An off-lease federal Right-of-Way is not anticipated for the access road and pipeline corridors since both exist and are within the River Bend Unit area.

2. Planned Access Roads:
  - a. No new access is proposed since the well will be drilled from the existing RBU 5-23Ewell site utilizing the existing access road.
  
3. Location of Existing Wells:
  - a. Exhibit B has a map reflecting these wells within a one mile radius of the proposed well.
  
4. Location of Existing and/or Proposed Production Facilities:
  - a. All permanent structures will be painted a flat, non-reflective Covert Green /Carlsbad Canyon to match the standard environmental colors. All facilities will be painted within six months of installation. Facilities required to comply with the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) may be excluded.
  - b. Site security guidelines identified in 43 CFR 3163.7-5 and Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 3 will be adhered to.
  - c. A gas meter run will be constructed and located on lease within 500 feet of the wellhead. Meter runs will be housed and/or fenced. All gas production and measurement shall comply with the provisions of 43 CFR 3162.7-3, Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 5, and American Gas Association (AGA) Report No. 3.
  - d. A tank battery will be constructed on this lease, it will be surrounded by a dike of sufficient capacity to contain the storage capacity of the largest tank. All loading lines and valves will be placed inside the berm surrounding the tank battery. All liquid hydrocarbons production and measurement shall conform to the provisions of 43 CFR 3162.7-3 and Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 4 and Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 5 for natural gas production and measurement.
  - e. Any necessary pits will be properly fenced to prevent any wildlife and livestock entry.
  - f. All access roads will be maintained as necessary to prevent erosion and accommodate year-round traffic. The road will be maintained in a safe useable condition.
  - g. The site will require periodic maintenance to ensure that drainages are kept open and free of debris, ice, and snow, and that surfaces are properly treated to reduce erosion, fugitive dust, and impacts to adjacent areas.
  - h. A pipeline corridor upgrade is proposed with this application. The proposed upgrade will replace 40' of existing 2" with a new 4" steel gas pipeline. The proposed pipeline corridor will leave the southwest side of the well site and traverse 40' to the existing 4" pipeline corridor.
  - i. The new segment of gas pipeline will be a 4" buried laid line within a 45' wide pipeline corridor.
  - j. Construction of the pipeline corridor will temporarily utilize the 45' disturbed width for the road for a total disturbed width of 75' for the road and pipeline corridors. The use of the proposed well site and access roads will facilitate the staging of the pipeline corridor construction.
  - k. XTO Energy, Inc. intends to bury the pipeline and connect the pipeline together utilizing conventional welding technology.

5. Location and Type of Water Supply:

- a. No water supply pipelines will be laid for this well.
- b. No water well will be drilled for this well.
- c. Drilling water for this well will be hauled on the road(s) shown in Exhibit B.
- d. Project water will be hauled from one of the following permitted sources:
  - o Water Permit #43-10991, Section 9, T8S, R20E;
  - o Water Permit #49-2189, Section 33, T8S, R20E;
  - o Water Permit #49-2158, Section 33, T8S, R20E;
  - o Water Permit #43-9077, Section 32, T6S, R20E;
  - o Water Permit #49-2262, Section 33, T8S, R20E;
  - o Water Permit #49-1645, Section 5, T9S, R22E;
  - o Tribal Resolution 06-183, Section 22, T10S, R20E;

6. Source of Construction Material:

- a. The use of materials will conform to 43 CFR 3610.2-3.
- b. No construction materials will be removed from Ute Tribal or BLM lands.
- c. If any gravel is used, it will be obtained from a state approved gravel pit.

7. Methods of Handling Waste:

- a. All wastes associated with this application will be contained and disposed of utilizing approved facilities.
- b. Drill cuttings will be contained and buried on site.
- c. The reserve pit will be located outboard of the location and along the northeast side of the pad.
- d. The reserve pit will be constructed so as not to leak, break, or allow any discharge.
- e. The reserve pit will be lined with 16 mil minimum thickness plastic nylon reinforced liner material. The liner will overlay a felt liner pad only if rock is encountered during excavation. The pit liner will overlap the pit walls and be covered with dirt and/or rocks to hold it in place. No trash, scrap pipe, etc., that could puncture the liner will be disposed of in the pit. Pit walls will be sloped no greater than 2:1. A minimum 2-foot freeboard will be maintained in the pit at all times during the drilling and completion operation.
- f. The reserve pit has been located in cut material. Three sides of the reserve pit will be fenced before drilling starts. The fourth side will be fenced as soon as drilling is completed, and shall remain until the pit is dry. After the reserve pit has dried, all areas not needed for production will be rehabilitated.
- g. 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, testing, or completion of the 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, testing, or completion of the well.

- h. Trash will be contained in a trash cage and hauled away to an approved disposal site as necessary but no later than at the completion of drilling operations. The contents of the trash container will be hauled off periodically to the approved Uintah County Landfill near Vernal, Utah.
  - i. Produced fluids from the well other than water will be produced into a test tank until such time as construction of production facilities is completed. Any spills of oil, gas, salt water or other produced fluids will be cleaned up and removed.
  - j. After initial clean-up, a 400 bbl tank will be installed to contain produced waste water. This water will be transported from the tank to an approved XTO Energy, Inc. disposal well for disposal.
  - k. Produced water from the production well will be disposed of at the RBU 13-11F or RBU 16-19F disposal wells in accordance with Onshore Order #7.
  - l. Any salts and/or chemicals, which are an integral part of the drilling system, will be disposed of in the same manner as the drilling fluid.
  - m. Sanitary facilities will be on site at all times during operations. Sewage will be placed in a portable chemical toilet and the toilet replaced periodically utilizing a licensed contractor to transport by truck the portable chemical toilet so that its contents can be delivered to the Vernal Wastewater Treatment Facility in accordance with state and county regulations.
8. Ancillary Facilities:
- a. Garbage Containers and Portable Toilets are the only ancillary facilities proposed in this application.
  - b. No camps, airstrips or staging areas are proposed with this application.
9. Well Site Layout: (See Exhibit B)
- a. The well will be properly identified in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.6.
  - b. Access to the well pad will be from the southwest.
  - c. The pad and road designs are consistent with BLM specifications.
  - d. A pre-construction meeting with responsible company representative, contractors and the BLM will be conducted at the project site prior to commencement of surface-disturbing activities. The pad and road will be construction-staked prior to this meeting.
  - e. The pad has been staked at its maximum size; however it will be constructed smaller if possible, depending upon rig availability. Should the layout change, this application will be amended and approved utilizing a sundry notice.
  - f. All surface disturbing activities, will be supervised by a qualified, responsible company representative who is aware of the terms and conditions of the APD and specifications in the approved plans.
  - g. All cut and fill slopes will be such that stability can be maintained for the life of the activity.
  - h. Diversion ditches will be constructed as shown around the well site to prevent surface waters from entering the well site area.

- i. The site surface will be graded to drain away from the pit to avoid pit spillage during large storm events.
- j. The stockpiled topsoil (first 6 inches or maximum available) will be stored in a windrow on the uphill side of the location to prevent any possible contamination. All topsoil will be stockpiled for reclamation in such a way as to prevent soil loss and contamination.
- k. Pits will remain fenced until site cleanup.
- l. The blooie line will be located at least 100 feet from the well head.
- m. Water injection may be implemented if necessary to minimize the amount of fugitive dust.

10. Plans for Restoration of the Surface (Interim Reclamation and Final Reclamation):

- a. Site reclamation for a producing well will be accomplished for portions of the site not required for the continued operation of the well.
- b. Upon well completion, any hydrocarbons in the pit shall be removed in accordance with 43 CFR 3162.7-1. Once the reserve pit is dry, the plastic nylon reinforced liner shall be torn and perforated before backfilling of the reserve pit. The reserve pit and that portion of the location not needed for production facilities/operations will be re-contoured to the approximate natural contours.
- c. Following BLM published Best Management Practices the interim reclamation will be completed within 90 days of completion of the well to reestablish vegetation, reduce dust and erosion and compliment the visual resources of the area.
  - a. All equipment and debris will be removed from the area proposed for interim reclamation and the pit area will be backfilled and re-contoured.
  - b. The area outside of the rig anchors and other disturbed areas not needed for the operation of the well will be re-contoured to blend with the surrounding area and reseeded at 12 lbs /acre with the following native grass seeds:
    - o Hy-Crested Wheat Grass (4 lbs / acre)
    - o Needle and Thread Grass (4 lbs / acre)
    - o Squirrel Tail (4 lbs / acre)
  - c. Reclaimed areas receiving incidental disturbance during the life of the producing well will be re-contoured and reseeded as soon as practical.
- d. The Operator will control noxious weeds along access road use authorizations, pipeline route authorizations, well sites, or other applicable facilities by spraying or mechanical removal. A list of noxious weeds may be obtained from the BLM or the appropriate County Extension Office. On BLM administered land, it is required that a Pesticide Use Proposal be submitted and approved prior to the application of herbicides, pesticides or possibly hazardous chemicals.
- e. Prior to final abandonment of the site, all disturbed areas, including the access road, will be scarified and left with a rough surface. The site will then be seeded and/or planted as prescribed by the BLM. The BLM recommended seed mix will be detailed within their approval documents.

11. Surface and Mineral Ownership:

- a. Surface Ownership – Federal under the management of the Bureau of Land Management - Vernal Field Office, 170 South 500 East, Vernal, Utah 84078; 435-781-4400.

- b. Mineral Ownership – Federal under the management of the Bureau of Land Management - Vernal Field Office, 170 South 500 East, Vernal, Utah 84078; 435-781-4400.

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- a. Operators Contact Information:

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- b. An Independent Archeologist. has conducted a Class III archeological survey. A copy of the report is attached as Exhibit 'G' and has also been submitted under separate cover to the appropriate agencies by An Independent Archeologist.
- c. Alden Hamblin has conducted a paleontological survey. A copy of the report is attached as Exhibit 'G' and has also been submitted under separate cover to the appropriate agencies by Alden Hamblin.
- d. Our understanding of the results of the onsite inspection are:
  - a. No Threatened and Endangered flora and fauna species were found during the onsite inspection.
  - b. No drainage crossings that require additional State or Federal approval are being crossed.
  - c. The location will be shortened 20' on the northwest side to remain within the existing location

Certification:

I hereby certify that I, or someone under my direct supervision, have inspected the drill site and access route proposed herein; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exists; that I have full knowledge of state and Federal laws applicable to this operation; that the statements made in this APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed in conformity with this APD package and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. I also certify that I, or the company I represent, am responsible for the operations conducted under this application and that bond coverage is provided under XTO Energy, Inc's BLM bond UTB-000138. These statements are subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of false statements.

Executed this 9<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2009.

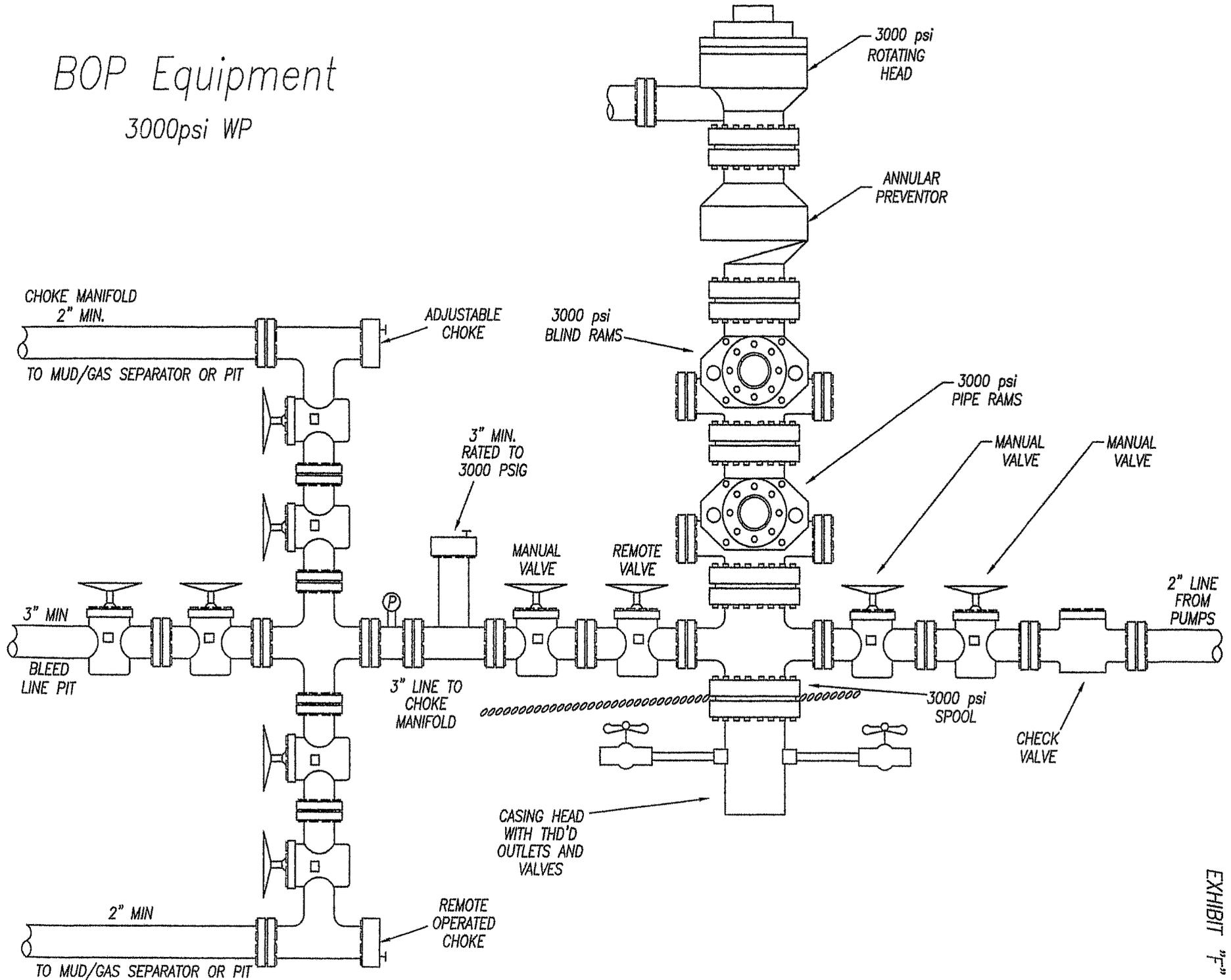
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## Introduction

An Independent Archaeologist (AIA) was contacted by a representative of XTO Energy, Inc., to conduct a cultural resources investigation for the infield RBU #19-23E well, its access and pipeline. The proposed well pad is located in Section 23 of T10S R19E (Figure 1).

The proposed RBU #19-23E well centerstake's footage is 1687' FNL, 639' FWL. The proposed RBU #19-23E well will be directionally drilled from the existing RBU #5-23E well pad. The proposed RBU #19-23E well centerstake is located, from north 134 degrees southeast, 5 m (16.4 feet) from the existing RBU #5-23E well head. In addition, the RBU #19-23E well's proposed access and pipeline is the existing road and pipeline associated with the existing RBU #5-23E well pad.

The proposed RBU #19-23E well is part of XTO Energy, Inc.'s infield drilling program. In addition to the RBU #19-23E well, two additional infield wells (RBU #21-23E and RBU #37-23E) will be directionally drilled from the existing RBU #5-23E well pad. The proposed XTO Energy, Inc.'s proposed infield drilling program involves fifty (n=50) wells. The location of these fifty infield well are located in Sections 13, 14, 16, 22, 23 and 24 of T10S R19E, and Sections 18 and 19, T10S, R20E Uintah County, Utah (Figure 2).

The fifty (n=50) proposed infield wells will be directionally drilled from twenty-nine (n=29) existing well pads in the River Bend Unit on the northern portion of Wild Horse Bench. A list of the existing wells with their proposed wells, legal location, land ownership and Utah SHPO project numbers can be found in Table 1. In addition, the fifty (n=50) well's proposed access and pipelines are the existing oil and gas field service roads (access) and pipelines associated with the existing wells that the proposed wells will be directional drilled from. A similar project of this nature was conducted in the River Bend Unit in 2006 by AIA for Dominion Exploration and Production, Inc. (Truesdale 2006).

The land in Section 23 of T10S R19E is administered by the United States, Utah Bureau of Land Management, Vernal Field Office. The fieldwork was conducted on October 20 to 25 and November 17 to 18, 2008 by AIA archaeologists James Truesdale and David V. Hill (AIA staff archaeologist). All the field notes and maps are located in the AIA office in Laramie, Wyoming.

## File Search

A GIS map search was conducted by the Office of the Utah Division of State History (UDSH), Antiquities Section, Records Division on October 16 and November 13, 2008. An additional file

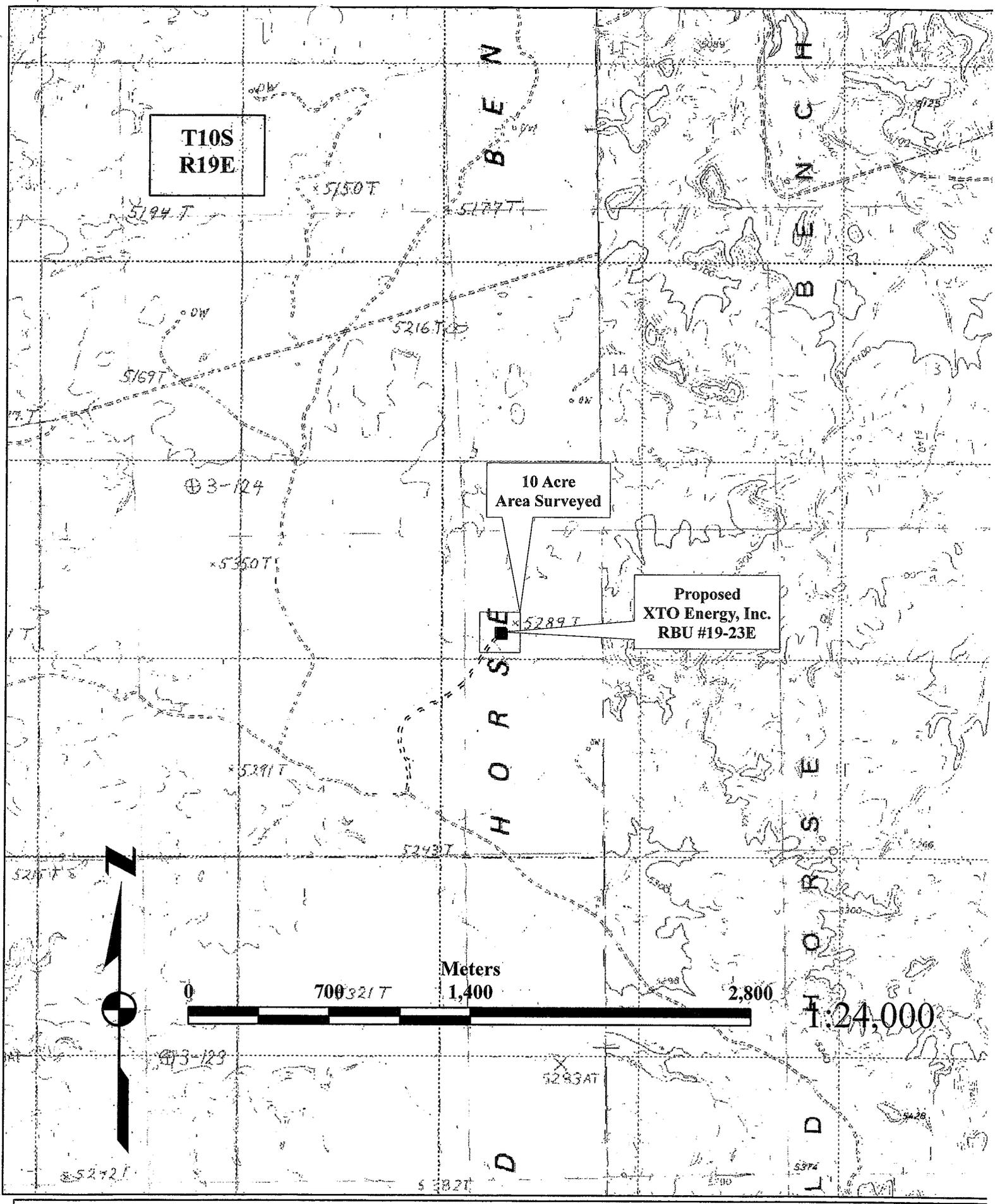


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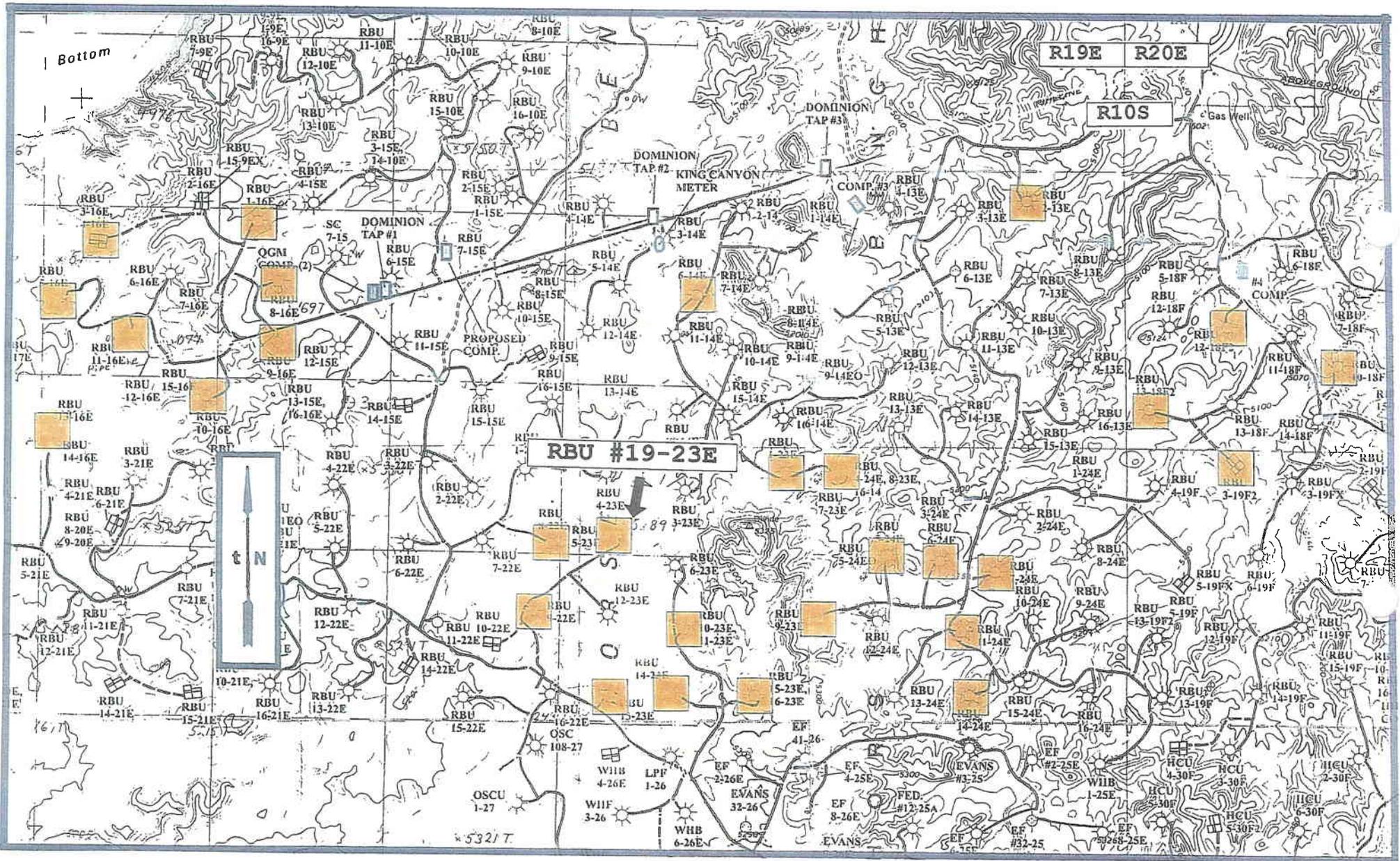


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Existing Well	Proposed Well	Section	Township & Range	Surface Land Ownership	Utah SHPO Project #
RBU #10-18F	RBU #46-18F	18	T10S R20E	BLM	U-08-AY-1013b
RBU #12-18F	RBU #44-18F	18	T10S R20E	BLM	U-08-AY-1011b
	RBU #43-18F				U-08-AY-1012b
RBU #13-18F2	RBU #45-18F	18	T10S R20E	BLM	U-08-AY-1010b
RBU # 2-13E	RBU #18-13F	13	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 974b
RBU # 7-24E	RBU #23-24E	24	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 966b
RBU # 6-24E	RBU #22-24E	24	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 972b
RBU #11-24E	RBU #26-24E	24	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 970b
	RBU #27-24E				U-08-AY- 968b
	RBU #46-24E				U-08-AY- 971b
	RBU #28-24E				U-08-AY- 969b
RBU #14-24E	RBU #30-24E	24	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 967b
RBU # 9-23E	RBU #24-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 980b
	RBU #32-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 981b
RBU # 5-24E	RBU #21-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 973b
RBU # 8-23E	RBU #17-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 983b
RBU # 1-23E	RBU #31-14E	23	T10S R29E	BLM	U-08-AY- 976b
RBU # 6-14E	RBU #26-14E	14	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 975b
RBU # 8-22E	RBU #17-22E	22	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 977b
	RBU #24-22E				U-08-AY- 978b
RBU # 5-23E	RBU #21-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 987b
	RBU #37-23E				U-08-AY- 988b
	RBU #19-23E				U-08-AY- 986b
RBU #13-23E	RBU #28-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 982b
RBU #14-23E	RBU #44-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 979b
RBU #16-23E	RBU #25-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 984b
	RBU #31-23E				U-08-AY- 985b
RBU #10-23E	RBU #23-23E	23	T10S R19E	BLM	U-08-AY- 989b
	RBU #30-23E				U-08-AY- 990b
RBU # 9-16E	RBU #32-16E	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY-1002s
	RBU #29-15E				U-08-AY-1007bs
	RBU #28-15E				U-08-AY-1006bs
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	RBU #17-16E				U-08-AY- 995s
	RBU #24-16E				U-08-AY- 994s
RBU #10-16E	RBU #41-16E	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY- 998s
	RBU #15-16EX	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY- 996s
	RBU #31-16E	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY- 997s
RBU #11-16E	RBU #14-16ER	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY- 999s
	RBU #42-16E				U-08-AY-1000s
RBU # 5-16E	RBU #38-16E	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY- 991s
	RBU #28-16E				U-08-AY- 993s
	RBU #21-16E				U-08-AY- 992s
RBU # 4-16E	RBU #19-16E	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY-1003s
RBU #13-16E	RBU #29-16E	16	T10S R19E	SITLA	U-08-AY-1004s
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	RBU #17-20E			SITLA	U-08-AY-1009bs
RBU # 9-22E	RBU #26-22E	22	T10S R20E	BLM	U-08-AY-1122b
RBU # 3-19F2	RBU #36-19F	19	T10S R20E	BLM	U-08-AY-1121b

search was conducted at the Vernal BLM office in October 2008 by the author. An update of AIA's USGS 7.5'/1985 Moon Bottom, Big Pack Mountain NW quadrangle maps from the UDSH's Moon Bottom, Big Pack Mountain NW quadrangle base maps occurred on November 8, 2003 and again on February 3, 2004.

The UDSH GIS search indicated that eight (n=8) projects (U-98-AF-366, U-00-AF-460, U-00-AY-730, U-00-AY-803, U-02-AY-254, U-03-AY-345, U-03-AY-382 and U-06-AY-1319) had been previously conducted in Section 23 of T10S R19E. The UDSH GIS search indicated that no cultural resource sites had been previously recorded in Section 23 of T10S R19E.

### Environment

Physiographically, the project is located in the River Bend Unit located on the northern portion of the Wild Horse Bench in the Uinta Basin, 12 miles south of Ouray, Utah. The Uinta Basin is structurally the lowest part of the Colorado Plateau geographical province (Thornbury 1965:425). The Uinta Basin is a large, relatively flat, bowl shaped, east-west asymmetrical syncline near the base of the Uinta Mountains. The topography is characteristic of sloping surfaces that incline northward and are mainly dip slopes on the harder layers of Green River and Uinta Formations (Stokes 1986). A thick section of more than 9000 feet (2743.9 m) of early Tertiary rocks are exposed (Childs 1950). These rocks are mainly Paleocene and Eocene in age and consist of sandstone, clay and shale lacustrine, fluvial, and deltaic continental deposits, most famous of which are the lacustrine Green River Beds.

The immediate project area is situated on high desert hills and benches about ½ to 3 miles east of the Green River. The area is characterized as having steep ridges and/or buttes of thick Uinta Formation sandstone, with layers of clays and shales. The hills, ridges and buttes are dissected by several steep ephemeral drainage washes with wide flat alluvial plains. Portions of the desert hardpan and bedrock are covered with various sizes of residual angular to tabular pieces of eroding sandstone, clay and shale. Many of the higher hills and ridges exhibit ancient terrace (pediment) surfaces containing pebble and cobble gravel. Some of these pebbles and cobbles exhibit a dark brown to black desert varnish (patination). In addition, many of the hills and ridge slopes are covered with aeolian sand that may reach a depth of 100 to 150 cm.

Vegetation in the River Bend Unit area is characteristic of a low sagebrush community with shadscale and greasewood. Species observed in the project area include; big sagebrush (Artemisia tridentata), shadscale (Atriplex confertifolia), saltbush (Atriplex nuttallii), rabbitbrush (Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus),

winterfat (Eurotia lanata), greasewood (Sarcobatus baileyi), wild buckwheat, (Erigeron ovalifolium), desert trumpet (Erigeron inflatum), Indian rice grass (Oryzopsis hymenoides), western wheatgrass (Agropyron smithii), spiked wheatgrass (Agropyron sp.), crested wheatgrass (Agropyron cristatum), June grass (Koeleria cristata), cheat grass (Bromus tectorum), desert globemallow (Bromus tectorum), lupine (Lupinus sp.), larkspur (Delphinium sp.), Indian paintbrush (Castilleja chromosa), peppergrass (Lepidium perfoliatum), scalloped phacelia (Phacelia intergrifoliana), birdsage evening primrose (Oenothera deltoides), Russian thistle (Salsola kali), Russian knapweed (Centaurea repens), and prickly pear cactus (Opuntia sp.). In addition, a riparian community dominated by cottonwood (Populus sp.), willow (Salix sp.), and salt cedar (tamarix) can be found along the Green River located approximately 1/2 mile west.

#### RBU #19-23E

The proposed infield RBU #19-23E centerstake, and existing RBU #5-23E well pad is situated in a large upland flat. Sediments surrounding the well pad are colluvial in nature. These colluvial sediments are shallow (<5 cm) and consist of poorly sorted, moderately compacted, tan to light brown, sandy clay loam mixed with small to medium sized angular pieces of sandstone. These angular pieces of sandstone exhibit a dark brown to black desert varnish (patination). Vegetation is sparse and consists of low sagebrush, budsage, rabbitbrush, saltbush, bunchgrasses, and prickly pear cactus.

#### Field Methods

For the XTO infield drilling program, a total of 10 acres were surveyed around the proposed well centerstakes located on the existing wells identified in Table 1. Reconnaissance of the 10 acre area surveyed around each of the original proposed wells was accomplished by walking transects spaced no more than 15 meters apart, back and forth, until the entire area has been covered. However, the previously disturbed area, associated with the construction of the existing well pad(s), within the 10 acre surveyed, may range between 3 to 5 acres. In addition, the existing well's road and pipeline corridors within the 10 acre area surveyed by AIA also may include between .5 and 1.5 additional acres. Therefore, the total acreage surveyed around an existing well and the proposed infield well's centerstake that is undisturbed may range between 3.5 to 6.5 acres.

All of the proposed access and pipelines are existing well access roads and pipelines that are associated with the existing wells. Since the original wells have already been surveyed by previously archaeological projects, 0 block and 0 linear acres were surveyed for this project.

Conversations with Mr. Blaine Phillips (Archaeologist, Vernal District Office Utah BLM) indicated that a Class I files and literature search was adequate for the present project. However, AIA decided to conduct a on the ground reconnaissance of the areas to insure that no cultural materials would be impacted by proposed construction.

However, a brief visit to each of the existing twenty-nine (n=29) well locations was conducted by the author and an AIA staff archaeologist between October 20 to 25, and November 17 to 18, 2008. These visits were to insure that no cultural resources would be impacted by the subsequent construction of the wells involved in the XTO Energy, Inc.'s infield drilling program.

Geologic landforms (rockshelters, alcoves, ridge tops and saddles) and areas of subsurface exposure (ant hills, blowouts, rodent holes and burrow, eroding slopes and cutbanks) were examined with special care in order to locate cultural resources (sites, isolates) and possibly help assess a site's sedimentary integrity and potential for the presence and/or absence of buried intact cultural deposits. All exposures of sandstone cliff faces, alcoves or rockshelters, and talus slopes were surveyed.

When cultural materials are discovered, a more thorough survey of the immediate vicinity is conducted in order to locate any associated artifacts and to determine the horizontal extent (surface area) of the site. If no other artifacts are located during the search then the initial artifact was recorded as an isolated find. At times, isolated formal tools (typical end scrapers, projectile points) were drawn and measured. The isolate was then described and its location plotted on a U.S.G.S. topographic map and UTM coordinates are recorded.

When sites are found an Intermountain Antiquities Computer System (IMACS) form was used to record the site. At all sites, selected topographic features, site boundaries, stone tools and cultural features (hearths, foundations, trash dumps and trails) are mapped. Sites were mapped with a Brunton compass, Trimble Geophysical 3 and/or Garmin E-Trex GPS units, and pacing off distances from a mapping station (datum, PVC with aluminum tag). All debitage is inventoried using standard recording techniques (Truesdale et al 1995:7) according to material type, basic flake type, and so on. Selected (mostly complete) stone tools and projectile points are drawn and measured. All features (rockart panel(s), hearths, foundations, trash dumps and trails) are measured and described, while selected features are either drawn or photographed.

Site location data is recorded by a Trimble GeoExplorer 3 Global Positioning System (GPS) and Garmin GPS III Plus and/or a

E-Trex GPS. Site elevation and Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) grid data, its Estimated Position Error (EPE) and Dilution of Precision (DOP) were recorded. Using the GPS data, the site location was then placed on a USGS 7.5' quadrangle map.

### Results

A Class III cultural resource survey and inventory was conducted around the proposed RBU #19-23E centerstake and existing RBU #5-23E well pad, its access and pipeline. No cultural resources were recorded.

Approximately 3.5 to 4 acres of area has been previously disturbed by the construction of the existing RBU #5-23E well pad, its access and pipeline.

A Class I files and literature search was conducted by AIA for the XTO Energy, Inc.'s proposed fifty (n=50) infield drilling program wells. These proposed fifty (n=50) wells will be directionally drilled from twenty-nine (n=29) existing well pads in the River Bend Unit on Wild Horse Bench.

A brief Class III survey and inventory of each of the twenty-nine infield drilling locations was conducted to insure that subsequent construction of the well pads would not impact any cultural resources (sites, isolates). An approximate total of between 145 and 174 undisturbed acres were surveyed for the XTO Energy, Inc.'s infield drilling program.

A moderate scatter of modern trash (plastic bottles, sanitary food cans, miscellaneous metal, wire, green, brown and clear glass bottles and bottle fragments, foam insulation, etc.) can be found on and surrounding the existing well pads and along the existing oil and gas field service roads in the River Bend Unit and Wild Horse Bench area. This modern trash is less than fifty years of age and subsequently does not meet the National Register's age criterion (>50 years of age).

### Recommendations

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No additional cultural resources (historic properties, isolates) were recorded during the archaeological investigations (survey) of the area around the existing RBU #5-23E well pad and the proposed RBU #19-23E centerstake. Therefore, no additional archaeological work is necessary and clearance is recommended for the construction of the RBU #19-23E well.

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# PALEONTOLOGY EVALUATION SHEET

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**PROJECT:** XTO Energy, Inc. - Well RBU #19-23E, 21-23E, & 37-23E  
(Existing well locations #5-23E)

**LOCATION:** Twelve miles south-southwest of Ouray, Utah. Section 23, SW ¼ NW ¼, T10S, R19E, S.L.B.&M.

**OWNERSHIP:** PRIV[  ] STATE[  ] BLM[  ] USFS[  ] NPS[  ] IND[  ] MIL[  ] OTHER[  ]

**DATE:** October 23, 2008

**GEOLOGY/TOPOGRAPHY:** Uinta Formation, lower part, Eocene Age. The well is on an existing well pad and will expand on all sides.

**PALEONTOLOGY SURVEY:** YES [  ] NO Survey [  ] PARTIAL Survey [  ]  
A pedestrian survey was performed on the expanded portion around the well location.

**SURVEY RESULTS:** Invertebrate [  ] Plant [  ] Vertebrate [  ] Trace [  ] No Fossils Found [  ]  
Found one isolated, weathered turtle shell fragment near the existing road.

**PALEONTOLOGY SENSITIVITY:** HIGH [  ] MEDIUM [  ] LOW [  ] (PROJECT SPECIFIC)

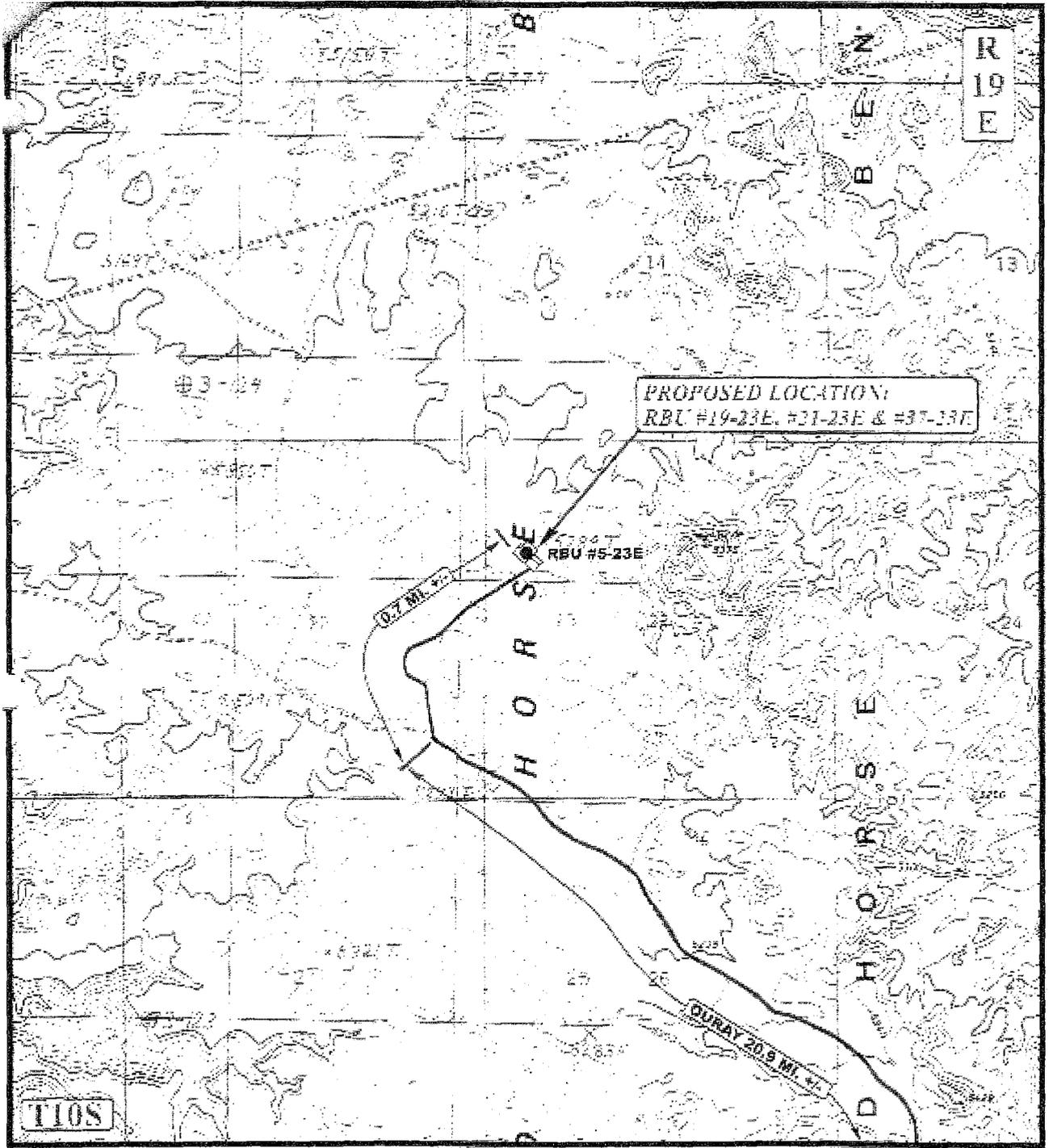
**MITIGATION RECOMMENDATIONS:** NONE [  ] OTHER [  ] (SEE BELOW)

No recommendations are being made for this well location.

There is always some potential for discovery of significant paleontological resources in the Uinta Formation. If significant vertebrate fossils (mammals, crocodiles, complete turtle shells, etc.) are encountered during construction, work should stop in that area and a paleontologist should be contacted to evaluate the material discovered.

**PALEONTOLOGIST:** Alden H. Hamblin

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T10S

**LEGEND:**

EXISTING ROAD

**XTO ENERGY, INC.**

RBL #19-23E, #21-23E & #37-23E  
 SECTION 23, T10S, R19E, S.L.B.&M.  
 SW 1/4 NW 14



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**XTO ENERGY, INC.**  
**RBU #19-23E, #21-23E & #37-23E**  
**SECTION 23, T10S, R19E, 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, THEN SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 9.1 MILES ON THE SEEP RIDGE ROAD TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTH; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 2.8 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE WEST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A WESTERLY, THEN SOUTHWESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.5 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTH; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A NORTHERLY, THEN SOUTHWESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 2.8 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHWEST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHWESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 2.8 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTHWEST; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A NORTHWESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 2.9 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTH; TURN RIGHT AND PROCEED IN A NORTHERLY, THEN NORTHWESTERLY, THEN NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.7 MILES TO THE PROPOSED LOCATION.

TOTAL DISTANCE FROM VERNAL, UTAH TO THE PROPOSED WELL LOCATION IS APPROXIMATELY 52.6 MILES.



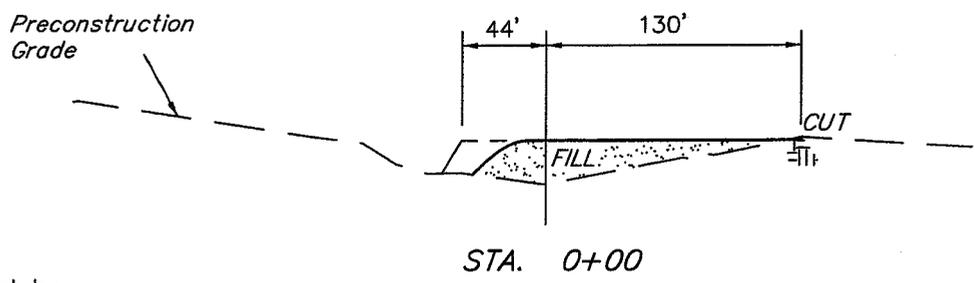
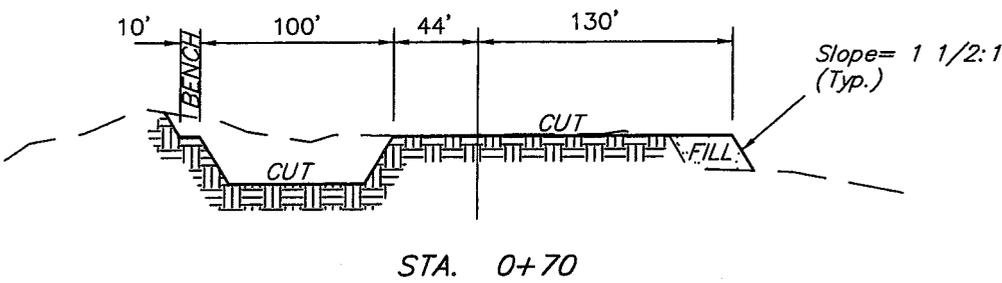
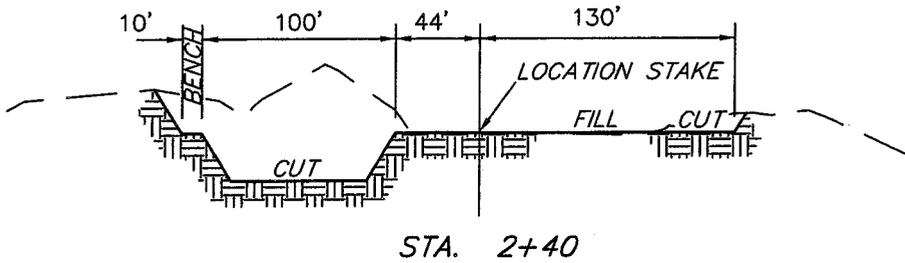
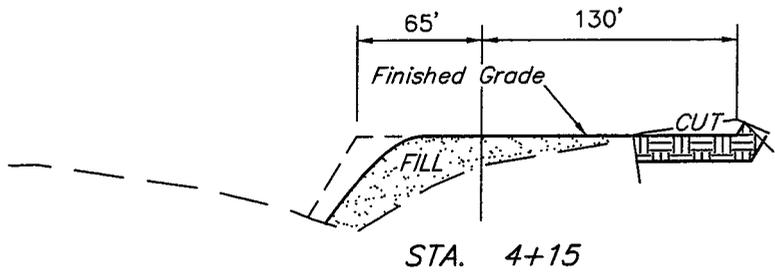
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**FIGURE #2**

**TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS FOR**

**RBU #19-23E, #21-23E & #37-23E  
SECTION 23, T10S, R19E, S.L.B.&M.  
SW 1/4 NW 1/4**

1" = 40'  
X-Section Scale  
1" = 100'  
DATE: 08-15-08  
Drawn By: D.P.



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

**APPROXIMATE ACREAGES**

NEW CONST. DISTURBANCE = ± 2.086 ACRES  
EX. WELL SITE DISTURBANCE = ± 1.114 ACRES  
TOTAL = ± 3.200 ACRES

\* NOTE:  
FILL QUANTITY INCLUDES 5% FOR COMPACTION

**APPROXIMATE YARDAGES**

<b>CUT</b>	
(6") Topsoil Stripping	= 1,180 Cu. Yds.
(New Construction Only)	
Remaining Location	= 8,980 Cu. Yds.
<b>TOTAL CUT</b>	<b>= 10,160 CU. YDS.</b>
<b>FILL</b>	<b>= 6,220 CU. YDS.</b>

<b>EXCESS MATERIAL</b>	<b>= 3,940 Cu. Yds.</b>
Topsoil & Pit Backfill	= 3,940 Cu. Yds.
(1/2 Pit Vol.)	
<b>EXCESS UNBALANCE</b>	<b>= 0 Cu. Yds.</b>
(After Interim Rehabilitation)	

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85 So. 200 East \* Vernal, Utah 84078 \* (435) 789-1017

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**RBU #19-23E, #21-23E & #37-23E**  
 LOCATED IN UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH  
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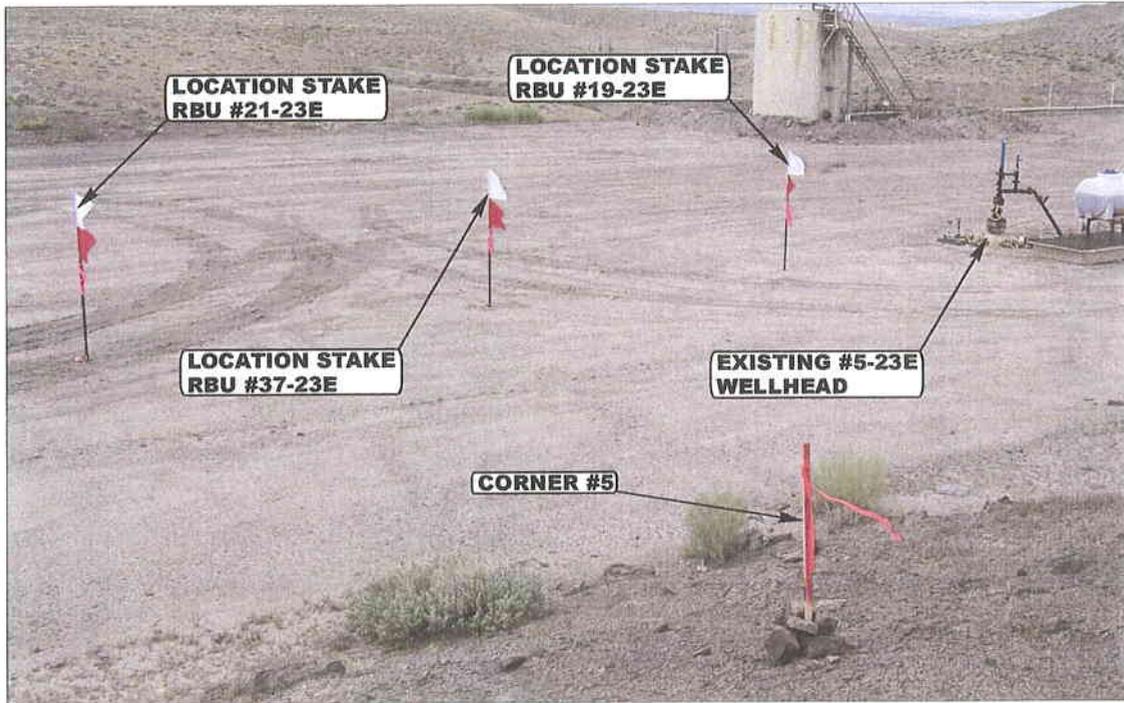


PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKES

CAMERA ANGLE: SOUTHWESTERLY



PHOTO: VIEW OF EXISTING ACCESS

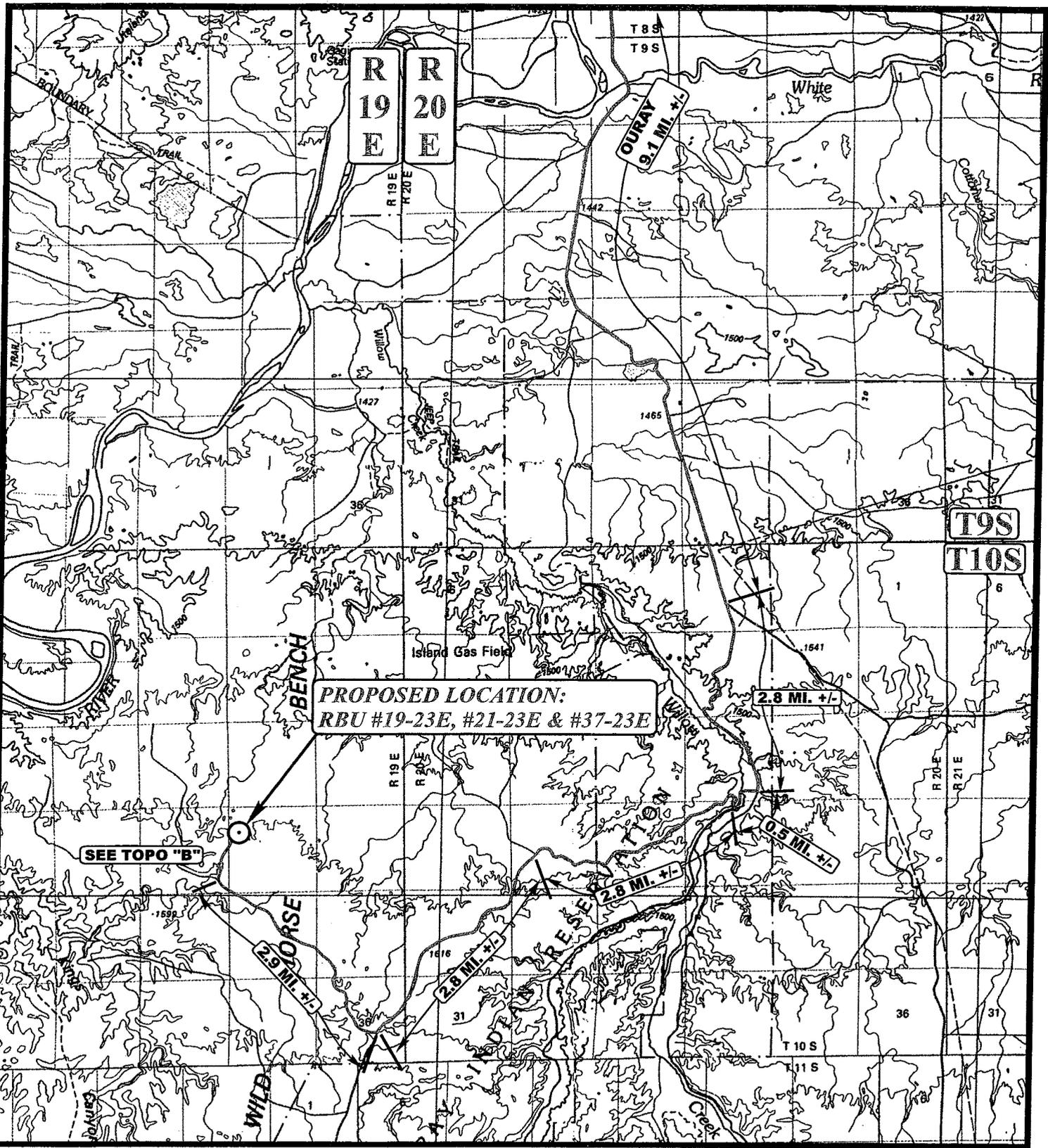
CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHEASTERLY



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<b>LOCATION PHOTOS</b>			<b>08</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>PHOTO</b>
	MONTH	DAY	YEAR			
TAKEN BY: B.B.	DRAWN BY: D.P.		REVISED: 00-00-00			



**PROPOSED LOCATION:**  
**RBUs #19-23E, #21-23E & #37-23E**

SEE TOPO "B"

**LEGEND:**

○ PROPOSED LOCATION



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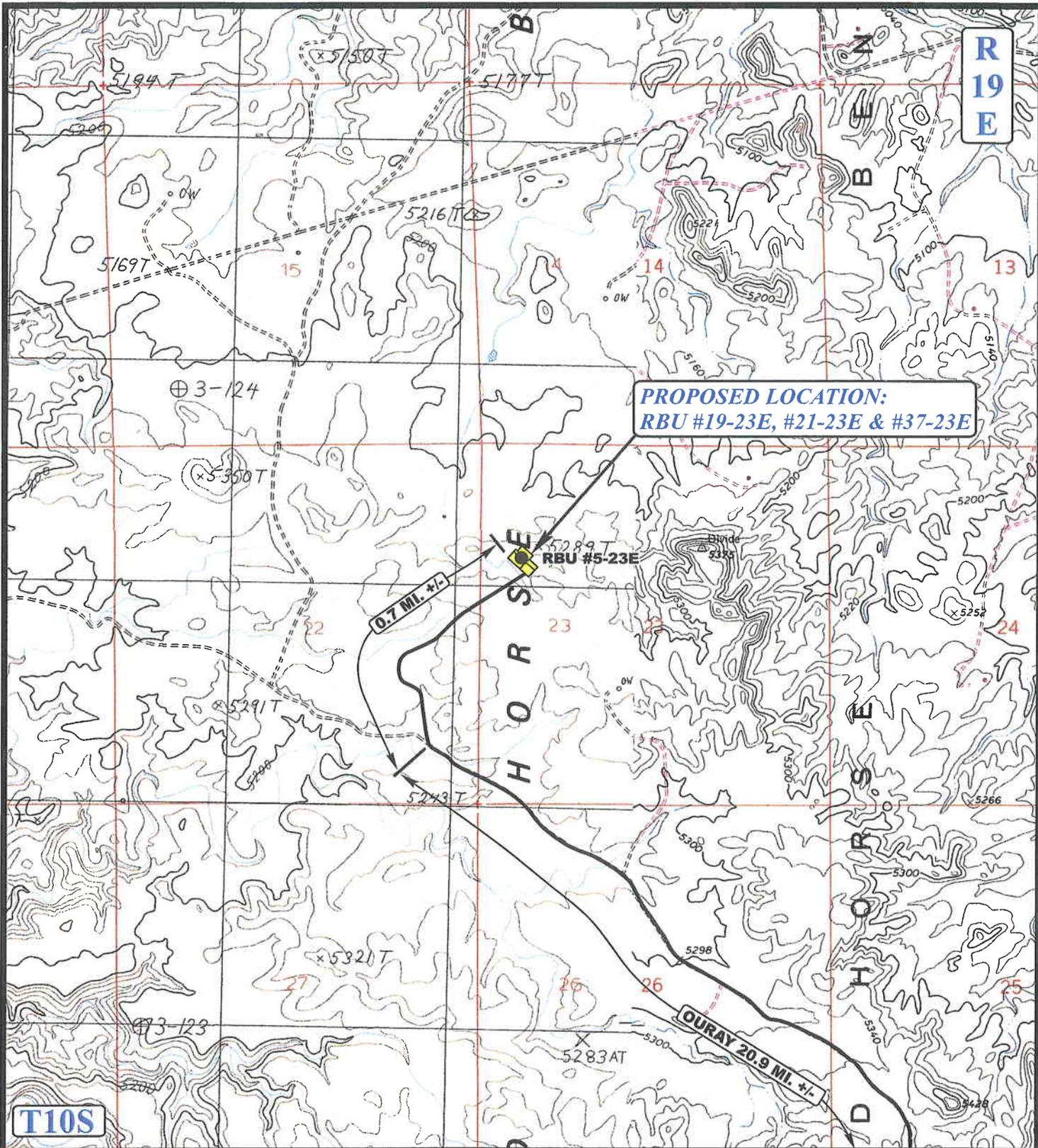
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**TOPOGRAPHIC MAP** 08 18 08  
 MONTH DAY YEAR  
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**LEGEND:**

— EXISTING ROAD



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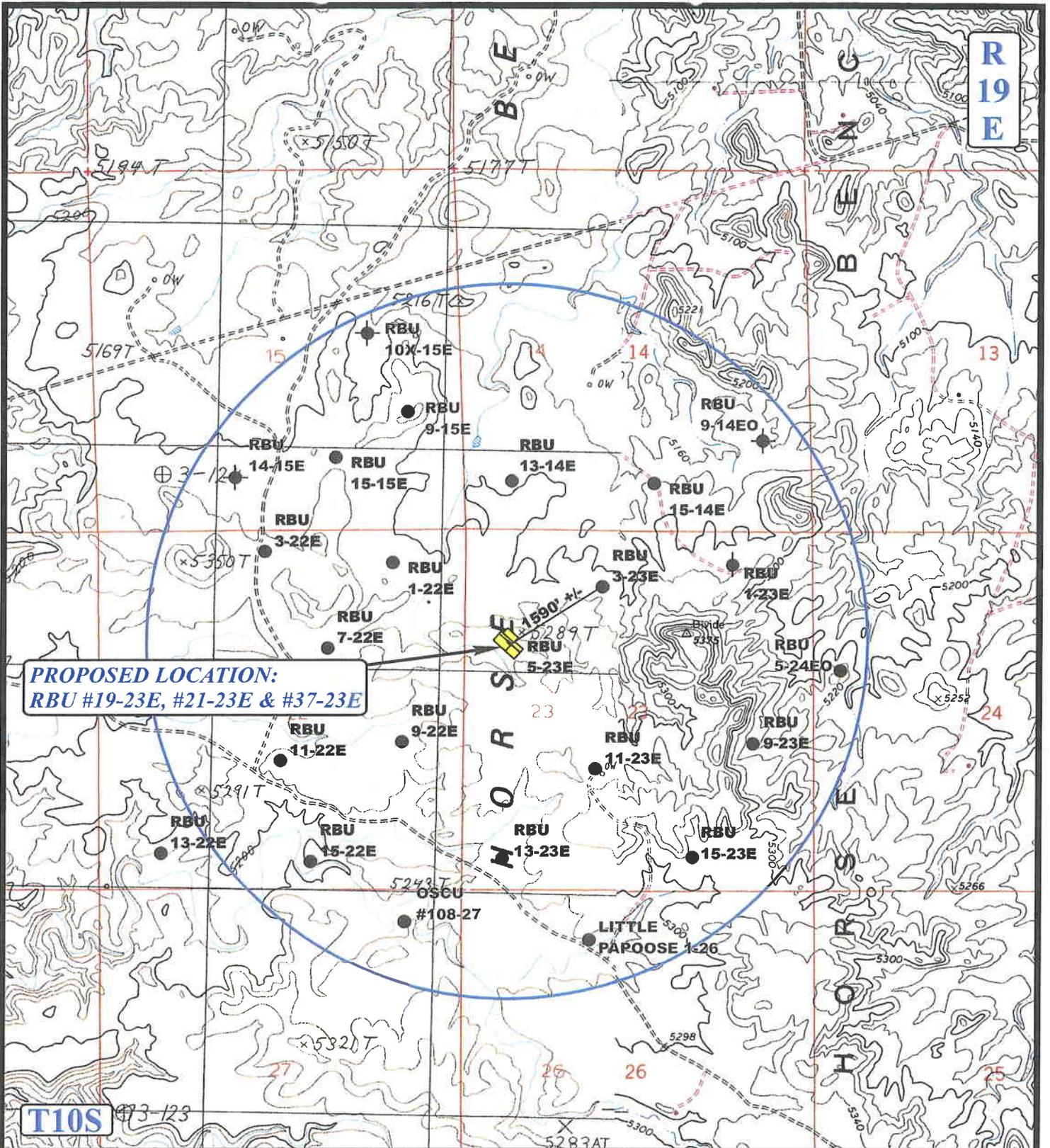
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MONTH DAY YEAR  
SCALE: 1" = 2000' DRAWN BY: D.P. REVISED: 00-00-00





**PROPOSED LOCATION:  
RBU #19-23E, #21-23E & #37-23E**

**LEGEND:**

- ∅ DISPOSAL WELLS
- PRODUCING WELLS
- ⬮ SHUT IN WELLS
- ⊕ WATER WELLS
- ⬮ ABANDONED WELLS
- ⬮ TEMPORARILY ABANDONED

**XTO ENERGY, INC.**

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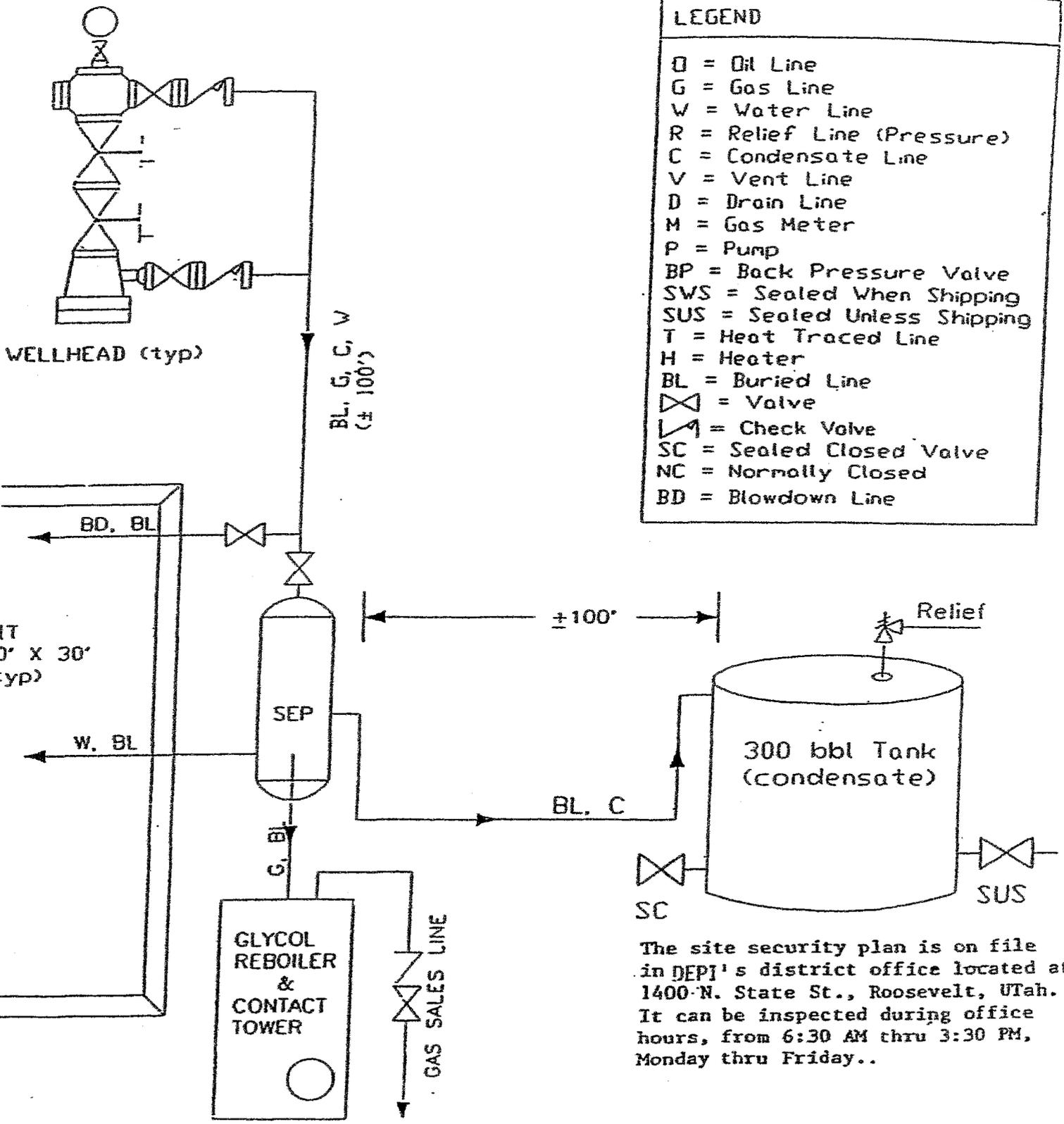


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**TOPOGRAPHIC MAP** 08 18 08  
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**LEGEND**

- = Oil Line
- G = Gas Line
- W = Water Line
- R = Relief Line (Pressure)
- C = Condensate Line
- V = Vent Line
- D = Drain Line
- M = Gas Meter
- P = Pump
- BP = Back Pressure Valve
- SWS = Sealed When Shipping
- SUS = Sealed Unless Shipping
- T = Heat Traced Line
- H = Heater
- BL = Buried Line
- ⊗ = Valve
- ↗ = Check Valve
- SC = Sealed Closed Valve
- NC = Normally Closed
- BD = Blowdown Line

The site security plan is on file in DEPI's district office located at 1400 N. State St., Roosevelt, Utah. It can be inspected during office hours, from 6:30 AM thru 3:30 PM, Monday thru Friday..

**WORKSHEET  
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL**

APD RECEIVED: 03/12/2009

API NO. ASSIGNED: 43-047-40593

WELL NAME: RBU 19-23E

OPERATOR: XTO ENERGY INC ( N2615 )

PHONE NUMBER: 505-333-3100

CONTACT: DON HAMILTON

PROPOSED LOCATION:

SWNW 23 100S 190E

SURFACE: 1687 FNL 0639 FWL

BOTTOM: 1300 FNL 1400 FWL

COUNTY: UINTAH

LATITUDE: 39.93554 LONGITUDE: -109.75578

UTM SURF EASTINGS: 606311 NORTHINGS: 4421134

FIELD NAME: NATURAL BUTTES ( 630 )

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

LEASE TYPE: 1 - Federal

LEASE NUMBER: UTU-013766

SURFACE OWNER: 1 - Federal

PROPOSED FORMATION: WSMVD

COALBED METHANE WELL? NO

RECEIVED AND/OR REVIEWED:

- Plat
- Bond: Fed[1] Ind[] Sta[] Fee[]  
(No. UTB-000138 )
- Potash (Y/N)
- Oil Shale 190-5 (B) or 190-3 or 190-13
- Water Permit  
(No. 43-10991 )
- RDCC Review (Y/N)  
(Date: \_\_\_\_\_ )
- Fee Surf Agreement (Y/N)
- Intent to Commingle (Y/N)

LOCATION AND SITING:

- \_\_\_\_\_ R649-2-3.
- Unit: RIVER BEND
- \_\_\_\_\_ R649-3-2. General
- Siting: 460 From Qtr/Qtr & 920' Between Wells
- \_\_\_\_\_ R649-3-3. Exception
- Drilling Unit
- Board Cause No: 259-01
- Eff Date: 8-18-2006
- Siting: 460' from u/barg? uncomm. strcs
- \_\_\_\_\_ R649-3-11. Directional Drill

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

STIPULATIONS: 1- Federal Approval



# United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

**IN REPLY REFER TO:**

3160  
(UT-922)

March 20, 2009

Memorandum

To: Assistant District Manager Minerals, Vernal District  
From: Michael Coulthard, Petroleum Engineer  
Subject: 2009 Plan of Development River Bend Unit Uintah County,  
Utah.

Pursuant to email between Diana Whitney, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, and Mickey Coulthard, Utah State Office, Bureau of Land Management, the following well is planned for calendar year 2009 within the River Bend Unit, Uintah County, Utah.

API #	WELL NAME	LOCATION
(Proposed PZ Wasatch/MesaVerde)		
43-047-40593	RBU 19-23E Sec 23 T10S R19 1687 FNL 0639 FWL	BHL Sec 23 T10S R19 1300 FNL 1400 FWL

This office has no objection to permitting the well at this time.

/s/ Michael L. Coulthard

bcc: File – River Bend Unit  
Division of Oil Gas and Mining  
Central Files  
Agr. Sec. Chron  
Fluid Chron

MCoulthard:mc:3-20-09



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# State of Utah

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

MICHAEL R. STYLER  
Executive Director

### Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA  
Division Director

March 23, 2009

XTO Energy, Inc.  
390 CR 3100  
Aztec, NM 87410

Re: RBU 19-23E Well, Surface Location 1687' FNL, 639' FWL, SW NW, Sec. 23,  
T. 10 South, R. 19 East, Bottom Location 1300' FNL, 1400' FWL, NE NW, Sec. 23,  
T. 10 South, R. 19 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 43-047-40593.

Sincerely,

Gil Hunt  
Associate Director

pab  
Enclosures

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



Operator: XTO Energy, Inc.  
Well Name & Number RBU 19-23E  
API Number: 43-047-40593  
Lease: UTU-013766

Surface Location: SW NW      Sec. 23      T. 10 South      R. 19 East  
Bottom Location: NE NW      Sec. 23      T. 10 South      R. 19 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 Dustin Doucet at (801) 538-5281      (801) 733-0983 home

#### 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. In accordance with Utah Admin. R.649-3-11, Directional Drilling, the operator shall submit a complete angular deviation and directional survey report to the Division within 30 days following completion of the well.

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<b>3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR:</b> 382 Road 3100 , Aztec, NM, 87410	<b>PHONE NUMBER:</b> 505 333-3159 Ext
<b>4. LOCATION OF WELL</b> <b>FOOTAGES AT SURFACE:</b> 1687 FNL 0639 FWL <b>QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN:</b> Qtr/Qtr: SWNW Section: 23 Township: 10.0S Range: 19.0E Meridian: S	<b>9. FIELD and POOL or WILDCAT:</b> NATURAL BUTTES  <b>COUNTY:</b> UINTAH  <b>STATE:</b> UTAH

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION		
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**12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.**

XTO hereby requests a one year extension on the State permit for the referenced well.

**Approved by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining**

**Date:** March 31, 2010

**By:**

<b>NAME (PLEASE PRINT)</b> Eden Fine	<b>PHONE NUMBER</b> 505 333-3664	<b>TITLE</b> Permitting Clerk
<b>SIGNATURE</b> N/A		<b>DATE</b> 3/31/2010



**The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining**

- State of Utah  
- Department of Natural Resources

Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

**Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047405930000**

**API:** 43047405930000

**Well Name:** RBU 19-23E

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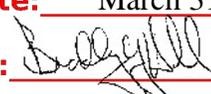
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The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision. Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

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**Approved by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining**

**Date:** 03/09/2011

**By:** 

<b>NAME (PLEASE PRINT)</b> Krista Wilson	<b>PHONE NUMBER</b> 505 333-3647	<b>TITLE</b> Permitting Tech
<b>SIGNATURE</b> N/A		<b>DATE</b> 3/8/2011



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**Signature:** Krista Wilson

**Date:** 3/8/2011

**Title:** Permitting Tech **Representing:** XTO ENERGY INC

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<b>3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR:</b> 382 Road 3100 , Aztec, NM, 87410	<b>7. UNIT or CA AGREEMENT NAME:</b> RIVER BEND
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<b>PHONE NUMBER:</b> 505 333-3145 Ext	<b>9. API NUMBER:</b> 43047405930000
<b>9. FIELD and POOL or WILDCAT:</b> NATURAL BUTTES	<b>COUNTY:</b> UINTAH
	<b>STATE:</b> UTAH

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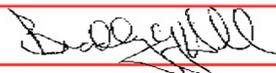
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**Approved by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining**

**Date:** March 26, 2012

**By:** 

<b>NAME (PLEASE PRINT)</b> Richard L. Redus	<b>PHONE NUMBER</b> 303 397-3712	<b>TITLE</b> Regulatory
<b>SIGNATURE</b> N/A	<b>DATE</b> 3/19/2012	



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- State of Utah  
- Department of Natural Resources

Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

**Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047405930000**

API: 43047405930000

Well Name: RBU 19-23E

Location: 1687 FNL 0639 FWL QTR SWNW SEC 23 TWNP 100S RNG 190E MER S

Company Permit Issued to: XTO ENERGY INC

Date Original Permit Issued: 3/23/2009

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Signature: Richard L. Redus

Date: 3/19/2012

Title: Regulatory

Representing: XTO ENERGY INC

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**Approved by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining**

**Date:** March 04, 2013

**By:** 

<b>NAME (PLEASE PRINT)</b> Richard L. Redus	<b>PHONE NUMBER</b> 303 397-3712	<b>TITLE</b> Regulatory
<b>SIGNATURE</b> N/A	<b>DATE</b> 2/28/2013	



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- State of Utah  
- Department of Natural Resources

Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

**Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047405930000**

API: 43047405930000

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Signature: Richard L. Redus

Date: 2/28/2013

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Representing: XTO ENERGY INC

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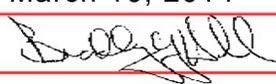
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Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining**

**Date:** March 10, 2014  
**By:** 

<b>NAME (PLEASE PRINT)</b> Sephra Baca	<b>PHONE NUMBER</b> 719 845-2103	<b>TITLE</b> Regulatory Analyst
<b>SIGNATURE</b> N/A	<b>DATE</b> 3/6/2014	



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Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

**Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047405930000**

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Signature: Sephra Baca

Date: 3/6/2014

Title: Regulatory Analyst Representing: XTO ENERGY INC



## United States Department of the Interior



### BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Green River District  
Vernal Field Office  
170 South 500 East  
Vernal, UT 84078

<http://www.blm.gov/ut/st/en/fo/vernal.html>

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IN REPLY REFER TO:  
3160 (UTG011)

Malia Villers  
XTO Energy, Inc.  
PO Box 6501  
Englewood, CO 80155

43 047 40593

Re: Request to Return APD  
Well No. RBU 19-23E  
SWNW, Sec. 23, T10S, R19E  
Uintah County, Utah  
Lease No. UTU-013766  
River Bend Unit

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Dear Ms. Villers:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the above referenced well received in this office on March 11, 2009, is being returned unapproved per your request to this office in an email message to Natural Resource Specialist David Gordon received on February 19, 2014. If you intend to drill at this location at a future date, a new APD must be submitted.

If you have any questions regarding APD processing, please contact Robin R. Hansen at (435) 781-3428.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jerry Kenczka

Jerry Kenczka  
Assistant Field Manager  
Lands & Resource Minerals

Enclosures

cc: UDOGM

bcc: Well File



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SPENCER J. COX  
Lieutenant Governor

# State of Utah

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

MICHAEL R. STYLER  
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### Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA  
Division Director

March 19, 2015

Malia Villers  
XTO Energy Inc.  
9127 South Jamaica St.  
Englewood, CO 80112

43 047 40593  
RBU 19-23 E  
23 10S 19E

Re: APDs Rescinded XTO Energy Inc., Uintah County

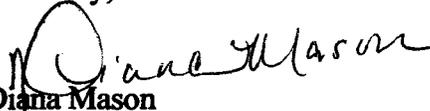
Dear Ms. Villers:

Enclosed find the list of APDs that you asked to be rescinded. No drilling activity at these locations has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill these wells is hereby rescinded as of March 16, 2015.

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  
Environmental Scientist

cc: Well File  
Bureau of Land Management, Vernal



→ RBU 19-23E API 43-047-40593  
RBU 16-20E API 43-047-36430  
RBU 13-21E API 43-047-36431