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October 18, 2006

Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
P.O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9275

Re: Placid Fee RC #5-A  
WXB RA SU 46, Section 33, T7N-R3E  
West Catahoula Lake Field, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana  
My File No. 2006-469

### **APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING**

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Munoco Company, 200 North Jefferson, Suite 308, El Dorado, Arkansas 71730, for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters:

- 1) To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Order No. 1298, so as to permit the production of the "Placid Fee RC #5-A" well at a location 437 feet from the North Line and also 176 feet from the West line of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 33, T7N-R3E.
- 2) To designate the "Placid Fee RC #5-A" well as a substitute unit well for the Wilcox B Zone, Reservoir A, Sand Unit 46 as defined and described by Order No. 1298, which order covers the Wilcox A through H Zones, Reservoirs A, in the West Catahoula Lake Field, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana, at said exceptional location, and to designate Munoco Company as the operator of said unit.
- 3) To determine that the proposed location will effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the reservoir which would not otherwise be drained, absent the approval of the exceptional location.
- 4) To consider any and all other matters which the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

Order No.1298 was promulgated by the Office of Conservation on March 11, 1986, effective January 1, 1986, establishing rules and regulations and creating drilling and producing units for the West Catahoula Lake Field of LaSalle Parish, Louisiana for the Wilcox A through H Zones, Reservoir A. The order provides that future wells located in the West Catahoula Lake Field, within or outside any of the units created thereby, should not be drilled within 330 feet of any unit boundary or within 660 feet of any other well completed in, drilling to, or for which a permit has been granted to drill in such zone. The Wilcox B Zone, Reservoir A was fully and completely defined by Order No. 1298 as being that oil and gas or gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the depths of 3707 feet and 3846 feet (electric log measurements) in the H.L. Hunt - Nebo Oil No. F-193 Well, located in Section 35, Township 7 North, Range 3 East, LaSalle Parish, Louisiana.

The original unit well, the Placid Fee RC #5, was plugged and abandoned on or about June 28, 2006.

The applicant attaches hereto a plat showing the proposed location for which this special permit is sought.

Inasmuch as the matters covered by this application do not require a pre-application notice, no such notice has been given and it is requested that the hearing be held after the necessary ten day delay following legal advertisement.

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure, the applicant has made a diligent effort to obtain the names and addresses of all interested owners and represented parties to whom notice of this application should be sent and a list of such names is attached hereto.

The applicant will also cause a copy of the legal notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in LaSalle Parish, Louisiana and shall post a copy of the notice in a prominent place in the LaSalle Parish Courthouse.

A copy of this letter, the attached plat and list of interested owners and represented parties is being sent to the District Manager of the Monroe District Office.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$755.00 in payment of the required filing fees.

Yours Very Truly,

DORROH & KENDRICK, a PLC

BY:

  
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STEVEN P. KENDRICK

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attachments: Plat; Interested Owners and Represented Parties List

xc: Office of Conservation  
Monroe District Office  
P.O. Drawer 1651  
Monroe, LA 71201

xc: All Interested Owners and Represented Parties

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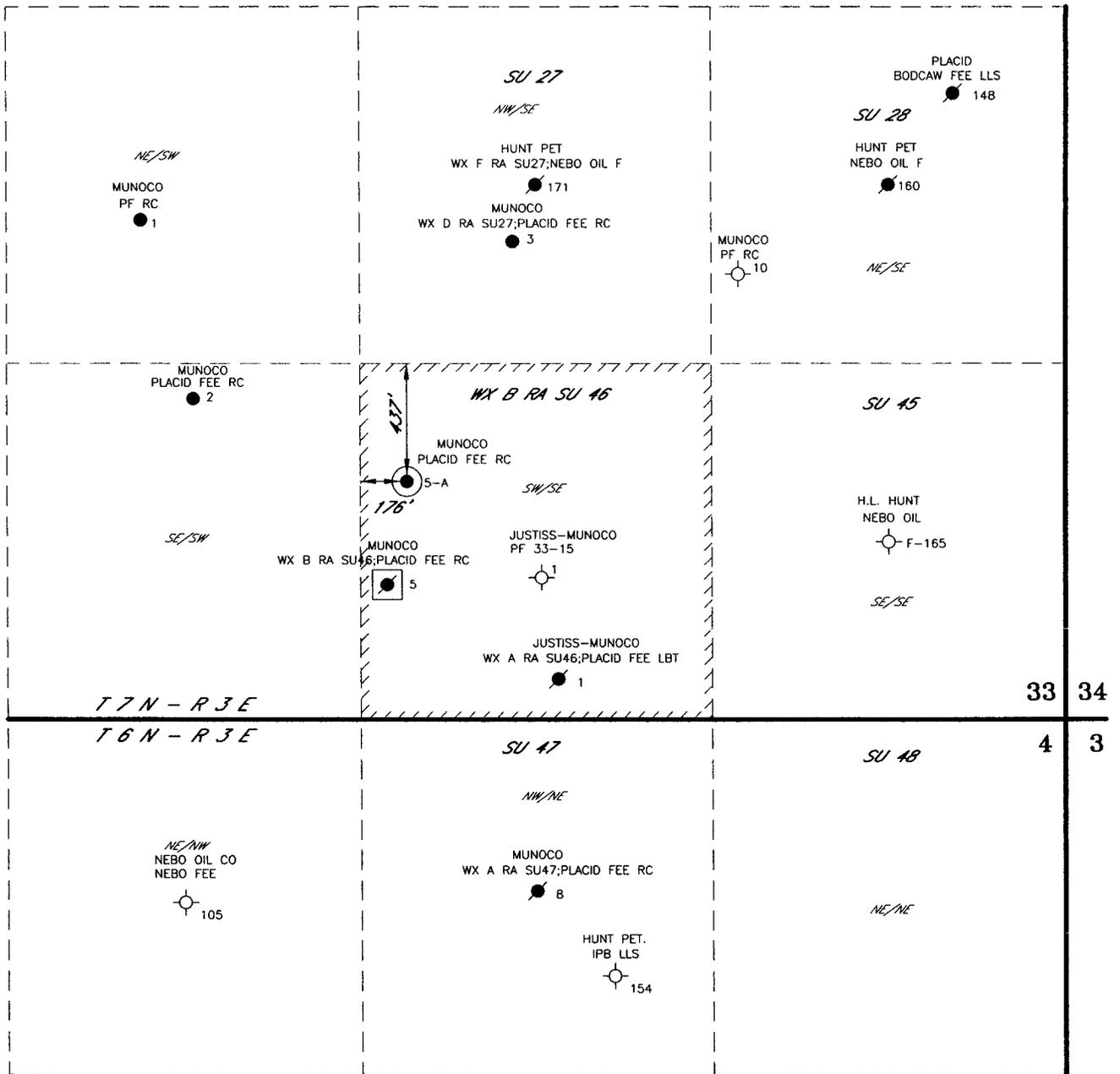
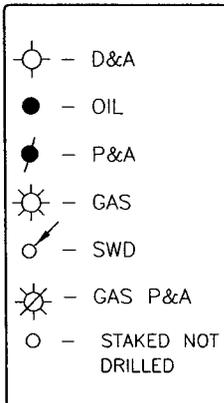


EXHIBIT NO. 1 DOCKET NO. \_\_\_\_\_

## LEGEND

⊙ Proposed WX B RA SU 46 Substitute Unit Well at Exceptional Location

□ Existing WX B RA SU 46 Unit Well - P&A'd 6/28/2006



### MUNOCO COMPANY

EL DORADO, ARKANSAS

### UNIT PLAT

SUBSTITUTE UNIT WELL AT EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION FOR THE

### WX B RA SU46

PLACID FEE RC NO. 5-A (SN 232864)

WEST CATAHOULA LAKE FIELD  
LASALLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

*Jeanine Mulvihill's Drafting Service*

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APPROVED BY: **WJR** JOB No. **147.001**

DATE: **10/11/2006** SCALE: **1" = 600'**