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matter, refer to file No. 2046

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

Re: Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A
Greenwood-Waskom Field
Caddo Parish, Louisiana

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Sir:

Petrohawk Operating Company hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in the Greenwood-Waskom Field, Caddo Parish, Louisiana:

1. To create three (3) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in the Greenwood-Waskom Field, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, to be designated HA RA SU55, HA RA SU56 and HA RA SU57, as shown outlined on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests located within the proposed units in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
3. To designate unit wells and unit operators, as appropriate;
4. To redefine the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR as proposed HA RA SU55, HA RA SU56 and HA RA SU57 are concerned, as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 9,828 feet and 11,145 feet (electric log measurements) in the Encore Operating Louisiana, LLC (formerly Greystone Oil & Gas, LLP) - Querbes No. 2 Well, located in Section 29, Township 16 North, Range 16 West, Caddo Parish, Louisiana;
5. To confirm that with respect to horizontal wells drilled to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in the proposed units, where the horizontal lateral portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, the distance to any unit boundary or offset well(s) will be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well, and not based on the penetration point or terminus;

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6. To extend to the proposed units all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 270-MM, effective June 19, 2007, and as amended and supplemented by the 270-MM Series of Orders, except to the extent inconsistent herewith; and
7. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in the Greenwood-Waskom Field, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 270-MM, effective June 19, 2007, and is to be redefined INsofar AND ONLY INsofar as HA RA SU55, HA RA SU56 and HA RA SU57 are concerned as provided herein.

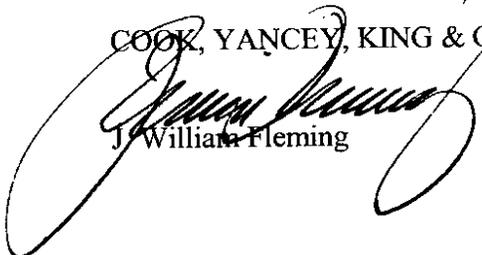
Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained at the cost of the requesting party, from Mr. Craig Barclay, 522 Dumbarton Drive, Shreveport, Louisiana 71106, at telephone number (318) 869-2223.

A Pre-Application Notice letter dated July 27, 2009, was circulated in connection with this matter. There was no request received for a conference; accordingly, no conference will be held.

The list of parties attached to the copies of this application being sent to the Office of Conservation includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search. A copy of this application, with plat attached, is being sent to each such party. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, the list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy of it. Enclosed with the copy of this application being sent to the Commissioner is a check for the application fee.

Yours very truly,

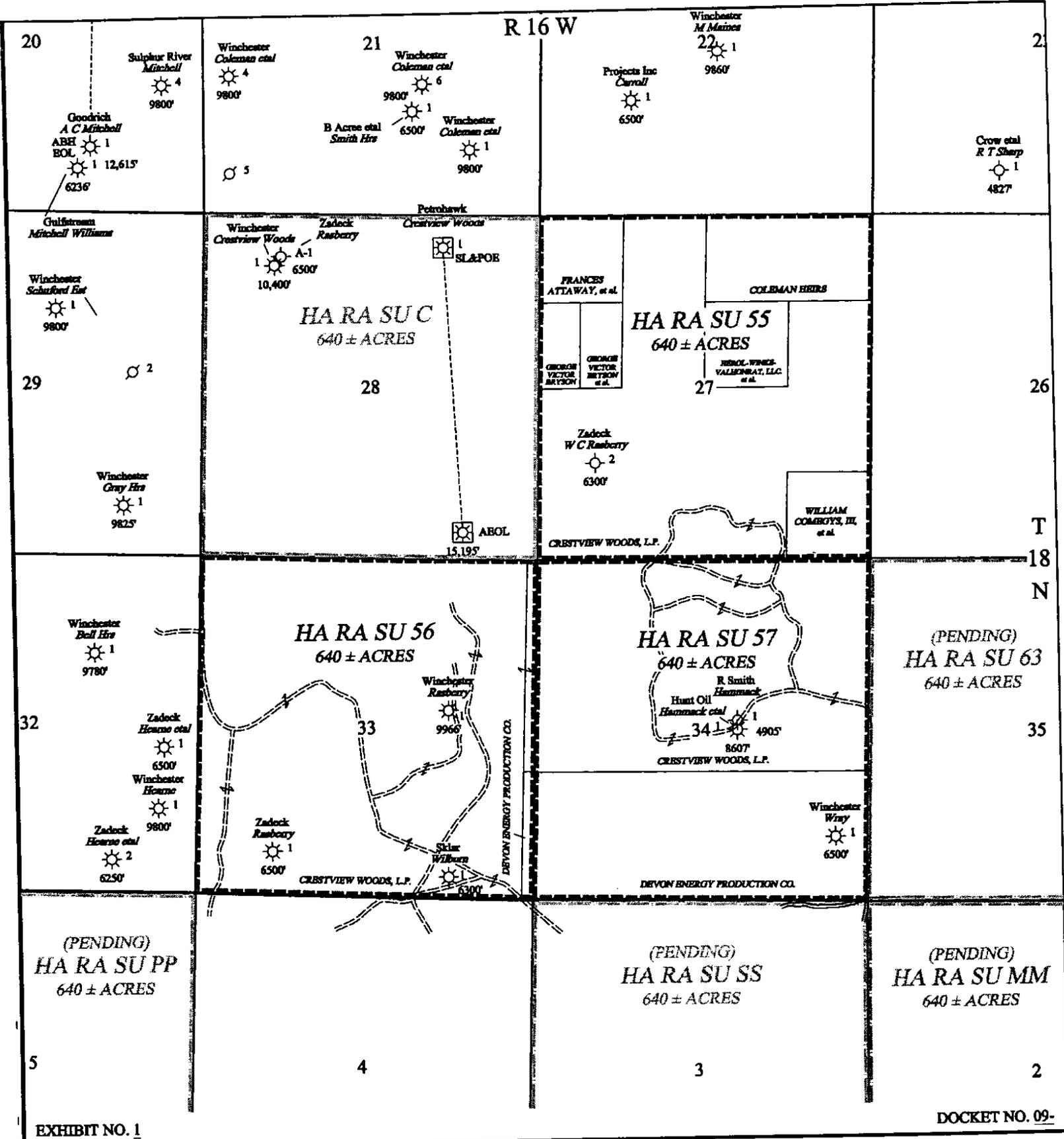
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Enclosures

cc: James C. Broussard, District Manager
Interested Owners, Represented
Parties and Interested Parties
Mr. Craig Barclay
Mr. Matt Huffty



PETROHAWK OPERATING COMPANY
Tulsa, Oklahoma

GREENWOOD-WASKOM FIELD
Caddo Parish, Louisiana

PROPOSED HAYNESVILLE ZONE, RESERVOIR A SAND UNITS 55, 56, 57

- : PROPOSED HAYNESVILLE ZONE, RESERVOIR A SAND UNITS
- : PENDING/EXISTING HAYNESVILLE ZONE SAND UNITS
- : EXISTING HAYNESVILLE UNIT WELL



EXHIBIT NO. 1

DOCKET NO. 09-