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March 2, 2009

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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir D
Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B
Red River-Bull Bayou Field
DeSoto and Red River Parishes, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, L.L.C.** for the calling of public hearings, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters:

Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir D

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create four (4) drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir D, in the Red River-Bull Bayou Field, DeSoto and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, said units to be designated CV RD SUA through CV RD SUD, all as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir D, in the Red River-Bull Bayou Field, within or outside the units created herein, should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
4. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir D, in the Red River-Bull Bayou Field, is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing formation encountered between the depths of 9,134 feet and 9,860 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Sklar Energy, LLC – Minor No. 1 Well, located in Section 7, Township 12 North, Range 11 West, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B

1. To create four (4) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B, in the Red River-Bull Bayou Field,

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DeSoto and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, said units to be designated HA RB SUEE through HA RA SUHH, all as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.

2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.

3. To extend to the proposed additional units pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 109-X-4, as amended and supplemented by the 109-X Series of Orders and applicable Statewide Orders.

4. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B, in the Red River-Bull Bayou Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 109-X-4, effective November 6, 2008.

Any pertinent data, including well logs, not available at the Office of Conservation, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from Joe B. Adams, 21010 Vermont St., Livingston, LA 70754, Telephone Number (225) 686-2355.

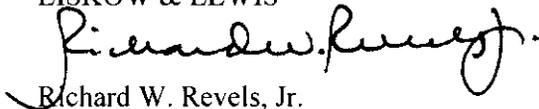
Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for March 11, 2009, **WILL NOT BE HELD**.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this pre-application notice is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, 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 furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$1,510.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

LISKOW & LEWIS



Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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Attachments

cc: Mr. James Broussard, Shreveport District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

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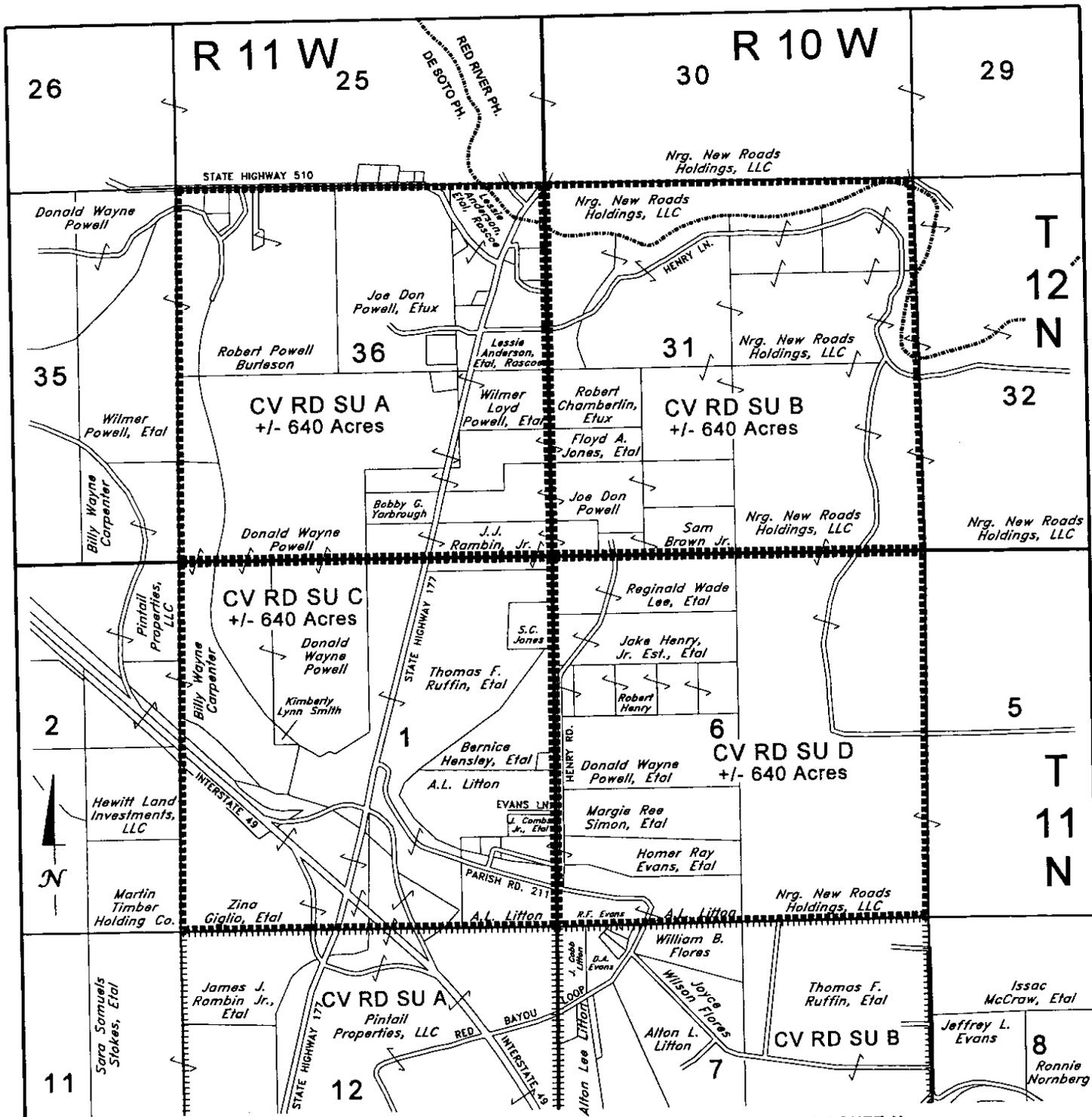


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**RED RIVER - BULL BAYOU FIELD
DE SOTO & RED RIVER PARISHES, LOUISIANA**

**Proposed Units
Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir D**

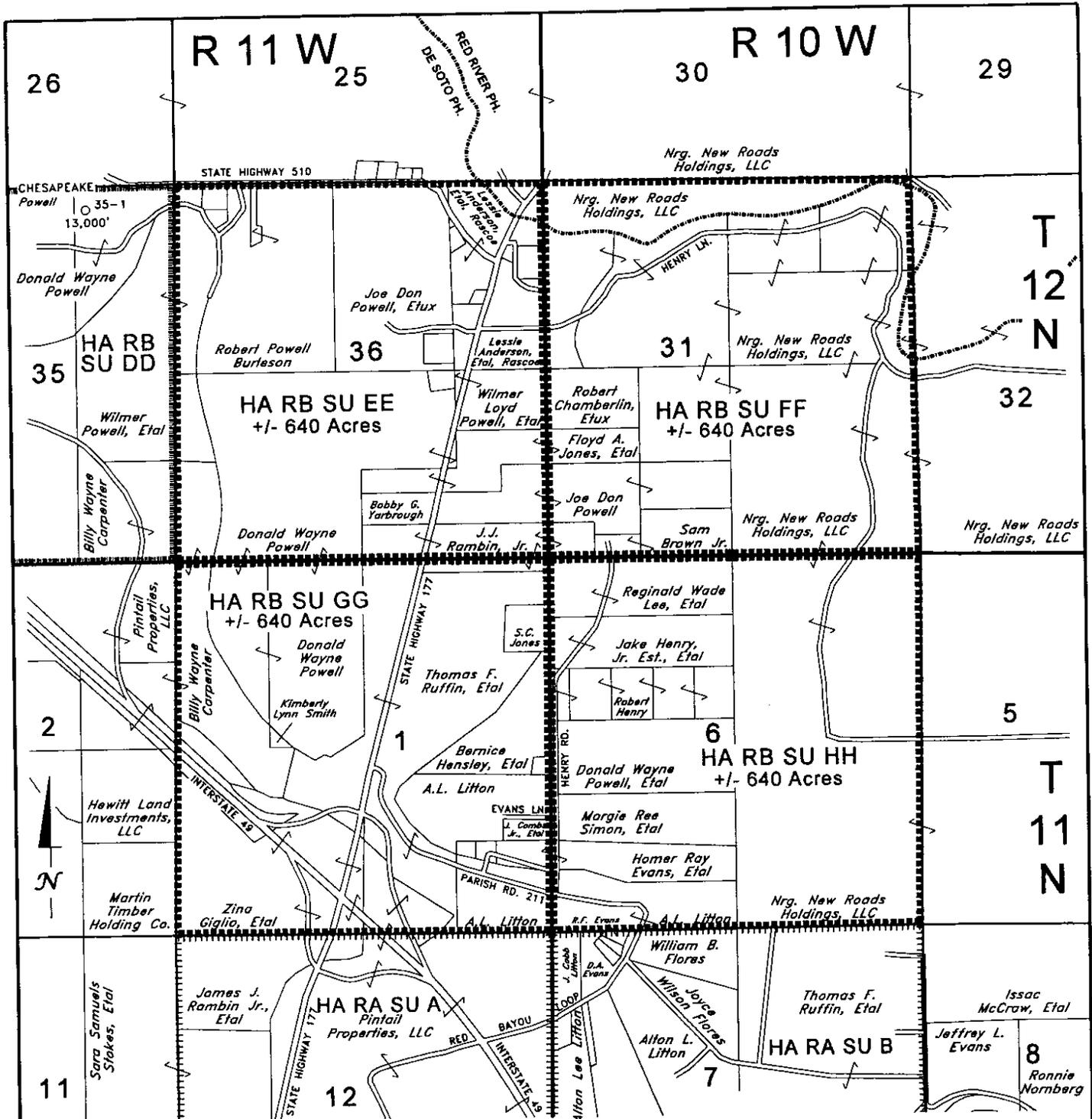


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- - PROPOSED UNITS
- - PENDING CV UNITS (CHEMARD LAKE FIELD)

NOTE: ALL UNIT BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC.

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- - PROPOSED UNITS
- - PENDING HB UNIT
- - PENDING HA UNITS (CHEMARD LAKE FIELD)

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 NOTE: THE WELL WILL NOT BE PERFORATED LESS THAN 330' FROM ANY UNIT LINES.

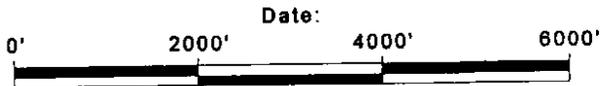

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