

BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

IN THE MATTER OF NORTH RANGE EXPLORATION,  
LLC FAILURE TO SUBMIT COMPLETION DATA FOR  
THE PILLARS 32-2 WELL (API #25-111-21276) LOCATED  
IN TOWNSHIP 3S, RANGE 25E, YELLOWSTONE  
COUNTY, MONTANA.

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 15-A-2022

North Range Exploration, LLC (North Range) is the operator of the Pillars 32-2 well, API # 25-111-21276, located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 32, T3S-R25E, Yellowstone County, Montana. This well was spud in 2013.

Board staff has made multiple requests for the missing well data required by ARM 36.22.1013. ARM 36.22.1013 requires an operator of a well to file completion reports, well logs, analyses, reports and surveys within 30 days of the well completion. No response was received to these letters.

On November 10, 2022, a certified letter was sent to North Range with a December 2, 2022, deadline to submit the completion data, or this matter would be brought up at the December 7, 2022, Board Business meeting. No response was received.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board that North Range Exploration, LLC must show cause at the February 2, 2023, public hearing, as to why it should not have to file missing completion data for the Pillars 32-2 well in Yellowstone County, Montana.

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022

Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation

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Benjamin Jones, Administrator