



MORNINGSTAR
OPERATING

February 19, 2026

Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation
Ben Jones
2535 St. Johns Avenue
Billings, MT 59102

**RE: MorningStar Operating LLC
Request for Determination of Decline Rate for
Applicable Tax Incentives**

Mr. Jones:

MorningStar Operating LLC respectfully requests a determination of the decline rate for the wells listed below. These wells were recompleted (refrac'd) horizontal Bakken producers. In order to ensure appropriate severance tax reductions are applied through the Montana Department of Revenue, an evaluation from the Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation is necessary.

API	Well	Refrac First Pr	T	R	S
25-083-22262	Frostbite Edith 6-15H	9/3/2025	23N	57E	6
25-083-22089	Frostbite Don 7-2H	9/28/2025	23N	57E	7
25-083-22363	Halvorsen State 21X-36	10/2/2025	23N	57E	36
25-083-21980	BR 44X-1	11/17/2025	24N	54E	1

MorningStar Operating LLC is committed to working with the MBOGC to develop and finalize adjusted production decline rates for the wells listed. We have included the decline rate data with this request for your review.

Morningstar Operating LLC respectfully requests this matter be placed on the April 2026 hearing docket. We appreciate your time and look forward to your guidance.

Sincerely,

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GAS CONSERVATION • BILLINGS

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF AVANTI HELIUM US, INC. FOR AN EXEMPTION FROM OR EXCEPTION TO BOARD RULES 36.22.1219, 36.22.1220 AND 36.22.1221, ALL RELATING TO THE VENTING OR WASTE OF GAS.	APPLICATION DOCKET NO. <u>240</u> - 2026
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Avanti Helium US, Inc. ("Applicant"), Suite 1810, 840 – 7th Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2P 3G2, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is the owner of oil and gas leasehold interests in, to and under the following lands and Operator of the gas wells set forth hereafter:

Township 37 North, Range 4 East, MPM
Section 21: All
Section 22: All
Containing 1,280.00 acres
Liberty County, Montana

2. Applicant has drilled and completed the following wells as producers of gaseous substances from formations below the top of the Nisku Formation:

(a) Western Natural Gas 10-21
API No. 25-051-21846
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 21, T37N, R4E
2,308' FSL & 1,547' FEL

(b) Western Natural Gas 11-22
API No. 25-051-21843
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 22, T37N, R4E
2,410' FSL & 1,902' FWL

The subject wells are helium-targeted, nitrogen-dominant production wells and are not conventional hydrocarbon development wells.

3. The produced gas stream from each of the above wells contains approximately 98% to 99% inert gases (primarily nitrogen) with only 1% methane and trace other hydrocarbons. As part of the helium extraction process a residual waste gas stream is generated that remains overwhelmingly inert with extremely limited combustible content. Because of the extremely low heating value of this stream conventional combustion-based control

technologies such as flaring, catalytic oxidation or regenerative thermal oxidation cannot operate without the continuous addition of significant amounts of supplemental fuel gas, all at great expense. Applicant's engineering and economic evaluations indicate the foregoing combustion options would increase total plant capital costs by approximately 20% to 30%, while also introducing substantial ongoing operating costs associated with purchased fuel gas, added compression requirements, controls systems, continuous equipment operation. In addition to cost impacts, these alternatives materially increase plant operational complexity and reliability risk through the addition of high-temperature combustion systems, monitoring requirements, and ongoing maintenance obligations that are disproportionate to the environmental profile of a nitrogen-dominant vent stream.

Importantly, lifecycle emissions analysis demonstrates that combustion-based options would increase overall greenhouse gas emissions, as large volumes of supplemental fuel are required to sustain combustion. These added combustion emissions may also introduce additional regulatory implications, including the potential to trigger Montana DEQ air permitting thresholds, which would not otherwise apply under controlled venting conditions. The economic analysis submitted in support of this Application reflects project-level cash flow and does not incorporate prior exploration capital expenditures, land acquisition costs, or broader corporate overhead. As a helium exploration and development company, Applicant requires robust project-level returns to fund continued exploratory drilling and resource development. Mandating combustion-based controls materially degrades project economics without corresponding environmental benefit.

For these reasons, Avanti is seeking a rule-specific exemption allowing controlled venting under defined operational safeguards for nitrogen-dominant helium production streams meeting strict methane concentration limits, monitoring requirements, and agency oversight. Applicant's object is to apply a technically appropriate and proportionate management approach aligned with the unique characteristics of helium exploration and development.

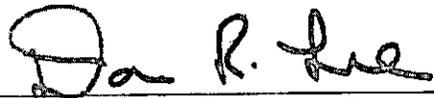
4. Applicant requests an Order from this Board granting a specific exemption or exception to the foregoing Board Rules allowing controlled venting of gas under defined operational safeguards, including maintenance of low-methane concentration consistent with nitrogen-dominant production, periodic gas composition testing, documented vent stream monitoring, and notification to the Board of material changes in gas composition occur. Applicant acknowledges that appropriate monitoring, verification, and notification requirements may be established by the Board as part of any Order issued.
5. Applicant believes that approval and granting of the request herein will be in the best interests of prevention of waste of gaseous substances and the conservation thereof and will not adversely affect the correlative rights of any party.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests the following:

1. This matter be set for hearing by the Board and notice thereof be given as required by law;
2. After hearing this matter the Board enter its Order granting and approving an exemption or exception to Board gas venting Rules 36.22.1219, 36.22.1220 and 36.22.1221; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated March 2, 2026.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING A PERMANENT SPACING UNIT ("PSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 22, 23, 26, 27, 34 AND 35, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM APPLICANT'S ROCKY WEST 1H WELL, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 241-2026
APPLICATION

WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC, 5810 TENNYSON PKWY, SUITE 500, PLANO, TX 75024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described tract, and its Rocky West 1H has been successfully completed as a commercial producer of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation thereunder.

2. To efficiently and economically develop the reservoir, and to protect correlative rights of all owners in the captioned lands, all of Sections 22, 23, 26, 27, 34 & 35, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana should be designated a PSU for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from Applicant's Rocky West 1H well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order designating all of Sections 22, 23, 26, 27, 34 & 35, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, a PSU for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from Applicant's Rocky West 1H well.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 2026.

WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC FOR AN ORDER POOLING ALL INTERESTS IN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT ("PSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 22, 23, 26, 27, 34 AND 35, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM APPLICANT'S ROCKY WEST 1H WELL, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

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1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described tract, and its Rocky West 1H well has been successfully completed as a commercial producer of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation thereunder.

2. It is anticipated that the captioned lands will comprise a PSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production, as to the Rocky West 1H well, pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

3. As of the date of this application, Applicant has been unable to establish voluntary pooling of all interests within the PSU with respect to the Rocky West 1H well, and it is anticipated that such pooling cannot be consummated prior to the hearing on this application.

4. In the absence of voluntarily pooling all interests within the proposed PSU, the pooling of all interests in the spacing unit for the development and operation thereof should be effectuated by an order of the Board for that purpose.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order pooling all interests in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 22, 23, 26, 27, 34 & 35, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation with respect to the Rocky West 1H well.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 243-2026
APPLICATION

WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC, 5810 TENNYSON PKWY, SUITE 500, PLANO, TX 75024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described tract, and its Rocky Infill 2H has been successfully completed as a commercial producer of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation thereunder.

2. To efficiently and economically develop the reservoir, and to protect correlative rights of all owners in the captioned lands, all of Sections 23, 26 & 35, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana should be designated a PSU for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from Applicant's Rocky Infill 2H well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order designating all of Sections 23, 26 & 35, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, a PSU for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from Applicant's Rocky Infill 2H well.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 244-2026
APPLICATION

WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC, 5810 TENNYSON PKWY, SUITE 500, PLANO, TX 75024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described tract, and its Rocky Infill 2H well has been successfully completed as a commercial producer of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation thereunder.

2. It is anticipated that the captioned lands will comprise a PSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production, as to the Rocky Infill 2H well, pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

3. As of the date of this application, Applicant has been unable to establish voluntary pooling of all interests within the PSU with respect to the Rocky Infill 2H well, and it is anticipated that such pooling cannot be consummated prior to the hearing on this application.

4. In the absence of voluntarily pooling all interests within the proposed PSU, the pooling of all interests in the spacing unit for the development and operation thereof should be effectuated by an order of the Board for that purpose.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order pooling all interests in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 23, 26 & 35, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation with respect to the Rocky Infill 2H well.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 245-2026
APPLICATION

WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC, 5810 TENNYSON PKWY, SUITE 500, PLANO, TX 75024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described tract, and its Rocky West 1H has been successfully completed as a commercial producer of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation thereunder.

2. To efficiently and economically develop the reservoir, and to protect correlative rights of all owners in the captioned lands, all of Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 & 36, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana should be designated a PSU for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from Applicant's Rocky East 3H well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order designating all of Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 & 36, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, a PSU for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from Applicant's Rocky East 3H well.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 246-2026

APPLICATION

WHITE ROCK OIL & GAS, LLC, 5810 TENNYSON PKWY, SUITE 500, PLANO, TX 75024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described tract, and its Rocky East 3H well has been successfully completed as a commercial producer of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation thereunder.

2. It is anticipated that the captioned lands will comprise a PSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production, as to the Rocky East 3H well, pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

3. As of the date of this application, Applicant has been unable to establish voluntary pooling of all interests within the PSU with respect to the Rocky East 3H well, and it is anticipated that such pooling cannot be consummated prior to the hearing on this application.

4. In the absence of voluntarily pooling all interests within the proposed PSU, the pooling of all interests in the spacing unit for the development and operation thereof should be effectuated by an order of the Board for that purpose.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order pooling all interests in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 & 36, Township 23 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, for the production of oil and associated natural gas from the Bakken/Three Forks formation with respect to the Rocky East 3H well, and authorizing recovery of non-consent penalties in accordance with Section 82-11-202(2), M.C.A., with respect to the Rocky East 3H well.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MORNINGSTAR OPERATING LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 16, 17, 20, 21, 28 & 29, TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT A LOCATION PROXIMATE TO THE COMMON BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 16 & 21, AND THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF SECTION 28, & THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF SECTION 17, AND THE PERMANENT SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 20 & 29, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, WITH A 200' HEEL/TOE SETBACK, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE BOARD MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO 247-2026
APPLICATION

MORNINGSTAR OPERATING LLC, 400 W 7TH ST., FORT WORTH, TX 76102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 16, 17, 20, 21, 28 and 29, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Sections 16 and 21, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, comprise a permanent spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 139-2015. Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, comprise a permanent spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 250-2003. Section 17, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, comprise a permanent spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 99-2002. And Sections 20 and 29, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, comprise a permanent spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 50-2004. Applicant operates all of the wells in the base permanent spacing units.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well in an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 16, 17, 20, 21, 28 and 29, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. The well will be drilled at a location proximate to the common boundary between all of Sections 16, 21 & 28, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, & Sections 17, 20 & 29, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, with a heel/toe setback of 200'.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 16, 17, 20, 21, 28 and 29, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, for purposes of drilling a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location proximate to the common boundary between all of Sections 16, 21 & 28, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, & Sections 17, 20 & 29, Township 24 North, Range 56 East, with a heel/toe setback of 200', and providing that the OTSU shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well with no allocation to portions of any existing spacing unit located outside of the OTSU boundaries; and (ii) any other relief that the Board deems appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MORNINGSTAR OPERATING LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 30 & 31, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 660' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, CLARIFYING BOARD ORDER NOS. 15-2005 AND 187-2002, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE BOARD MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 249-2026
APPLICATION

MORNINGSTAR OPERATING LLC, 400 W 7TH ST., FORT WORTH, TX 76102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 30 and 31, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. All of Section 30, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, is subject to Board Order 15-2005, and MorningStar Operating LLC operates the Doright-Betty 30-2H & Doright-Betty 30-4H wells located in the spacing unit. All of Section 31, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, is subject to Board Order 187-2002, and MorningStar Operating LLC operates the Burning Tree-Jessie 31-3-HID3, Burning Tree-Luren 31-4H & Burning Tree-Julson 31-16-H wells located in the spacing unit.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 660' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of Sections 30 and 31, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Section 30, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Board Order 15-2005 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Doright-Betty 30-2H & Doright-Betty 30-4H wells. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Section 31, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Board Order 187-2002 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Burning Tree-Jessie 31-3-HID3, Burning Tree-Luren 31-4H & Burning Tree-Julson 31-16-H wells.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 30 and 31, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel

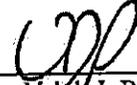
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toe setback) / 660' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 15-2005 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Doright-Betty 30-2H & Doright-Betty 30-4H wells; (iii) amending Board Order 187-2002 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Burning Tree-Jessie 31-3-HID3, Burning Tree-Luren 31-4H & Burning Tree-Julson 31-16-H wells; and (iv) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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MORNINGSTAR OPERATING LLC, 400 W 7TH ST., FORT WORTH, TX 76102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 29, 30, 31 & 32, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Sections 29 and 32, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, comprise a permanent spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 378-2004. Section 30, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, comprise a permanent spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 15-2005. And Section 31, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, comprise a permanent spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 187-2002.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well in an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 29, 30, 31 & 32, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. The well will be drilled at a location proximate to the common boundary between all of Sections 29 & 32, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, and all of Sections 30 & 31, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, with a heel/toe setback of 200'.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

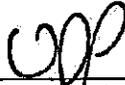
[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 29, 30, 31 & 32, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, for purposes of drilling a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location proximate to the common boundary between all of all of Sections 29 & 32, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, and all of Sections 30 & 31, Township 25 North, Range

55 East, with a heel/toe setback of 200', and providing that the OTSU shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well with no allocation to portions of any existing spacing unit located outside of the OTSU boundaries; and (ii) any other relief that the Board deems appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

MORNINGSTAR OPERATING LLC

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1, 2 AND 3, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, CLARIFYING BOARD ORDER NOS. 17-2014, 333-2013 AND 159-2012, VACATING BOARD ORDERS 18-2014, 334-2013 AND 160-2012, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 25-2026

APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 1, 2 and 3, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Section 1 (along with Section 12) is presently subject to Board Orders 16-2014 (PSU), 17-2014 (Pooling), and 18-2014 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Iversen Bros #31-1-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 1 & 12, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 2 (along with Section 11) is presently subject to Board Orders 332-2013 (PSU), 333-2013 (Pooling), and 334-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Sundheim #31-2-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 2 & 11, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 3 (along with Section 10) is presently subject to Board Orders 158-2012 (PSU), 159-2012 (Pooling), and 160-2012 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Barter #21-3H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 3 & 10, Township 25 North, Range 57 East.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 1, 2 and 3, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 1 & 12, Board Order 17-2014 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Iversen Bros #31-1-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 2 & 11, Board Order 333-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #31-2-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 3 & 10, Board Order 159-2012 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Barter #21-3H well. It will also be necessary to vacate Board Orders 18-2014, 334-2013 and 160-2012.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of ALL of Sections 1, 2 and 3, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 17-2014 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Iversen Bros #31-1-1H well; (iii) amending Board Order 333-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #31-2-1H well; (iv) amending Board Order 159-2012 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Barter #21-3H well; (v) vacating Board Orders 18-2014, 334-2013 and 160-2012; and (vi) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE (3) ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1, 2 AND 3, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 251-2026
APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 1, 2 and 3, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. It is anticipated that such lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the OTSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of all of Sections 1, 2 and 3, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 10, 11 AND 12, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, CLARIFYING BOARD ORDER NOS. 17-2014, 333-2013 AND 159-2012, VACATING BOARD ORDERS 18-2014, 334-2013 AND 160-2012, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 252-2026

APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 10, 11 and 12, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Section 12 (along with Section 1) is presently subject to Board Orders 16-2014 (PSU), 17-2014 (Pooling), and 18-2014 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Iversen Bros #31-1-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 1 & 12, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 11 (along with Section 2) is presently subject to Board Orders 332-2013 (PSU), 333-2013 (Pooling), and 334-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Sundheim #31-2-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 2 & 11, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 10 (along with Section 3) is presently subject to Board Orders 158-2012 (PSU), 159-2012 (Pooling), and 160-2012 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Barter #21-3H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 3 & 10, Township 25 North, Range 57 East.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 10, 11 and 12, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 1 & 12, Board Order 17-2014 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Iversen Bros #31-1-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 2 & 11, Board Order 333-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #31-2-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 3 & 10, Board Order 159-2012 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Barter #21-3H well. It will also be necessary to vacate Board Orders 18-2014, 334-2013 and 160-2012.

3. The SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 10, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, include federal minerals and, therefore, the MOU between the United States BLM and the Board is applicable.

4. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] **Requests:**

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of ALL of Sections 10, 11 and 12, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 17-2014 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Iversen Bros #31-1-1H well; (iii) amending Board Order 333-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #31-2-1H well; (iv) amending Board Order 159-2012 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Barter #21-3H well; (v) vacating Board Orders 18-2014, 334-2013 and 160-2012; and (vi) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 253-2026
APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 10, 11 and 12, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. It is anticipated that such lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the OTSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

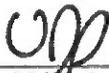
[B] Requests:

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2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of all of Sections 10, 11 and 12, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 15, 16 AND 17, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, CLARIFYING BOARD ORDER NOS. 570-2012, 20-2013 AND 163-2013, VACATING BOARD ORDERS 571-2012, 21-2013 AND 164-2013, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 254-2026

APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 15, 16 and 17, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Section 15 (along with Section 22) is presently subject to Board Orders 569-2012 (PSU), 570-2012 (Pooling), and 571-2012 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Kilen #21-15-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 15 & 22, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 16 (along with Section 21) is presently subject to Board Orders 19-2013 (PSU), 20-2013 (Pooling), and 21-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Norby #21-16-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 & 21, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 17 (along with Section 20) is presently subject to Board Orders 162-2013 (PSU), 163-2013 (Pooling), and 164-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Vitt #31-17-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 57 East.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 15, 16 and 17, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 15 & 22, Board Order 570-2012 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kilen #21-15-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 16 & 21, Board Order 20-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Norby #21-16-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 17 & 20, Board Order 163-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Vitt #31-17-1H well. It will also be necessary to vacate Board Orders 571-2012, 21-2013 and 164-2013.

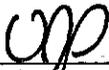
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

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2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of ALL of Sections 15, 16 and 17, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 570-2012 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kilen #21-15-1H well; (iii) amending Board Order 20-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Norby #21-16-1H well; (iv) amending Board Order 163-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Vitt #31-17-1H well; (v) vacating Board Orders 571-2012, 21-2013 and 164-2013; and (vi) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 255-2026

APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 15, 16 and 17, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. It is anticipated that such lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the OTSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

[B] Requests:

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2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of all of Sections 15, 16 and 17, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 256-2026

APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 20, 21 and 22, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Section 22 (along with Section 15) is presently subject to Board Orders 569-2012 (PSU), 570-2012 (Pooling), and 571-2012 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Kilen #21-15-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 15 & 22, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 21 (along with Section 16) is presently subject to Board Orders 19-2013 (PSU), 20-2013 (Pooling), and 21-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Norby #21-16-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 16 & 21, Township 25 North, Range 57 East. Section 20 (along with Section 17) is presently subject to Board Orders 162-2013 (PSU), 163-2013 (Pooling), and 164-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Vitt #31-17-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 57 East.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 20, 21 and 22, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 15 & 22, Board Order 570-2012 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kilen #21-15-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 16 & 21, Board Order 20-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Norby #21-16-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 17 & 20, Board Order 163-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Vitt #31-17-1H well. It will also be necessary to vacate Board Orders 571-2012, 21-2013 and 164-2013.

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1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of ALL of Sections 20, 21 and 22, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 570-2012 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kilen #21-15-1H well; (iii) amending Board Order 20-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Norby #21-16-1H well; (iv) amending Board Order 163-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Vitt #31-17-1H well; (v) vacating Board Orders 571-2012, 21-2013 and 164-2013; and (vi) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE (3) ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 20, 21 AND 22, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 257-2026

APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 20, 21 and 22, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. It is anticipated that such lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the OTSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of all of Sections 20, 21 and 22, Township 25 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5, 8, 17 AND 20, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, CLARIFYING BOARD ORDER NOS. 326-2012, 420-2013 AND 258-2013, AMENDING BOARD ORDER 327-2012, VACATING BOARD ORDER 259-2013, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 259-2026

APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 5, 8, 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Sections 5 & 8 are presently subject to Board Orders 325-2012 (PSU), 326-2012 (Pooling – Kittleson 24-8TFH), 420-2013 (Pooling – Sundheim #44-8-3H), and 327-2012 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Kittleson 24-8TFH and Sundheim #44-8-3H wells located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 5 & 8, Township 25 North, Range 58 East. Sections 17 & 20 are presently subject to Board Orders 257-2013 (PSU), 258-2013 (Pooling), and 259-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Sundheim #31-17-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 58 East.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 5, 8, 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 5 & 8, Board Order 326-2012 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kittleson 24-8TFH well, and Board Order 420-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #44-8-3H well. In addition, Increased Density Order 327-2012 authorized the drilling of up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells, but only one (1) of the infill wells has been drilled. We are therefore asking that Order 327-2012 be amended to authorize the drilling of one (1) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within the permanent spacing unit comprised of Sections 5 & 8, Township 25 North, Range 58 East. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 17 & 20, Board Order 258-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #31-17-1H well. It will also be necessary to vacate Board Order 259-2013.

3. Lot 4 (NW¼NW¼) of Section 5 and the NE¼NE¼ of Section 8, Township 25 North, Range 58 East, include federal minerals and, therefore, the MOU between the United States BLM and the Board is applicable.

4. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of ALL of Sections 5, 8, 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 326-2012 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kittleson 24-8TFH well; (iii) amending Board Order 420-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #44-8-3H well; (iv) amending Board Order 258-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim #31-17-1H well; (v) amending Board Order 327-2012 to authorize the drilling of one (1) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within the permanent spacing unit comprised of Sections 5 & 8, Township 25 North, Range 58 East; (vi) vacating Board Order 259-2013, and (vii) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE (3) ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5, 8, 17 AND 20, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 259-2026
APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 5, 8, 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. It is anticipated that such lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the OTSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of all of Sections 5, 8, 17 & 20, Township 25 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 14, 23, 26 AND 35, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, CLARIFYING BOARD ORDER NOS. 29-2013 AND 166-2013, VACATING BOARD ORDER NOS. 30-2013 AND 167-2013, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 260-2026
APPLICATION

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 14, 23, 26 & 35, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. Sections 14 & 23 are presently subject to Board Orders 28-2013 (PSU), 29-2013 (Pooling) and 30-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Kittleson Federal #34-23-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 14 & 23, Township 26 North, Range 57 East. Sections 26 & 35 are presently subject to Board Orders 165-2013 (PSU), 166-2013 (Pooling) and 167-2013 (Inc. Density), and Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Sundheim Federal #24-35-1H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 26 & 35, Township 26 North, Range 57 East.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 14, 23, 26 & 35, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 14 & 23, Board Order 29-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kittleson Federal #34-23-1H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 26 & 35, Board Order 166-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim Federal #24-35-1H well. It will also be necessary to vacate Board Orders 30-2013 and 167-2013.

3. The S $\frac{1}{2}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 14, the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23, and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, include federal minerals and, therefore, the MOU between the United States BLM and the Board is applicable.

4. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of ALL of Sections 14, 23, 26 & 35, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 29-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Kittleson Federal #34-23-1H well; (iii) amending Board Order 166-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sundheim Federal #24-35-1H well; (iv) vacating Board Orders 30-2013 and 167-2013; and (v) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE (3) ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 14, 23, 26 AND 35, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

**MBOGC DOCKET NO. 261-2026
APPLICATION**

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 14, 23, 26 & 35, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana. It is anticipated that such lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the OTSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of all of Sections 14, 23, 26 & 35, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM NORTH AMERICA LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 13, 24, 25 AND 36, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, CLARIFYING BOARD ORDER NOS. 221-2013 AND 91-2015, VACATING BOARD ORDERS 222-2013 AND 226-2013, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 262-2026

APPLICATION

OASIS PETROLEUM NORTH AMERICA LLC, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 13, 24, 25 and 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana. Sections 13 & 24 are presently subject to Board Orders 221-2013 (PSU) and 222-2013 (inc. dens.), and Oasis Petroleum North America LLC operates the B&RT 2958 13-25H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 13 & 24, Township 29 North, Range 58 East. Sections 25 & 36 are presently subject to Board Orders 225-2013 (PSU), 91-2015 (pooling) and 226-2013 (inc. dens.), and Oasis Petroleum North America LLC operates the Dave T #2958 13-25H well located in the permanent spacing unit comprised of all of Sections 25 & 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 13, 24, 25 and 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 13 & 24, Board Order 221-2013 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the B&RT 2958 13-25H well. To preserve correlative rights of all interest owners in Sections 25 & 36, Board Order 91-2015 should be amended to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Dave T #2958 13-25H well. It will also be necessary to vacate Board Orders 222-2013 and 226-2013.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of ALL of Sections 13, 24, 25 and 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, and

authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof; (ii) amending Board Order 221-2013 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the B&RT 2958 13-25H well; (iii) amending Board Order 91-2015 to clarify that the order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Dave T #2958 13-25H well; (iv) vacating Board Orders 222-2013 and 226-2013; and (v) any other relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM NORTH AMERICA LLC FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE (3) ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 13, 24, 25 AND 36, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL TOE SETBACK) / 500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE OTSU, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 263-2026

APPLICATION

OASIS PETROLEUM NORTH AMERICA LLC, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 13, 24, 25 and 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana. It is anticipated that such lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the OTSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three (3) additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any location within, but not closer than 200' (heel toe setback) / 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of all of Sections 13, 24, 25 and 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF OASIS PETROLEUM NORTH AMERICA LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 13, 24, 25 & 36, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, AND ALL OF SECTIONS 18, 19, 30 & 31, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT A LOCATION PROXIMATE TO THE COMMON BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE PROPOSED OTSU COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 13, 24, 25 & 36, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, AND THE OTSU COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 18, 19, 30 & 31, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF THAT THE BOARD OR BLM MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 264-2026
APPLICATION

OASIS PETROLEUM NORTH AMERICA LLC, 1001 FANNIN STREET, STE 1500, HOUSTON, TX 77002

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of the captioned lands. It is anticipated that Sections 13, 24, 25 & 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order ____-2026. Sections 18, 19, 30 & 31, Township 29 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Board Order 182-2025.
2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well in an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 13, 24, 25 & 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, and all of Sections 18, 19, 30 & 31, Township 29 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana. The well will be drilled at a location proximate to the common boundary between Sections 13, 24, 25 & 36 and Sections 18, 19, 30 & 31, with a heel/toe setback of 200'.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter an order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of all of Sections 13, 24, 25 & 36, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, and all of Sections 18, 19, 30 & 31, Township 29 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, for purposes of drilling a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location proximate to the common boundary between Sections 13, 24, 25 & 36 and Sections 18, 19, 30 & 31, with a heel/toe setback of 200', and providing that the OTSU shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well with no allocation to portions of any existing spacing unit located outside of the OTSU boundaries; and (ii) any other relief that the Board deems appropriate.

Dated this 4th day of March, 2026.

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**BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC. FOR AN ORDER DESIGNATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 4, 9, 16, AND 21, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200 FEET FROM HEEL/TOE BOUNDARY AND 500 FEET FROM THE SIDE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT.

MBOGC Docket No.

205-2026

APPLICATION

APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT BOARD ORDER 436-2005 ESTABLISHING A TSU COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 4 AND 9, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST BE VACATED AND THAT BOARD ORDER 118-2013 ESTABLISHING A PSU COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 21 AND 26, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID SPACING UNIT IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE CARA 1-21H WELL

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within Sections 4, 9, 16 and 21, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, which tracts are presently spaced with respect to the Bakken/Three Forks Formation by Order:
 - 436-2005 – creating a temporary spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 4 and 9, T26N, R55E.
 - 118-2013 – creating a permanent spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 16 and 21, T26N, R55E for oil and gas production from the Cara 1-21H well.

Continental Resources, Inc. operates the Cara 1-21H well within the PSU.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200 feet to the heel/toe exterior boundaries and 500 feet to the lateral boundaries, of a temporary spacing unit (“TSU”) comprised of Sections 4, 9, 16 and 21, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the condition that the temporary spacing unit be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board’s consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relation to production from the well.
4. The proposed temporary spacing unit contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 26 North, Range 55 East

Section 4: E2SW

Section 9: NWNE, NENW

Section 21: E2NE, NWNE

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation enter its order
 - (i) Delineating an OTSU comprised of Sections 4, 9, 16 and 21, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the conditions that the overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well, and that within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, Applicant file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and all other matters relating to production of said well.
 - (ii) Authorizing the Applicant to locate its proposed horizontal well anywhere within such OTSU but not closer than 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries and no further than 500 feet from the side boundaries thereof and further providing that the 500' lateral setback authorization is only valid from one year of the date of the order. If no well is drilled and the 500' lateral setback is not renewed prior to the expiration of one year, the lateral setback for the first well in this unit shall be 1320' from the side boundaries.
 - (iii) Vacating Order 436-2005 and amending Order 118-2013 to clarify that said spacing unit is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Cara 1-21H well.
 - (iv) Any other relief that the Board may deem necessary and appropriate.

Dated March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

By Scotti Gray
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**BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.
FOR AUTHORIZATION TO DRILL UP TO
THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL
BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION
WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 4, 9
16, AND 21 TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH,
RANGE 55 EAST RICHLAND COUNTY,
MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT
CLOSER THAN 500 FEET TO THE SIDE
BOUNDARIES AND 200 FEET TO THE
TOE/HEEL BOUNDARIES OF SAID
SPACING UNIT

MBOGC Docket No.

APPLICATION

266-2026

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described lands:
2. The above-described lands are presently subject to a pending application to designate a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of said lands and authorize the drilling of a well in the TSU.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.
4. The proposed temporary spacing unit contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 26 North, Range 55 East

Section 5: E2NE, N2NW

Section 8: N2, N2S2, SESE

Section 17: E2NE

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

March 2, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC. FOR AN ORDER DESIGNATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5, 8, 17 AND 20, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200 FEET FROM HEEL/TOE BOUNDARY AND 500 FEET FROM THE SIDE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT.

MBOGC Docket No. 247-2026
APPLICATION

APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT BOARD ORDER 356-2011 ESTABLISHING A TSU COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 5 AND 8, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST BE VACATED AND THAT BOARD ORDER 469-2012 POOLING SECTIONS 17 AND 20, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID ORDER IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE WAGNER 1-17H WELL. APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT ORDER 470-2012 AUTHORIZING INCREASED DENSITY BE VACATED.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within Sections 5, 8, 17 and 20, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, which tracts are presently spaced with respect to the Bakken/Three Forks Formation by Order:
 - 356-2011 – creating a temporary spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 5 and 8, T26N, R55E.
 - 468-2012 – creating a permanent spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 17 and 20, T26N, R55E for oil and gas production from the Wagner 1-17H well.
 - 470-2012 authorizing 3 additional wells in the Wagner 1-17H unit.

Continental Resources, Inc. operates the Wagner 1-17H well within the PSU.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200 feet to the heel/toe exterior boundaries and 500 feet to the lateral boundaries, of a temporary spacing unit (“TSU”) comprised of Sections 5, 8, 17 and 20, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the condition that the temporary spacing unit be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board’s consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relation to production from the well.
4. The proposed temporary spacing unit contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 26 North, Range 55 East
Section 5: E2NE, N2NW
Section 8: N2, N2S2, SESE
Section 17: E2NE

[B] **Requests:**

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation enter its order:
 - (i) Delineating an OTSU comprised of Sections 5, 8, 17 and 20, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the conditions that the overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well, and that within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, Applicant file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and all other matters relating to production of said well.
 - (ii) Authorizing the Applicant to locate its proposed horizontal well anywhere within such OTSU but not closer than 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries and no further than 500 feet from the side boundaries thereof and further providing that the 500' lateral setback authorization is only valid from one year of the date of the order. If no well is drilled and the 500' lateral setback is not renewed prior to the expiration of one year, the lateral setback for the first well in this unit shall be 1320' from the side boundaries.
 - (iii) Vacating Orders 356-2011 and 470-2012. Amending Order 469-2012 to clarify that said order is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Wagner 1-17H well.
 - (iv) Any other relief that the Board may deem necessary and appropriate.

Dated March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.
FOR AUTHORIZATION TO DRILL UP TO
THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL
BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION
WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5, 8,
17, AND 20 TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH,
RANGE 55 EAST RICHLAND COUNTY,
MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT
CLOSER THAN 500 FEET TO THE SIDE
BOUNDARIES AND 200 FEET TO THE
TOE/HEEL BOUNDARIES OF SAID
SPACING UNIT

MBOGC Docket No.

269-2026

APPLICATION

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described lands:
2. The above-described lands are presently subject to a pending application to designate a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of said lands and authorize the drilling of a well in the TSU.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.
4. The proposed temporary spacing unit contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 26 North, Range 55 East

Section 5: E2NE, N2NW

Section 8: N2, N2S2, SESE

Section 17: E2NE

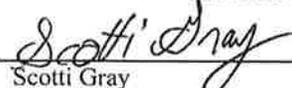
[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

March 2, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

By



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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC. FOR AN ORDER DESIGNATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 6, 7, 18, AND 19, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200 FEET FROM HEEL/TOE BOUNDARY AND 500 FEET FROM THE SIDE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT.

MBOGC Docket No.

269-2026

APPLICATION

APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT BOARD ORDER 113-2006 ESTABLISHING A SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 6 AND 7, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST BE VACATED AND THAT BOARD ORDER 128-2012 POOLING SECTIONS 18 AND 19, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID ORDER IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE PETERSON 1-18H WELL. APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT ORDER 137-2012 AUTHORIZING 3 ADDITIONAL WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF 18 AND 19, T26N, R55E BE VACATED.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within Sections 6, 7, 18 and 19, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, which tracts are presently spaced with respect to the Bakken/Three Forks Formation by Orders:
 - 113-2006 – creating a temporary spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 6 and 7, T26N, R55E.
 - 122-2012 – creating a permanent spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 16 and 21, T26N, R55E for oil and gas production from the Peterson 1-18H well
 - Order 137-2012 authorizing up to three additional wells in the Peterson 1-18H unit.

Continental Resources, Inc. operates the Peterson 1-18H well within the PSU.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200 feet to the heel/toe exterior boundaries and 500 feet to the lateral boundaries, of a temporary spacing unit (“TSU”) comprised of Sections 6, 7, 18 and 19, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the condition that the temporary spacing unit be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board’s consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relation to production from the well.
4. The proposed temporary spacing unit contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 26 North, Range 55 East
Section 6: S2NE

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation enter its order:
 - (i) Delineating an OTSU comprised of Sections 6, 7, 18 and 19, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the conditions that the overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well, and that within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, Applicant file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and all other matters relating to production of said well;
 - (ii) Authorizing the Applicant to locate its proposed horizontal well anywhere within such OTSU but not closer than 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries and no further than 500 feet from the side boundaries thereof and further providing that the 500' lateral setback authorization is only valid from one year of the date of the order. If no well is drilled and the 500' lateral setback is not renewed prior to the expiration of one year, the lateral setback for the first well in this unit shall be 1320' from the side boundaries.
 - (iii) Vacating Orders 113-2006 and 137-2012. Amending Order 128-2012 to clarify that said order is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Peterson 1-18H well.
 - (iv) Any other relief that the Board may deem necessary and appropriate.

Dated March 4, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

By Scotti Gray
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Attorney for Applicant

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.
FOR AUTHORIZATION TO DRILL UP TO
THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL
BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION
WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 6, 7,
18, AND 19, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH,
RANGE 55 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY,
MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT
CLOSER THAN 500 FEET TO THE SIDE
BOUNDARIES AND 200 FEET TO THE
TOE/HEEL BOUNDARIES OF SAID
SPACING UNIT

MBOGC Docket No.

270-2026

APPLICATION

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described lands:
2. The above-described lands are presently subject to a pending application to designate a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of said lands and authorize the drilling of a well in the TSU.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.
4. The proposed temporary spacing unit contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 26 North, Range 55 East
Section 6: S2NE

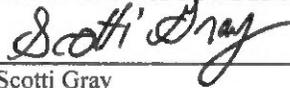
[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

By



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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC. FOR AN ORDER DESIGNATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 26 AND 35 TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST AND ALL OF SECTIONS 2 AND 11, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200 FEET FROM HEEL/TOE BOUNDARY AND 500 FEET FROM THE SIDE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT.

MBOGC Docket No.

271-2026

APPLICATION

APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT BOARD ORDER 436-2011 POOLING SECTIONS 2 AND 11, T25N, R55E, BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID ORDER IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE COCHRANE 1-11H WELL AND THAT ORDER 130-2012 AUTHORIZING 3 ADDITIONAL WELLS IN SAID UNIT BE VACATED

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within Sections 26 and 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, and Sections 2 and 11, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, which tracts are presently spaced with respect to the Bakken/Three Forks Formation by Order:
 - 435-2012 – creating a permanent spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 2 and 11, T25N, R55E for oil and gas production from the Cochrane 1-11H well.
 - 130-2012 – authorizing 3 additional wells in the Cochrane 1-11H unit.

Continental Resources, Inc. operates the Cochrane 1-11H well within the PSU.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200 feet to the heel/toe exterior boundaries and 500 feet to the lateral boundaries, of a temporary spacing unit (“TSU”) comprised of 26 and 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, and Sections 2 and 11, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the condition that the temporary spacing unit be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board’s consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relation to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation enter its order:
 - (i) Delineating an OTSU comprised of 26 and 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, and Sections 2 and 11, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the conditions that the overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production

from the proposed horizontal well, and that within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, Applicant file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and all other matters relating to production of said well.

- (ii) Authorizing the Applicant to locate its proposed horizontal well anywhere within such OTSU but not closer than 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries and no further than 500 feet from the side boundaries thereof and further providing that the 500' lateral setback authorization is only valid from one year of the date of the order. If no well is drilled and the 500' lateral setback is not renewed prior to the expiration of one year, the lateral setback for the first well in this unit shall be 1320' from the side boundaries.
- (iii) Vacating Order 130-2012 and amending Order 436-2011 to clarify that said Order is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Cochrane 1-11H well.
- (iv) Any other relief that the Board may deem necessary and appropriate.

Dated March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

By Scotti Gray
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Attorney for Applicant

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.
FOR AUTHORIZATION TO DRILL UP TO
THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL
BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION
WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 26
AND 35 TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE
55 EAST AND ALL OF SECTIONS 2 AND
11, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 55
EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY,
MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT
CLOSER THAN 500 FEET TO THE SIDE
BOUNDARIES AND 200 FEET TO THE
TOE/HEEL BOUNDARIES OF SAID
SPACING UNIT

MBOGC Docket No.

272-2026

APPLICATION

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described lands:
2. The above-described lands are presently subject to a pending application to designate a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of said lands and authorize the drilling of a well in the TSU.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC. FOR AN ORDER DESIGNATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 27 AND 34 TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST AND ALL OF SECTIONS 3 AND 10, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200 FEET FROM HEEL/TOE BOUNDARY AND 500 FEET FROM THE SIDE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT.

MBOGC Docket No.

273-2026

APPLICATION

APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT BOARD ORDER 346-2012 POOLING SECTIONS 34, T26N, R55E AND SECTION 3, T25N, R55E BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID ORDER IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE SHARON 1-3H WELL AND THAT ORDER 345-2012 AUTHORIZING 3 ADDITIONAL WELLS IN SAID UNIT BE VACATED

APPLICANT FUTURE REQUEST THAT ORDER 124-2006 ESTABLISHING A PSU COMPRISED OF SECTIONS 10 AND 15, T25N, R55E BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID SPACING UNIT IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE KATHERINE 1-15H WELL AND KATHERINE 2-15H WELL AND THAT ORDER 429-2011 BE AMENDED TO REQUEST UP TO TWO ADDITIONAL WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within Sections 27 and 34, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, which tracts are presently spaced with respect to the Bakken/Three Forks Formation by Order:
 - 344-2012 – creating a permanent spacing unit comprised of All of Section 3, T25N, R55E and All of Section 34, T26N, R55E for oil and gas production from the Sharon 1-3H well.
 - 345-2012 authorized up to 3 additional wells in the Sharon 1-3H unit.
 - 346-2012 pooled the interest in the Sharon 1-3H unit.
 - 124-2005 – creating a permanent spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 10 and 15, T26N, R55E for oil and gas production from the Katherine 1-15H and Katherine 2-15H wells.
 - 130-2006 – authorizing an additional dual horizontal lateral in the Katherine 1-15H and Katherine 2-15H unit.
 - 429-2011 – amending Order 130-2006 to authorize up to 4 additional wells and amending setbacks in the unit.

Continental Resources, Inc. operates the Sharon 1-3H, Katherine 1-15H and the Katherine 2-15H wells within the PSUs.

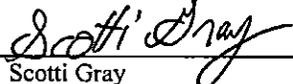
2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200 feet to the heel/toe exterior boundaries and 500 feet to the lateral boundaries, of a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of Sections 27 and 34, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the condition that the temporary spacing unit be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relation to production from the well.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation enter its order:
 - (i) Delineating an OTSU comprised of Sections 27 and 34, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 25 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the conditions that the overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well, and that within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, Applicant file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and all other matters relating to production of said well.
 - (ii) Authorizing the Applicant to locate its proposed horizontal well anywhere within such OTSU but not closer than 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries and no further than 500 feet from the side boundaries thereof and further providing that the 500' lateral setback authorization is only valid from one year of the date of the order. If no well is drilled and the 500' lateral setback is not renewed prior to the expiration of one year, the lateral setback for the first well in this unit shall be 1320' from the side boundaries.
 - (iii) Amending Order 346-2012 to clarify that said spacing unit is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Sharon 1-3H well and vacating Order 345-2012. Amending Order 124-2006 to clarify that said spacing unit is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Katherine 1-15H and Katherine 2-15H wells and amending Board Order 429-2011 to authorize up to two additional wells in the spacing unit.
 - (iv) Any other relief that the Board may deem necessary and appropriate.

Dated March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

By 
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Attorney for Applicant

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.
FOR AUTHORIZATION TO DRILL UP TO
THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL
BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION
WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT
COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 27
AND 34 TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE
55 EAST AND ALL OF SECTIONS 3 AND
10, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 55
EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY,
MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT
CLOSER THAN 500 FEET TO THE SIDE
BOUNDARIES AND 200 FEET TO THE
TOE/HEEL BOUNDARIES OF SAID
SPACING UNIT

MBOGC Docket No.

274-2026

APPLICATION

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described lands:
2. The above-described lands are presently subject to a pending application to designate a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of said lands and authorize the drilling of a well in the TSU.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

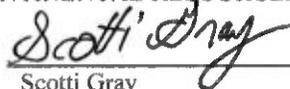
[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

By



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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC. FOR AN ORDER DESIGNATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 22, 23 AND 24 TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200 FEET FROM HEEL/TOE BOUNDARY AND 500 FEET FROM THE SIDE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT.

MBOGC Docket No.

275-2026

APPLICATION

APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT BOARD ORDER 552-2012 POOLING SECTIONS 24 AND 25, T25N, R56E BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID ORDER IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE LONE BUTTE PATRICIA #24-25 WELL AND THAT ORDER 553-2012 AUTHORIZING 3 ADDITIONAL WELLS IN THAT SAME SPACING UNIT BE VACATED

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within Sections 22, 23, 24, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana, which tracts are presently spaced with respect to the Bakken/Three Forks Formation by Order:
 - 551-2012 – creating a permanent spacing unit comprised of All of Sections 24 and 25, T25N, R56E for oil and gas production from the Lone Butte Patricia #24-25 1H well.
 - 553-2012 authorizing 3 additional wells in the Lone Butte Patricia #24-25 1H unit.

Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation operates the Lone Butte Patricia #24-25 1H well within the PSU. Continental has obtained, or will obtain, Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation's written consent for this OTSU application prior to the hearing on this matter.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200 feet to the heel/toe exterior boundaries and 500 feet to the lateral boundaries, of a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of Sections 22, 23, 24, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the condition that the temporary spacing unit be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relation to production from the well.
4. The proposed spacing unit contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 25 North, Range 56 East
Section 22: S2SW

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation enter its order:
 - (i) Delineating an OTSU comprised of Sections 22, 23, 24, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the conditions that the overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well, and that within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, Applicant file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and all other matters relating to production of said well;
 - (ii) Authorizing the Applicant to locate its proposed horizontal well anywhere within such OTSU but not closer than 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries and no further than 500 feet from the side boundaries thereof and further providing that the 500' lateral setback authorization is only valid from one year of the date of the order. If no well is drilled and the 500' lateral setback is not renewed prior to the expiration of one year, the lateral setback for the first well in this unit shall be 1320' from the side boundaries;
 - (iii) Vacating Order 553-2012 and amending Order 552-2012 to clarify that said order is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Lone Butte Patricia #24-25 1H well; and
 - (iv) Any other relief that the Board may deem necessary and appropriate.

Dated March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.
FOR AUTHORIZATION TO DRILL UP TO
THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL
BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION
WELLS IN THE SPACING UNIT
COMPRISED OF 22, 23 AND 24
TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST,
RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT
ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN
500 FEET TO THE SIDE BOUNDARIES
AND 200 FEET TO THE TOE/HEEL
BOUNDARIES OF SAID SPACING UNIT

MBOGC Docket No.

276-2026

APPLICATION

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described lands:
2. The above-described lands are presently subject to a pending application to designate a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of said lands and authorize the drilling of a well in the TSU.
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4. The proposed TSU contains the following Federal minerals:

Township 25 North, Range 56 East
Section 22: S2SW

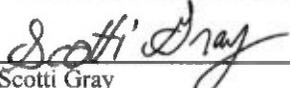
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1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

March 2, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC. FOR AN ORDER DESIGNATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 25, 26, 27 AND 28 TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200 FEET FROM HEEL/TOE BOUNDARY AND 500 FEET FROM THE SIDE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT.

MBOGC Docket No.

277-2026

APPLICATION

APPLICANT FURTHER REQUESTS THAT BOARD ORDER 552-2012 POOLING SECTIONS 24 AND 25, T25N, R56E BE AMENDED TO CLARIFY THAT SAID ORDER IS LIMITED TO OIL AND ASSOCIATED NATURAL GAS PRODUCED FROM THE BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION FROM THE LONE BUTTE PATRICIA #24-25 WELL AND THAT ORDER 553-2012 AUTHORIZING THREE ADDITIONAL WELLS BE VACATED

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within Sections 25, 26, 27 and 28, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana, which tracts are presently spaced with respect to the Bakken/Three Forks Formation by Order:

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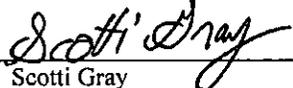
2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200 feet to the heel/toe exterior boundaries and 500 feet to the lateral boundaries, of a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of Sections 25, 26, 27 and 28, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana, subject to the condition that the temporary spacing unit be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relation to production from the well.

[B] **Requests:**

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation enter its order:
 - (i) Delineating an OTSU comprised of Sections 25, 26, 27 and 28, Township 25 North; Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana be established subject to the conditions that the overlapping temporary spacing unit shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well, and that within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, Applicant file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and all other matters relating to production of said well;
 - (ii) Authorizing the Applicant to locate its proposed horizontal well anywhere within such OTSU but not closer than 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries and no further than 500 feet from the side boundaries thereof and further providing that the 500' lateral setback authorization is only valid from one year of the date of the order. If no well is drilled and the 500' lateral setback is not renewed prior to the expiration of one year, the lateral setback for the first well in this unit shall be 1320' from the side boundaries;
 - (iii) Vacating Order 553-2012 and amending Order 552-2012 to clarify that said spacing unit is limited to oil and natural gas production from the Bakken/Three Forks Formation from the Lone Butte Patricia #24-25 1H well; and
 - (iv) Any other relief that the Board may deem necessary and appropriate.

Dated March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

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**BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION
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MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATION NOT
CLOSER THAN 500 FEET TO THE SIDE
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TOE/HEEL BOUNDARIES OF SAID
SPACING UNIT

MBOGC Docket No.

278-2026

APPLICATION

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC., 20 N. Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73102:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within the above-described lands:
2. The above-described lands are presently subject to a pending application to designate a temporary spacing unit ("TSU") comprised of said lands and authorize the drilling of a well in the TSU.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing and placed on the Docket, with notice given as required by law.
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within, but not closer than 500 feet to the side boundaries and 200 feet to the toe/heel boundaries of the spacing unit.

March 3, 2026.

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 23 AND 26, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 380-2011 AND 235-2012, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 279-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 23 and 26, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). Said Application Lands are presently subject only to the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks production, Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and the "Board") Order No. 380-2011, as amended by MBOGC Order No. 235-2012.
2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 23 and 26, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as applicable to the Application Lands and MBOGC Order No. 235-2012.
3. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
4. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of Sections 23 and 26, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland, County, Montana and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as applicable to the Application Lands; and (iii) MBOGC Order No. 235-201; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 23 AND 26, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 200-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 23 and 26, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and the "Board") Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU, such action appears reasonable and prudent.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 23 And 26, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 27 AND 34, TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, AND SECTIONS 3 AND 10, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, AND THE NORTH 1/2 OF SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 23, RANGE 58 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING BOARD ORDER NOS. 60-2007, 93-2010, AND 163-2012 AND ANY OTHER RELIEF AS THE BOARD MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 201-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 27 and 34, Township 24 North, Range 58 East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, and the North 1/2 of Section 15, Township 23, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands").
2. Sections 27 and 34, Township 24 North, Range 58 East, are subject to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC") Order No. 93-2010, designating a temporary spacing unit for Bakken Formation production and amended by MBOGC Order No. 163-2012.
3. Section 10, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, is subject to MBOGC Order No. 060-2007, establishing a permanent spacing unit for Bakken Formation production.
4. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of Sections 27 and 34, Township 24 North, Range 58 East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, and the North 1/2 of Section 15, Township 23, Range 58 East, M.P.M. Richland County, Montana.

5. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order Nos. 093-2010 and 163-2012 as they apply to Sections 27 and 34, Township 24 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., and MBOGC Order No. 060-2007 as it applies to Section 10.
6. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
7. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for MBOGC consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, MBOGC enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of Sections 27 and 34, Township 24 North, Range 58 East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, and the North 1/2 of Section 15, Township 23, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; (ii) vacating MBOGC Order Nos. 93-2010, and 163-2012, terminating the temporary spacing units created thereby (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 60-2007, terminating the permanent spacing unit created thereby; and
3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 27 AND 34, TOWNSHIP 24 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, ALL OF SECTIONS 3 AND 10, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, AND THE NORTH 1/2 OF SECTION 15, TOWNSHIP 23, RANGE 58 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURHTER RELIEF AS THE BOARD MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 292-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 27 and 34, Township 24 North, Range 58 East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, and the North 1/2 of Section 15, Township 23, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of the Application Lands, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU such action appears reasonable and prudent.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the TSU at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all or portions of Sections 27 and 34, Township 24 North, Range 58

East, and Sections 3 and 10, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, and the North 1/2 of Section 15, Township 23, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana; and

3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 22, 27, AND 34, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NO. 380-2011, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 293-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 22, 27, and 34, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). Said Application Lands are presently subject to the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks production, Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC") Order No. 380-2011.
2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 22, 27, and 34, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as it applies to the Application Lands.
3. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
4. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for MBOGC consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

5. Applicant notes that unleased federal minerals are located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely the S2SW of Section 22, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, and the SWNE and SENW of Section 34, Township 25 North, Range 56 East.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 22, 27, and 34, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; and (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as such orders apply to the Application Lands; and
3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 22, 27, AND 34, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURHTER RELIEF AS THE BOARD MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 284-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 22, 27, and 34, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, from any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU, such action appears reasonable and prudent.
3. Applicant notes that unleased federal minerals are located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely S2SW of Section 22, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, and the SWNE and SENW of Section 34, Township 25 North, Range 56 East.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, from any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior

boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 22, 27, and 34, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana; and

3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 28 AND 33, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING ORDER NO. 380-2011, AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 295-2026
APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 28 and 33, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). Said Application Lands are presently subject only to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC") Order No. 380-2011, the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks Formation production.
2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 28 and 33, Township 25 North, Range 56 East M.P.M. Richland County, Montana. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as it applies to the Application Lands.
3. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
4. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for MBOGC consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, MBOGC enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 28 and 33, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the

exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; and (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011, insofar as it applies to Sections 28 and 33, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana; and

3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 28 AND 33, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE BOARD MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 286-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 28 and 33, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the TSU, from any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU such action appears reasonable and prudent.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells from a any location within the TSU, but not closer than 200' (hell/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all or portions of Sections 28 and 33, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana; and
3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 30 AND 31, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 60 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND ALL OF SECTIONS 6 AND 7, TOWNSHIP 22 NORTH, RANGE 60 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 106-2008, 12-2010, AND 380-2011, AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 287-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 30 and 31, Township 23 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and Sections 6 and 7, Township 22 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands").
2. Sections 30 and 31, Township 23 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, are presently subject to the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks production, Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC") Order No. 380-2011.
3. Sections 6 and 7, Township 22 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, are presently subject to MBOGC Order No. 106-2008, a permanent spacing order for said portion of the Application Lands and MBOGC Order No. 12-2010, for an additional well in the same permanent spacing unit.
4. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of Sections 30 and 31, Township 23 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and Sections 6 and 7, Township 22 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana.
5. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.

6. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for MBOGC consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.
7. Applicant notes that federal minerals are located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely Section 30, Township 23 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., and Section 6, Township 22 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, MBOGC enter its order creating a TSU comprised of Sections 30 and 31, Township 23 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and Sections 6 and 7, Township 22 North, Range 60 East M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; and (ii) vacating MBOGC Order Nos. 380-2011, 106-2008, and 12-2010 insofar as they apply to the Application Lands; and
3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 200-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 30 and 31, Township 23 North, Range 60 East, Richland County, Montana, and Sections 6 and 7, Township 22 North, Range 60 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells from any location within the TSU, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU such action appears reasonable and prudent.
3. Applicant notes that federal minerals are located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely Section 30, Township 23 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M., and Section 6, Township 22 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the TSU, but not closer than 200' (hell/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all or portions of Sections 30 And 31, Township 23 North, Range 60 East,

M.P.M., Richland County, Montana, and Sections 6 And 7, Township 22 North, Range 60 East, M.P.M. Richland County, Montana; and

3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AMENDING MBOGC ORDER NO. 87-2025, WHICH CREATED AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1, 2, 3 AND 4, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING A BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL TO BE DRILLED AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 299-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, which tracts comprise an OTSU for horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 87-2025.
2. MBOGC Order No. 87-2025 authorized Applicant to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but required that such operations be commenced within one year of April 10, 2025.
3. Despite Applicant's best efforts, drilling operations on the subject OTSU cannot be commenced prior to April 10, 2026. Applicant therefore requests an extension of the drilling requirement set forth in MBOGC Order No. 87-2025 to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.
4. Applicant notes that no federal minerals appear to be affected by this application.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order amending MBOGC Order No. 87-2025 to authorize the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well anywhere within the OTSU comprised of Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, provided that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced not later than the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC



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BEFORE THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, MONTANA STATE OFFICE
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AMENDING MBOGC ORDER NO. 89-2025, WHICH CREATED AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 9, 10, 11 AND 12, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING A BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL TO BE DRILLED AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

BLM DOCKET NO. 45-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 290-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 9, 10, 11 and 12, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, which tracts comprise an OTSU for horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 89-2025 and 17-2025 FED.
2. MBOGC Order No. 89-2025 authorized Applicant to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Sections 9, 10, 11 and 12, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but required that such operations be commenced within one year of April 10, 2025.
3. Despite Applicant's best efforts, drilling operations on the subject OTSU cannot be commenced prior to April 10, 2026. Applicant therefore requests an extension of the drilling requirement set forth in MBOGC Order No. 89-2025 to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.
4. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the E/2 of Section 9, and the W/2NW/4 and N/2SW/4 of Section 10, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing in conjunction with the MBOGC hearings to be held April 9, 2026, with notice given as required by law and the MOU; and
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order amending MBOGC Order No. 89-2025 to authorize the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well anywhere within the OTSU comprised of Sections 9, 10, 11 and 12, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, provided that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced not later than the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AMENDING MBOGC ORDER NO. 83-2025, WHICH CREATED AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 1, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., AND ALL OF SECTIONS 5 AND 6, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING A BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL TO BE DRILLED AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 291-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Section 1, Township 28 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 5 and 6, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, which tracts comprise an OTSU for horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 83-2025.
2. MBOGC Order No. 83-2025 authorized Applicant to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Section 1, Township 28 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 5 and 6, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but required that such operations be commenced within one year of April 10, 2025.
3. Despite Applicant's best efforts, drilling operations on the subject OTSU cannot be commenced prior to April 10, 2026. Applicant therefore requests an extension of the drilling requirement set forth in MBOGC Order No. 83-2025 to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.
4. Applicant notes that no federal minerals appear to be affected by this application.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order amending MBOGC Order No. 83-2025 to authorize the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well anywhere within the OTSU comprised of Section 1, Township 28 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 5 and 6, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, provided that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced not later than the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.

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BEFORE THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, MONTANA STATE OFFICE
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AMENDING MBOGC ORDER NO. 85-2025, WHICH CREATED AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., AND ALL OF SECTIONS 7 AND 8, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING A BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL TO BE DRILLED AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

BLM DOCKET NO. 46-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 292-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Section 12, Township 28 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 7 and 8, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, which tracts comprise an OTSU for horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 85-2025 and 14-2025 FED.
2. MBOGC Order No. 85-2025 authorized Applicant to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Section 12, Township 28 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 7 and 8, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but required that such operations be commenced within one year of April 10, 2025.
3. Despite Applicant's best efforts, drilling operations on the subject OTSU cannot be commenced prior to April 10, 2026. Applicant therefore requests an extension of the drilling requirement set forth in MBOGC Order No. 85-2025 to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.
4. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the E/2 and NW/4 of Section 12, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing in conjunction with the MBOGC hearings to be held April 9, 2026, with notice given as required by law and the MOU; and
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order amending MBOGC Order No. 85-2025 to authorize the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well anywhere within the OTSU comprised of Section 12, Township 28 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 7 and 8, Township 28 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, provided that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced not later than the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AMENDING MBOGC ORDER NO. 91-2025, WHICH CREATED AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 17, 20, 29 AND 32, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING A BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL TO BE DRILLED AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 293-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

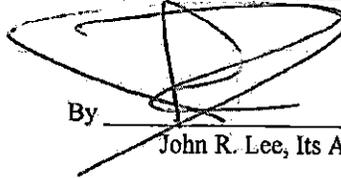
1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, which tracts comprise an OTSU for horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 91-2025.
2. MBOGC Order No. 91-2025 authorized Applicant to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but required that such operations be commenced within one year of April 10, 2025.
3. Despite Applicant's best efforts, drilling operations on the subject OTSU cannot be commenced prior to April 10, 2026. Applicant therefore requests an extension of the drilling requirement set forth in MBOGC Order No. 91-2025 to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.
4. Applicant notes that no federal minerals appear to be affected by this application.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order amending MBOGC Order No. 91-2025 to authorize the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well anywhere within the OTSU comprised of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, provided that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced not later than the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC



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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AMENDING MBOGC ORDER NO. 93-2025, WHICH CREATED AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 18, 19, 30 AND 31, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING A BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL TO BE DRILLED AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 294-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

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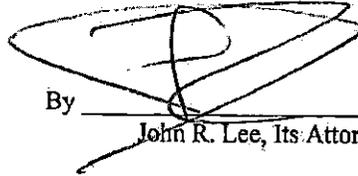
1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 18, 19, 30 and 31, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Roosevelt County, Montana, which tracts comprise an OTSU for horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 93-2025.
2. MBOGC Order No. 93-2025 authorized Applicant to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Sections 18, 19, 30 and 31, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but required that such operations be commenced within one year of April 10, 2025.
3. Despite Applicant's best efforts, drilling operations on the subject OTSU cannot be commenced prior to April 10, 2026. Applicant therefore requests an extension of the drilling requirement set forth in MBOGC Order No. 93-2025 to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.
4. Applicant notes that no federal minerals appear to be affected by this application.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order amending MBOGC Order No. 93-2025 to authorize the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well anywhere within the OTSU comprised of Sections 18, 19, 30 and 31, Township 29 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, provided that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced not later than the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AMENDING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 42-2022 AND 146-2024, WHICH CREATED AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 27 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., AND ALL OF SECTIONS 4 AND 9, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 57 EAST, M.P.M., RICHLAND AND ROOSEVELT COUNTIES, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING A BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL TO BE DRILLED AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 295-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Section 33, Township 27 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 4 and 9, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., Richland and Roosevelt Counties, Montana, which tracts comprise an OTSU for horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 42-2022.

2. MBOGC Order No. 42-2022 authorized Applicant to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Section 33, Township 27 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 4 and 9, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., but required that such operations be commenced within one year of June 16, 2022. Pursuant to MBOGC Order No. 146-2024, Order No. 42-2022 was amended to provide that drilling operations be commenced not later than February 15, 2026.

3. Despite Applicant's best efforts, drilling operations on the subject OTSU could not be commenced prior to February 15, 2026. Applicant therefore requests an extension of the drilling requirement set forth in MBOGC Order No. 146-2024 to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled February 2027 hearings.

4. Applicant notes that federal minerals are located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely the SW/4NW/4, W/2SW/4, NE/4SW/4 and NW/4SE/4 of Section 33, Township 27 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., All of Section 4, and the N/2, N/2S/2, SE/4SW/4 and S/2SE/4 of Section 9, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M.

5. To the extent necessary, Applicant incorporates by reference its application filed in MBOGC Docket No 53.2022.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order amending MBOGC Order No. 146-2024 to authorize the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well anywhere within the OTSU comprised of

All of Section 33, Township 27 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., and Sections 4 and 9, Township 26 North, Range 57 East, M.P.M., but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, provided that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced not later than the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled February 2027 hearings.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

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BEFORE THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, MONTANA STATE OFFICE
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 4, 5 AND 6, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, CLARIFYING MBOGC ORDER NO. 64-2013 AND BLM ORDER NO. 1-2013 FED, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NO. 380-2011, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

BLM DOCKET NO. 47-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 296-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. Said Sections 4 and 9 are presently subject to MBOGC Order No. 64-2013 and BLM Order No. 1-2013 FED. Said Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 are presently subject only to the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks production, MBOGC Order No. 380-2011. Kraken Oil & Gas LLC operates the Sorenson #34-9H well in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 4 and 9, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 4, 5 and 6, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M. To preserve the correlative rights of all interest owners in said Sections 4 and 9, MBOGC Order No. 64-2013 and BLM Order No. 1-2013 FED should be amended to clarify that said orders are limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sorenson #34-9H well. Additionally, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as it applies to Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said well.

4. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the NW/4 of Section 6, and the SW/4 of Section 9, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing in conjunction with the MBOGC hearings to be held April 9, 2026, with notice given as required by law and the MOU; and

2. After hearing the matter, the Board and BLM enter orders (i) creating an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 4, 5 and 6, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana, and authorizing the

drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced prior to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings, and further providing that the OTSU shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well; (ii) amending MBOGC Order No. 64-2013 and BLM Order No. 1-2013 FED to clarify that said orders are limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sorenson #34-9H well; and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as it applies to Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 4, 5 AND 6, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES THEREOF, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

BLM DOCKET NO. 49-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 297-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 4, 5 and 6, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. It is anticipated that said lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.
2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said OTSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.
3. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the NW/4 of Section 6, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing in conjunction with the MBOGC hearings to be held April 9, 2026, with notice given as required by law and the MOU; and
2. After hearing the matter, the BLM and MBOGC enter their respective orders authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any locations within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Sections 4, 5 and 6, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 7, 8 AND 9, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, CLARIFYING MBOGC ORDER NO. 64-2013 AND BLM ORDER NO. 1-2013 FED, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NO. 380-2011, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

BLM DOCKET NO. 49-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 299-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

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2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 7, 8 and 9, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M. To preserve the correlative rights of all interest owners in said Sections 4 and 9, MBOGC Order No. 64-2013 and BLM Order No. 1-2013 FED should be amended to clarify that said orders are limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sorenson #34-9H well. Additionally, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as it applies to Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said well.
4. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the NW/4 of Section 6, and the SW/4 of Section 9, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

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drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced prior to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings, and further providing that the OTSU shall be limited to production from the proposed horizontal well; (ii) amending MBOGC Order No. 64-2013 and BLM Order No. 1-2013 FED to clarify that said orders are limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Sorenson #34-9H well; and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as it applies to Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.

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BLM DOCKET NO. 50-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 299-2026

APPLICATION

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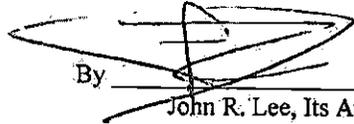
1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 7, 8 and 9, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. It is anticipated that said lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.
2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said OTSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.
3. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the SW/4 of Section 9, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 18, 19, 30 AND 31, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 60-2010, 63-2011 AND 265-2012, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 300-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner within all or portions of Sections 18, 19, 30 and 31, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. Said Sections 18 and 19 are presently subject to MBOGC Order No. 60-2010. Said Sections 30 and 31 are presently subject to MBOGC Order Nos. 63-2011 and 265-2012.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, a TSU comprised of All of Sections 18, 19, 30 and 31, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order Nos. 60-2010, 63-2011 and 265-2012.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said well.

4. Applicant notes that no federal minerals appear to be affected by this application.

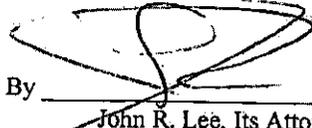
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DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

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2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the TSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.
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BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 17, 20, 29 AND 32, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, CLARIFYING MBOGC ORDER NO. 63-2013, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NO. 59-2010, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 302-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. Said Sections 17 and 20 are presently subject to MBOGC Order No. 59-2010. Said Sections 29 and 32 are presently subject to MBOGC Order No. 63-2013. Kraken Oil & Gas LLC operates the Raymond Sweet #31-29H well in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 29 and 32, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M. To preserve the correlative rights of all interest owners in said Sections 29 and 32, MBOGC Order No. 63-2013 should be amended to clarify that said order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Raymond Sweet #31-29H well. It will also be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 59-2010.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said well.

4. Applicant notes that federal minerals are located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely the NE/4NE/4 of Section 20, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced prior to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings; (ii) amending MBOGC Order No. 63-2013 to clarify that said order is limited to oil and

associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Raymond Sweet #31-29H well;
and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 59-2010.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC



By _____

John R. Lee, Its Attorney

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 17, 20, 29 AND 32, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 59 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES THEREOF, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 303-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. It is anticipated that said lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. __-2026.

2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said OTSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.

3. Applicant notes that federal minerals are located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely the NE/4NE/4 of Section 20, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M.

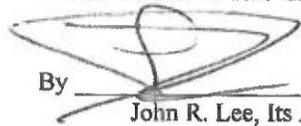
[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any locations within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of Sections 17, 20, 29 and 32, Township 31 North, Range 59 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC

By 

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1, 12, 13 AND 24, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, CLARIFYING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 447-2012 AND 445-2012, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 304-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 1, 12, 13 and 24, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. Said Sections 1 and 12 are presently subject to MBOGC Order Nos. 446-2012 and 447-2012. Said Sections 13 and 24 are presently subject to MBOGC Order Nos. 444-2012 and 445-2012. Kraken Oil & Gas LLC operates the Orville Hendrickson #24-12H well in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 1 and 12, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., as well as the Dave Clark #21-13H well in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 13 and 24, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M.

2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 1, 12, 13 and 24, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M. To preserve the correlative rights of all interest owners in said Sections 1 and 12, MBOGC Order No. 447-2012 should be amended to clarify that said order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Orville Hendrickson #24-12H well. To preserve the correlative rights of all interest owners in said Sections 13 and 24, MBOGC Order No. 445-2012 should be amended to clarify that said order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Dave Clark #21-13H well.

3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said well.

4. Applicant notes that no federal minerals appear to be affected by this application.

[B] Requests:

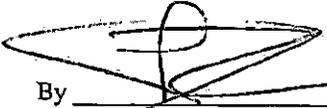
1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 1, 12, 13 and 24, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced prior to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings;

(ii) amending MBOGC Order No. 447-2012 to clarify that said order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Hendrickson #24-12H well; and (iii) amending MBOGC Order No. 445-2012 to clarify that said order is limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Dave Clark #21-13H well.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 1, 12, 13 AND 24, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES THEREOF, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 305-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 1, 12, 13 and 24, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. It is anticipated that said lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. ___-2026.
2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said OTSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.
3. Applicant notes that no federal minerals appear to be affected by this application.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law and the MOU;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any locations within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of Sections 1, 12, 13 and 24, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC

By 

John R. Lee, Its Attorney

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BEFORE THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, MONTANA STATE OFFICE
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING AN OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 2, 11, 14 AND 23, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID OTSU, CLARIFYING MBOGC ORDER NO. 165-2012 AND THE CORRESPONDING BLM ORDER (NUMBER UNKNOWN), VACATING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 5-2011, 394-2011 AND 262-2012 AND THE CORRESPONDING BLM ORDERS (NUMBERS UNKNOWN), AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

BLM DOCKET NO. 51-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 306-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. Said Sections 2 and 11 are presently subject to MBOGC Order No. 165-2012 and corresponding BLM Order (number unknown). Said Sections 14 and 23 are presently subject to MBOGC Order Nos. 5-2011, 394-2011 and 262-2012 and the corresponding BLM Orders (numbers unknown). Kraken Oil & Gas LLC operates the Wegner #34-11H well in the PSU comprised of All of Sections 2 and 11, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M.
2. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the captioned lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at a location within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M. To preserve the correlative rights of all interest owners in said Sections 2 and 11, MBOGC Order No. 165-2012 and corresponding BLM Order (number unknown) should be amended to clarify that said orders are limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Wegner #34-11H well. It will also be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order Nos. 5-2011, 394-2011 and 262-2012 and the corresponding BLM Orders (numbers unknown).
3. Applicant will, within 90 days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for Board consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said well.
4. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the NW/4 of Section 2, the W/2SW4 and SE/4SW4 of Section 14, and the NW/4NW/4 of Section 23, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

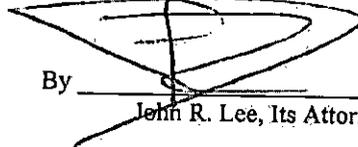
[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing in conjunction with the MBOGC hearings to be held April 9, 2026, with notice given as required by law and the MOU; and

2. After hearing the matter, the BLM and MBOGC enter their respective orders (i) creating an OTSU comprised of All of Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such OTSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced prior to the date of the Board's regularly-scheduled April 2027 hearings; (ii) amending MBOGC Order No. 165-2012 and corresponding BLM Order (number unknown) to clarify that said orders are limited to oil and associated natural gas produced from the Bakken/Three Forks formation from the Wegner #34-11H well; and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order Nos. 5-2011, 394-2011 and 262-2012 and the corresponding BLM Orders (numbers unknown).

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC

By  _____
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**BEFORE THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, MONTANA STATE OFFICE
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF UP TO THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE OVERLAPPING TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("OTSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 2, 11, 14 AND 23, TOWNSHIP 31 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, M.P.M., SHERIDAN COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES THEREOF, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE

BLM DOCKET NO. 52-2026

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 307-2026

APPLICATION

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC, 945 Bunker Hill Road, Suite 1200, Houston, Texas 77024:

[A] Presents the following application:

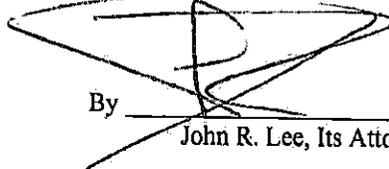
1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator within all or portions of Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana. It is anticipated that said lands will comprise an overlapping temporary spacing unit ("OTSU") for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. __-2026.
2. Applicant requests authority to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said OTSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, if in its judgment as operator of the OTSU such operations appear reasonable and prudent.
3. A portion of the subject lands is Indian land, namely the NW/4 of Section 2, the W/2SW4 and SE/4SW/4 of Section 14, and the NW/4NW/4 of Section 23, and accordingly, the MOU between the United States BLM and the MBOGC is applicable hereto.

[B] Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing in conjunction with the MBOGC hearings to be held April 9, 2026, with notice given as required by law and the MOU; and
2. After hearing the matter, the BLM and MBOGC enter their respective orders authorizing the Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells at any locations within, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of, the OTSU comprised of All of Sections 2, 11, 14 and 23, Township 31 North, Range 58 East, M.P.M., Sheridan County, Montana.

DATED this 4th day of March, 2026.

KRAKEN OIL & GAS LLC

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By

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 2, 11, 14, AND 23, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 380-2011 AND 222-2010, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 308-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 2, 11, 14, and 23, Township 29 North, Range 56 East, Roosevelt County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). Said Sections 2 and 11 are presently subject only to the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks production, MBOGC Order No. 380-2011.
2. Sections 14 and 23, Township 29 North, Range 56 East, are subject to MBOGC Order No. 222-2010, establishing a temporary spacing unit for Bakken Formation production.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 2, 11, 14, and 23, Township 29 North, Range 56 East, Roosevelt County, Montana. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 222-2010 and MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as applicable to the Application Lands.
4. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
5. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.
6. Applicant notes that there are Montana State mineral rights located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely Section 11, Township 29, Range 56 East.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 2, 11, 14, and 23, Township 29 North, Range 56 East, Roosevelt County, Montana and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; and (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 222-2010; and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011, insofar as applicable to the Application Lands; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 2, 11, 14, AND 23, TOWNSHIP 29 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 309-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 2, 11, 14, and 23, Township 29 North, Range 56 East, Roosevelt County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and the "Board") Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU, such action appears reasonable and prudent.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 2, 11, 14, and 23, Township 29 North, Range 56 East, Roosevelt County, Montana; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 310-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 17, 20, 29, and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana (the "Application Lands").
2. Sections 29 and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, are subject to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC") Order No. 380-2011.
3. Sections 17 and 20, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, are subject to MBOGC Order No. 246-2010.
4. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 17, 20, 29, and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 as it applies to Sections 29 and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, and MBOGC Order No. 246-2010.
5. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
6. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

7. Applicant notes there are leased federal mineral rights located within certain tracts affected by this application, namely Section 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 17, 20, 29, and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 as it applies to Sections 29 and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 246-2010; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF THREE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELLS IN THE TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 17, 20, 29, AND 32, TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, ROOSEVELT COUNTY, MONTANA, AT ANY LOCATIONS NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 311-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interested owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 17, 20, 29, and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and the "Board") Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU, such action appears reasonable and prudent.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 17, 20, 29, and 32, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 5, 8, 17, 20 AND 29, TOWNSHIP 25 NORTH, RANGE 56 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 359-2011, 116-2006, AND 380-2011, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 312-2026
APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 5, 8, 17, 20, and 29, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands").
2. Sections 5 and 8, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, are subject to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and the "BOARD") Order No. 359-2011.
3. Section 20, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, is subject to MBOGC Order No. 116-2006.
4. Section 29, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, is subject to MBOGC Order No. 380-2011.
5. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 5, 8, 17, 20, and 29, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana.
6. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
7. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;

2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 5, 8, 17, 20, and 29, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 359-2011 and 116-2006; and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011 insofar as applicable to the Application Lands.
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 313-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of all of Sections 5, 8, 17, 20, and 29, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and the "Board") Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU, such action appears reasonable and prudent.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 5, 8, 17, 20, and 29, Township 25 North, Range 56 East, Richland County, Montana; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") CONSISTING OF ALL OF SECTIONS 2, AND 11, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 58 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA, AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF AND PRODUCTION FROM A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL WITHIN AND UPON THE REQUESTED TSU AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACKS) AND 500' (LATERAL SETBACKS) OF THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, AND ADDITIONALLY VACATING AND RESCINDING BOARD ORDER NO. 138-2011, AND ANY OTHER RELIEF AS THE BOARD MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 314-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 2 and 11, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands").
2. The Application Lands are subject to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and "Board") Order No. 138-2011, designating a temporary spacing unit for Bakken Formation production.
3. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 2 and 11, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana.
4. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order No 138-2011.
5. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
6. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;

2. After hearing the matter, MBOGC enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 2 and 11, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; and (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 138-2011, terminating the temporary spacing unit created thereby; and
3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 315-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of Sections 2 and 11, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of the Application Lands, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU such action appears reasonable and prudent.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within the TSU at any locations not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 2 and 11, Township 23 North, Range 58 East, Richland County, Montana; and
3. For such other or additional relief as MBOGC may deem appropriate.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PHOENIX OPERATING LLC, FOR AN ORDER CREATING A TEMPORARY SPACING UNIT ("TSU") COMPRISED OF ALL OF SECTIONS 23, 26, 35, TOWNSHIP 26 NORTH, RANGE 55 EAST, RICHLAND COUNTY, MONTANA AND AUTHORIZING THE DRILLING OF A HORIZONTAL BAKKEN/THREE FORKS FORMATION WELL THEREON AT ANY LOCATION NOT CLOSER THAN 200' (HEEL/TOE SETBACK)/500' (LATERAL SETBACK) TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID TSU, VACATING MBOGC ORDER NOS. 380-2011, 71-2010, AND 294-2011, AND SUCH OTHER AND FURTHER RELIEF AS THE MBOGC MAY DEEM APPROPRIATE.

MBOGC DOCKET NO. 316-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 23, 26, 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands").
2. Sections 26 and 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, are subject to the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks production, MBOGC Order No. 380-2011.
3. Section 23, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, is subject to MBOGC Order No. 71-2010, as amended by MBOGC Order No. 294-2011.
4. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 23, 26, 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana.
5. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to vacate MBOGC Order Nos. 71-2010 and 294-2011 and MBOGC Order No. 380-2011, as applicable to Sections 26 and 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, and to terminate the temporary spacing units created thereby.
6. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.

7. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

Applicant Requests:

1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 23, 26, 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; and (ii) vacating MBOGC Order Nos. 71-2010 and 294-2011; and (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011, insofar as applicable to Sections 26 and 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

DATED this 5th day of March 2026.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 317-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 23, 26, 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana (the "Application Lands"). It is anticipated that said Application Lands will comprise a TSU for purposes of Bakken/Three Forks formation production pursuant to Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation ("MBOGC" and the "Board") Order No. _____ - 2026.
2. Applicant requests authorization from the Board to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of the TSU, if in Applicant's judgment as operator of the TSU, such action appears reasonable and prudent.

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1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order authorizing Applicant to drill up to three additional horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation wells within said TSU, at any location but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of Sections 23, 26, 35, Township 26 North, Range 55 East, Richland County, Montana, Montana; and
3. For such other or additional relief as the Board may deem appropriate.

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MBOGC DOCKET NO. 319-2026

APPLICATION

PHOENIX OPERATING LLC (the "Applicant"), South Ulster Street, Suite 1510, Denver, Colorado, 80237, presents the following Application:

1. Applicant is an interest owner and operator of oil and gas leasehold interests within all or portions of all of Sections 31, 32, and 33, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, Roosevelt County, Montana, and all of Section 36, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana (the "Application Lands").
2. Section 33, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, Roosevelt County, and Section 36, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, are subject to the areawide state spacing order for Bakken/Three Forks production, MBOGC Order No. 380-2011.
3. Section 32, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, Roosevelt County, is subject to MBOGC Order No. 78-2024 and 79-2924, and MBOGC Order No. 130-2010 was previously vacated.
4. Section 31, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, is subject to MBOGC Order No. 131-2010.
5. To more efficiently and economically recover Bakken/Three Forks formation reserves underlying the Application Lands, Applicant proposes to drill a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location, but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/ 500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries of a TSU comprised of all of 31, 32, and 33, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, Roosevelt County, Montana, and all of Section 36, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana.

6. To grant the requested relief, it will be necessary to (i) vacate MBOGC Order No. 380-2011, as applicable to Section 33, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, Roosevelt County, and Section 36, Township 30 North, Range 58 East; (ii) vacate MBOGC Order Nos. 78-2024 and 130-2010, and terminate the temporary spacing units and authorized additional wells created thereby; and (iii) vacate MBOGC Order No. 131-2010 and terminate the temporary spacing unit created thereby.
7. Applicant believes their request prevents the waste of oil and gas, avoids the drilling of unnecessary wells, and protects the correlative rights of all interested parties.
8. Applicant will, within ninety (90) days of successful completion of the proposed horizontal operation, file an application for the Board's consideration of permanent spacing and other matters relating to production from said wells.

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1. This matter be set for hearing, with notice given as required by law;
2. After hearing the matter, the Board enter its order (i) creating a TSU comprised of all of Sections 31, 32, and 33, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, Roosevelt County, Montana, and all of Section 36, Township 30 North, Range 58 East, Roosevelt County, Montana and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal Bakken/Three Forks formation well at any location within such TSU but not closer than 200' (heel/toe setback)/500' (lateral setback) to the exterior boundaries thereof, providing that operations for the drilling of such well must be commenced within one year from the date of such order; (ii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 380-2011, as applicable to Section 33, Township 30 North, Range 59 East, Roosevelt County, and Section 36, Township 30 North, Range 58 East; (iii) vacating MBOGC Order Nos. 78-2024 and 130-2010; (iii) vacating MBOGC Order No. 131-2010; and
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