

NOTICE OF HEARING

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The State of New Mexico, through its Oil Conservation Commission, hereby gives notice pursuant to law and Commission rules of the following meeting and public hearing to be held at 9:00 a.m. on **November 9, 2017**, in Porter Hall, 1st floor, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, before the Oil Conservation Commission. If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing, please contact Florene Davidson at (505) 476-3458 or through the New Mexico Relay Network at 1-800-659-1779 by **October 31, 2017**. Public documents can be provided in various accessible formats. A preliminary agenda will be available to the public no later than two weeks prior to the meeting. A final agenda will be available no later than 72 hours preceding the meeting. Members of the public may obtain copies of the agenda by contacting Ms. Davidson at the phone number indicated above. Also, the agenda will be posted on the Oil Conservation Division website at www.emnrd.state.nm.us/OCD/. A party who plans on using projection equipment at a hearing must contact Ms. Davidson seven business days prior to the hearing requesting the use of the projection equipment. Wireless internet is available; however, the party must provide its own laptop computer.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO: All named parties and persons having any right, title, interest or claim in the following cases and notice to the public.

(NOTE: All land descriptions herein refer to the New Mexico Principal Meridian whether or not so stated.)

Case No. 15654: De Novo Application of Mesquite SWD, Inc. to Amend Approvals for Salt Water Disposal Wells in Lea and Eddy Counties. Applicant seeks an order amending Order Numbers SWD-1667 for the San Dunes SWD #2 well, SWD-1642 for the Scott B SWD #1 well, SWD-1638 for the VL SWD #1 well, SWD-1558 for the Station SWD #1 well, SWD-1636 for the Cypress SWD #1 well, SWD-1610 for the Gnome East SWD #1 well, SWD-1602 for the Uber East SWD #1 well, and SWD-1600 for the Uber North SWD #1 well, to allow for injection to occur through internally-coated, 5 ½ inch or smaller tubing. The orders issued by the Division currently only allow for tubing to be used if its 4 ½ inches or smaller. The Station SWD #1 well is located approximately 31.7 miles Northwest of Jal, New Mexico. The San Dunes SWD #2, Scott B SWD #1, and Scott B SWD #1 are located within 17 miles of Malaga, New Mexico. The Cypress SWD #1, Gnome East SWD #1, Uber East SWD #1, and Uber North SWD #1 are located approximately 21 - 37 miles southeast of Carlsbad, New Mexico. Upon application of Mesquite SWD, Inc., this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Division Rule 19.15.4.23 NMAC.

Case No. 15856: Stakeholder Gas Services LLC, whose address is 777 E. Sonterra Blvd., Suite 100, San Antonio, Texas 78258, proposes to drill two acid gas injection (AGI) wells to dispose of acid gases from its proposed natural gas plant operations to be located approximately 9 miles southwest of Lovington in Lea County, New Mexico. The Stakeholder AGI #1 well will be drilled at a surface location approximately 660 feet from the South line (FSL) and 1790 feet from the West line (FWL) of Section 21, Township 16 South, Range 35 East in Lea County, New Mexico, and AGI #2 will be drilled approximately 2080 feet from the South line (FSL) and 1980 feet from the West line (FWL) of the same Section. Both Stakeholder AGI wells are designed as vertical wells. The injection interval will be in the Permian Premier Sand unit of the Grayburg Formation at depths of approximately 4,700 to 4,800 feet. The maximum average injection rate will be approximately 6.8 million standard cubic feet per day of acid gases, at a maximum surface pressure of 1,845 psig. Interested parties must file objections with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, 1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, within 15 days. Inquiries regarding this application should be directed to Mr. Albero A. Gutierrez or Mr. James C. Hunter at Geolex Inc., 500 Marquette Ave. NW, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102, (505) 842-8000.

Given under the Seal of the State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico
on this 12th day of October, 2017.

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OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

David R. Catanach, Chair

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