

**PRELIMINARY AGENDA
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO
JULY 13, 2023
12:00 P.M.**

The State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission meeting will be held in a hybrid format with both in-person and virtual participation options. The meeting will be held in Room 317 at the New Mexico State Capitol, 490 Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe, New Mexico, starting at noon Mountain Standard Time. The Commission's public meeting can also be accessed by using the following link and/or meeting information:

Physical Location: New Mexico State Capitol, Rm 317

Hosted by Dylan Fuge

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The following items are for discussion and possible action:

1. Roll call
2. Approval of the July 13, 2023 Agenda
3. Approval of the June 8, 2023 Meeting Minutes
4. **Case No. 23580:** Application of the Wildearth Guardians in the matter of Proposed Amendment to the Commission's Rules to Address Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances and Their Use in Oil and Gas Extraction, 19.15.2, 19.15.16, 19.15.31, and 19.15.32 NMAC.

The Oil Conservation Commission will review the request to grant a hearing on the rulemaking filed by Wildearth Guardians.

For purposes of the July 13 meeting, the sole issue to be addressed by the Commission is whether to hold a public hearing on the proposed rule, 19.15.3.8(C) NMAC. If the Commission decides to hold a hearing on the petition, the schedule of such a hearing will also be discussed. The Commission will provide 30 minutes of public comment on this narrow question (i.e., whether to hold a hearing on the petition), with no more than a minute or minute and half per commentator.

5. Pending cases

Case No. 23035: *De Novo Case No. 23035* was dismissed pursuant to a “Joint Motion to Dismiss De Novo Appeal,” which motion also extended the deadline to commence drilling cases 22719, 22180, 22382, and 22313-22316 authorized by Division Order No. R-22205.

Case No. 23649: Status Conference: Targa Northern Delaware LLC (“Targa”) seeks authorization to drill and operate a class II acid gas injection (AGI) well, the Red Hills AGI #3 well, at Targa’s gas processing facility (“Facility”) in Lea County, New Mexico. The proposed redundant well (Red Hills AGI #3) will be a vertical well with a surface location of approximately 3,116 feet from the north line (FNL) and 1,159 feet from the east line (FEL) in Section 13, Township 24 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico. The Red Hills AGI #3 well will inject waste carbon dioxide and hydrogen sulfide into the Bell Canyon and Cherry Canyon formation from approximately 5,700 feet to 7,600 feet. The maximum surface pressure will not exceed 1,767 psi with a maximum daily injection volume of thirteen (13) million standard cubic feet per day (MMSCFD). The proposed well will serve as a disposal well for treated acid gas at the Facility. The Well is located approximately 20 miles west of Jal, New Mexico.

6. Pending litigation

None

7. Other Business

Reminder upcoming meeting date changes:

August 10, 2023 meeting was changed to August 17, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. MST

September 14, 2023 meeting was changed to September 7, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. MST

8. Adjournment