

For KCC Use:

Effective Date: _____

District # _____

SGA? ☐ Yes ☐ No**KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION****Form C-1**

March 2010

**Form must be Typed
Form must be Signed
All blanks must be Filled****NOTICE OF INTENT TO DRILL****Must be approved by KCC five (5) days prior to commencing well****Form KSONA-1, Certification of Compliance with the Kansas Surface Owner Notification Act, MUST be submitted with this form.**Expected Spud Date: _____
month day year

OPERATOR: License# _____

Name: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ + _ _ _ _

Contact Person: _____

Phone: _____

CONTRACTOR: License# _____

Name: _____

Well Drilled For:**Well Class:****Type Equipment:**

☐ Oil	☐ Enh Rec	☐ Infield	☐ Mud Rotary
☐ Gas	☐ Storage	☐ Pool Ext.	☐ Air Rotary
	☐ Disposal	☐ Wildcat	☐ Cable

☐ Seismic ; _____ # of Holes ☐ Other☐ Other: _____☐ If OWWO: old well information as follows:

Operator: _____

Well Name: _____

Original Completion Date: _____ Original Total Depth: _____

Directional, Deviated or Horizontal wellbore? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, true vertical depth: _____

Bottom Hole Location: _____

KCC DKT #: _____

Spot Description: _____

_____ - _____ - _____ Sec. _____ Twp. _____ S. R. _____ ☐ E ☐ W
(Q/Q/Q/Q)_____ feet from ☐ N / ☐ S Line of Section_____ feet from ☐ E / ☐ W Line of SectionIs SECTION: ☐ Regular ☐ Irregular?**(Note: Locate well on the Section Plat on reverse side)**

County: _____

Lease Name: _____ Well #: _____

Field Name: _____

Is this a Prorated / Spaced Field? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Target Formation(s): _____

Nearest Lease or unit boundary line (in footage): _____

Ground Surface Elevation: _____ feet MSL

Water well within one-quarter mile: ☐ Yes ☐ NoPublic water supply well within one mile: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Depth to bottom of fresh water: _____

Depth to bottom of usable water: _____

Surface Pipe by Alternate: ☐ I ☐ II

Length of Surface Pipe Planned to be set: _____

Length of Conductor Pipe (if any): _____

Projected Total Depth: _____

Formation at Total Depth: _____

Water Source for Drilling Operations:

☐ Well ☐ Farm Pond ☐ Other: _____

DWR Permit #: _____

(Note: Apply for Permit with DWR ☐)Will Cores be taken? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, proposed zone: _____

AFFIDAVIT

The undersigned hereby affirms that the drilling, completion and eventual plugging of this well will comply with K.S.A. 55 et. seq.

It is agreed that the following minimum requirements will be met:

1. Notify the appropriate district office **prior** to spudding of well;
2. A copy of the approved notice of intent to drill **shall be** posted on each drilling rig;
3. The minimum amount of surface pipe as specified below **shall be set** by circulating cement to the top; in all cases surface pipe **shall be set** through all unconsolidated materials plus a minimum of 20 feet into the underlying formation.
4. If the well is dry hole, an agreement between the operator and the district office on plug length and placement is necessary **prior to plugging**;
5. The appropriate district office will be notified before well is either plugged or production casing is cemented in;
6. If an ALTERNATE II COMPLETION, production pipe shall be cemented from below any usable water to surface within **120 DAYS** of spud date. Or pursuant to Appendix "B" - Eastern Kansas surface casing order #133,891-C, which applies to the KCC District 3 area, alternate II cementing must be completed within 30 days of the spud date or the well shall be plugged. **In all cases, NOTIFY district office** prior to any cementing.

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Conductor pipe required _____ feet

Minimum surface pipe required _____ feet per ALT. ☐ I ☐ II

Approved by: _____

This authorization expires: _____*(This authorization void if drilling not started within 12 months of approval date.)*

Spud date: _____ Agent: _____

Remember to:

- File Certification of Compliance with the Kansas Surface Owner Notification Act (KSONA-1) with Intent to Drill;
- File Drill Pit Application (form CDP-1) with Intent to Drill;
- File Completion Form ACO-1 within 120 days of spud date;
- File acreage attribution plat according to field proration orders;
- Notify appropriate district office 48 hours prior to workover or re-entry;
- Submit plugging report (CP-4) after plugging is completed (within 60 days);
- Obtain written approval before disposing or injecting salt water.
- If well will not be drilled or permit has expired (See: authorized expiration date) please check the box below and return to the address below.

☐ **Well will not be drilled or Permit Expired** Date: _____

Signature of Operator or Agent: _____

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W

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IN ALL CASES PLOT THE INTENDED WELL ON THE PLAT BELOW

In all cases, please fully complete this side of the form. Include items 1 through 5 at the bottom of this page.

Operator: _____

Lease: _____

Well Number: _____

Field: _____

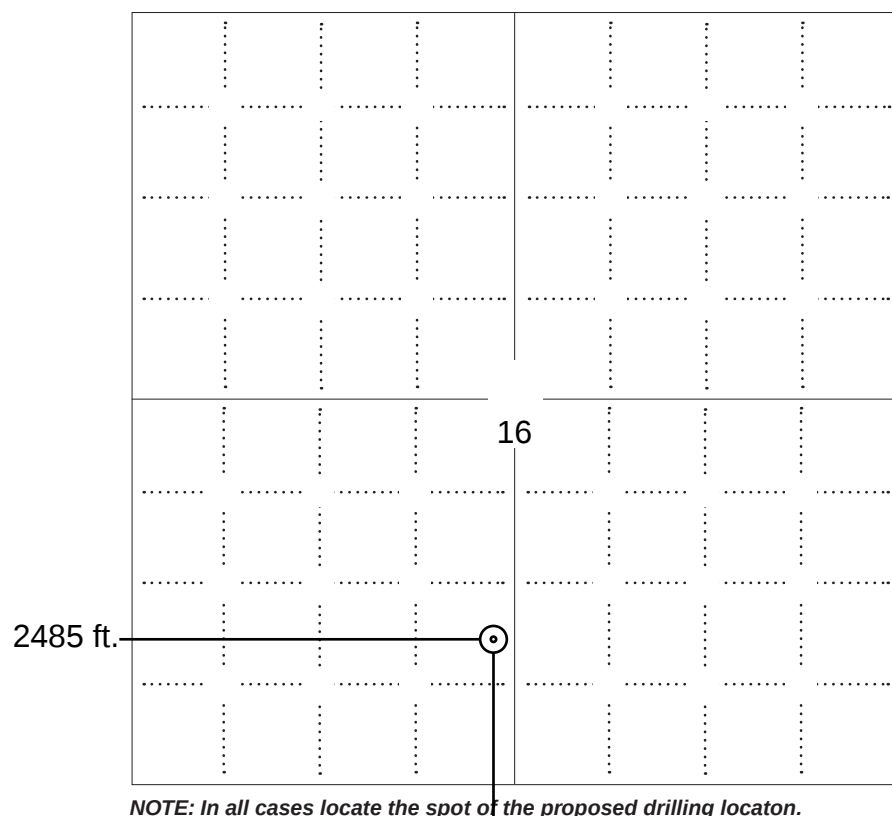
Number of Acres attributable to well: _____

QTR/QTR/QTR/QTR of acreage: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

Location of Well: County: _____

_____ feet from ☐ N / ☐ S Line of Section_____ feet from ☐ E / ☐ W Line of SectionSec. _____ Twp. _____ S. R. _____ ☐ E ☐ WIs Section: ☐ Regular or ☐ Irregular**If Section is Irregular, locate well from nearest corner boundary.**Section corner used: ☐ NE ☐ NW ☐ SE ☐ SW**PLAT**

Show location of the well. Show footage to the nearest lease or unit boundary line. Show the predicted locations of lease roads, tank batteries, pipelines and electrical lines, as required by the Kansas Surface Owner Notice Act (House Bill 2032). You may attach a separate plat if desired.

**NOTE: In all cases locate the spot of the proposed drilling location.**

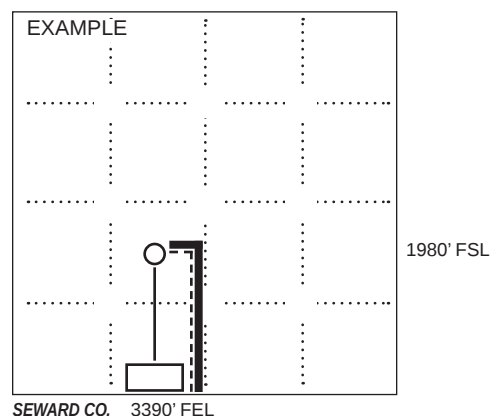
995 ft.

In plotting the proposed location of the well, you must show:

1. The manner in which you are using the depicted plat by identifying section lines, i.e. 1 section, 1 section with 8 surrounding sections, 4 sections, etc.
2. The distance of the proposed drilling location from the south / north and east / west outside section lines.
3. The distance to the nearest lease or unit boundary line (in footage).
4. If proposed location is located within a prorated or spaced field a certificate of acreage attribution plat must be attached: (C0-7 for oil wells; CG-8 for gas wells).
5. The predicted locations of lease roads, tank batteries, pipelines, and electrical lines.

LEGEND

- ☐ Well Location
- ☐ Tank Battery Location
- ☐ Pipeline Location
- ☐ Electric Line Location
- ☐ Lease Road Location



SEWARD CO. 3390' FEL

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION
APPLICATION FOR SURFACE PIT

Form CDP-1
May 2010
Form must be Typed

Submit in Duplicate

Operator Name:		License Number:	
Operator Address:			
Contact Person:		Phone Number:	
Lease Name & Well No.:		Pit Location (QQQQ): ____ - ____ - ____ - ____ Sec. ____ Twp. ____ R. ____ ☐ East ☐ West ____ Feet from ☐ North / ☐ South Line of Section ____ Feet from ☐ East / ☐ West Line of Section ____ County	
Type of Pit: ☐ Emergency Pit ☐ Burn Pit ☐ Settling Pit ☐ Drilling Pit ☐ Workover Pit ☐ Haul-Off Pit <i>(If WP Supply API No. or Year Drilled)</i>	Pit is: ☐ Proposed ☐ Existing If Existing, date constructed: _____ Pit capacity: _____ (bbls)		
Is the pit located in a Sensitive Ground Water Area? ☐ Yes ☐ No		Chloride concentration: _____ mg/l <i>(For Emergency Pits and Settling Pits only)</i>	
Is the bottom below ground level? ☐ Yes ☐ No	Artificial Liner? ☐ Yes ☐ No	How is the pit lined if a plastic liner is not used?	
Pit dimensions (all but working pits): _____ Length (feet) _____ Width (feet) ☐ N/A: Steel Pits Depth from ground level to deepest point: _____ (feet) ☐ No Pit			
If the pit is lined give a brief description of the liner material, thickness and installation procedure.		Describe procedures for periodic maintenance and determining liner integrity, including any special monitoring.	
Distance to nearest water well within one-mile of pit: _____ feet Depth of water well _____ feet		Depth to shallowest fresh water _____ feet. Source of information: ☐ measured ☐ well owner ☐ electric log ☐ KDWR	
Emergency, Settling and Burn Pits ONLY: Producing Formation: _____ Number of producing wells on lease: _____ Barrels of fluid produced daily: _____ Does the slope from the tank battery allow all spilled fluids to flow into the pit? ☐ Yes ☐ No		Drilling, Workover and Haul-Off Pits ONLY: Type of material utilized in drilling/workover: _____ Number of working pits to be utilized: _____ Abandonment procedure: _____ _____ Drill pits must be closed within 365 days of spud date.	
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☐ Liner ☐ Steel Pit ☐ RFAC ☐ RFAS

Date Received: _____ Permit Number: _____ Permit Date: _____ Lease Inspection: ☐ Yes ☐ No

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

Form KSONA-1

July 2021

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CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE KANSAS SURFACE OWNER NOTIFICATION ACT

This form must be submitted with all Forms C-1 (Notice of Intent to Drill); CB-1 (Cathodic Protection Borehole Intent); T-1 (Request for Change of Operator Transfer of Injection or Surface Pit Permit); and CP-1 (Well Plugging Application). Any such form submitted without an accompanying Form KSONA-1 will be returned.

Select the corresponding form being filed: ☐ **C-1** (Intent) ☐ **CB-1** (Cathodic Protection Borehole Intent) ☐ **T-1** (Transfer) ☐ **CP-1** (Plugging Application)

OPERATOR: License # _____

Name: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ + _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Fax: (_____) _____

Email Address: _____

Well Location:

____ - ____ - ____ Sec. ____ Twp. ____ S. R. ____ ☐ East ☐ West

County: _____

Lease Name: _____ Well #: _____

If filing a Form T-1 for multiple wells on a lease, enter the legal description of the lease below:

Surface Owner Information:

Name: _____

Address 1: _____

Address 2: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ + _____

When filing a Form T-1 involving multiple surface owners, attach an additional sheet listing all of the information to the left for each surface owner. Surface owner information can be found in the records of the register of deeds for the county, and in the real estate property tax records of the county treasurer.

If this form is being submitted with a Form C-1 (Intent) or CB-1 (Cathodic Protection Borehole Intent), you must supply the surface owners and the KCC with a plat showing the predicted locations of lease roads, tank batteries, pipelines, and electrical lines. The locations shown on the plat are preliminary non-binding estimates. The locations may be entered on the Form C-1 plat, Form CB-1 plat, or a separate plat may be submitted.

Select one of the following:

- ☐ I certify that, pursuant to the Kansas Surface Owner Notice Act (see Chapter 55 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated), I have provided the following to the surface owner(s) of the land upon which the subject well is or will be located: 1) a copy of the Form C-1, Form CB-1, Form T-1, or Form CP-1 that I am filing in connection with this form; 2) if the form being filed is a Form C-1 or Form CB-1, the plat(s) required by this form; and 3) my operator name, address, phone number, fax, and email address.
- ☐ I have not provided this information to the surface owner(s). I acknowledge that, because I have not provided this information, the KCC will be required to send this information to the surface owner(s). To mitigate the additional cost of the KCC performing this task, I acknowledge that I must provide the name and address of the surface owner by filling out the top section of this form and that I am being charged a \$30.00 handling fee, payable to the KCC, which is enclosed with this form.

If choosing the second option, submit payment of the \$30.00 handling fee with this form. If the fee is not received with this form, the KSONA-1 form and the associated Form C-1, Form CB-1, Form T-1, or Form CP-1 will be returned.

I Submitted Electronically

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Operator: Downing-Nelson Oil Co Inc

Lease: KBK Unit

Well Number: 1-16

Field: Unnamed

Number of Acres attributable to well: _____

QTR/QTR/QTR/QTR of acreage: NE - NE - SE - SW

Location of Well: County: Trego

995 feet from ☐ N / ☒ S Line of Section

2485 feet from ☐ E / ☒ W Line of Section

Sec. 16 Twp. 13 S. R. 21 ☐ E ☒ W

Is Section: ☒ Regular or ☐ Irregular

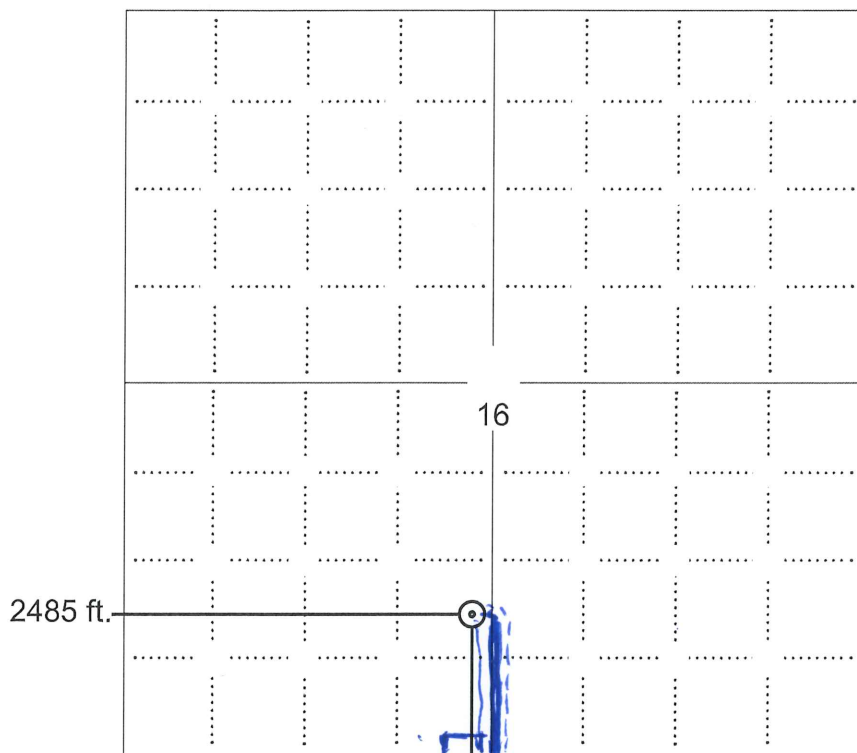
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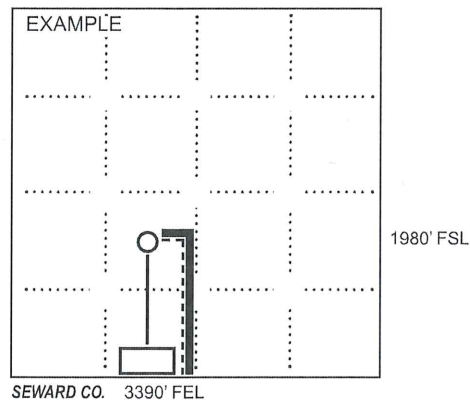
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OIL AND GAS LEASE

AGREEMENT, Made and entered into the 12th day of October 2023
by and between Steven Kroeger and Marilyn Kroeger - Husband and Wife

whose mailing address is 308 E. 14th Ellis, KS 67637 hereinafter called Lessor (whether one or more)
and Downing-Nelson Oil Co., Inc. PO Box 1019 Hays, KS 67601, hereinafter called Lessee:

Lessor, in consideration of One or More Dollars (\$1.00 and More) in hand paid, receipt of which is here acknowledged and of the royalties herein provided and of the agreements of the lessee herein contained, hereby grants, leases and lets exclusively unto lessee for the purpose of investigating, exploring by geophysical and other means, prospecting, drilling, mining and operating for and producing oil, liquid hydrocarbons, all gases, and their respective constituent products, injecting gas, water, other fluids, and air into subsurface strata, laying pipe lines, storing oil, building tanks, power stations, telephone lines, and other structures and things thereon to produce, save, take care of, treat, manufacture, process, store and transport said oil, liquid hydrocarbons, gases and their respective constituent products and other products manufactured therefrom, and housing and otherwise caring for its employees, the following described land, together with any reversionary rights and after acquired interest, therein situated
1 County of Trego, State of Kansas described as follows, to-wit:

South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S/2 SW/4)

1 Section 16, Township 13s, Range 21w, and containing 80 acres, more or less, and all accretions thereto.

Subject to the provisions herein contained, this lease shall remain in force for a term of Three (3) years from this date (called "primary term") and as long thereafter as oil, liquid hydrocarbons, gas or other respective constituent products, or any of them, is produced from said land or land with which said land is pooled.

In consideration of the premises the said lessee covenants and agrees:

1st. To deliver to the credit of lessor, free of cost, in the pipe line to which lessee may connect wells on said land, the equal one-eighth (1/8) part of all oil produced and saved from the leased premises.

2nd. To pay lessor for gas of whatsoever nature or kind produced and sold, or used off the premises, or used in the manufacture of any products therefrom, one-eighth (1/8), at the market price at the well, (but, as to gas sold by lessee, in no event more than one-eighth (1/8) of the proceeds received by lessee from such sales), for the gas sold, used off the premises, or in the manufacture of products therefrom, said payments to be made monthly. Where gas from a well producing gas only is not sold or used, lessee may pay or tender as royalty One Dollar (\$1.00) per year per net mineral acre retained hereunder, and if such payment or tender is made it will be considered that gas is being produced within the meaning of the preceding paragraph.

This lease may be maintained during the primary term hereof without further payment or drilling operations. If the lessee shall commence to drill a well within the term of this lease or any extension thereof, the lessee shall have the right to drill such well to completion with reasonable diligence and dispatch, and if oil or gas, or either of them, be found in paying quantities, this lease shall continue and be in force with like effect as if such well had been completed within the term of years first mentioned.

If said lessor owns a less interest in the above described land than the entire and undivided fee simple estate therein, then the royalties herein provided for shall be paid to said lessor only in the proportion which lessor's interest bears to the entire and undivided fee.

Lessee shall have the right to use, free of cost, gas, oil and water produced on said land for lessee's operation thereon, except water from the wells of lessor. When requested by lessor, lessee shall bury lessee's pipe lines below plow depth.

No well shall be drilled nearer than 200 feet to the house or barn now on said premises without written consent of lessor. Lessee shall pay for damages caused by lessee's operations to growing crops on said land.

Lessee shall have the right at any time to remove all machinery and fixtures placed on said premises, including the right to draw and remove casing.

If the estate of either party hereto is assigned, and the privilege of assigning in whole or in part is expressly allowed, the covenants hereof shall extend to the heirs, executors, administrators, successors or assigns, but no change in the ownership of the land or assignment of rentals or royalties shall be binding on the lessee until after the lessee has been furnished with a written transfer or assignment or a true copy thereof. In case lessee assigns this lease, in whole or in part, lessee shall be relieved of all obligations with respect to the assigned portion or portions arising subsequent to the date of assignment.

Lessee may at any time execute and deliver to lessor or place of record a release or releases covering any portion or portions of the above described premises and hereby surrender this lease as to such portion or portions and be relieved of all obligations as to the acreage surrendered.

All express or implied covenants of this lease shall be subject to all Federal and State Laws, Executive Orders, Rules or Regulations, and this lease shall not be terminated, in whole or in part, nor lessee held liable in damages, for failure to comply therewith, if compliance is prevented by, or if such failure is the result of, any such Law, Order, Rule or Regulation.

Lessor hereby warrants and agrees to defend the title to the lands herein described, and agrees that the lessee shall have the right at any time to redeem for lessor, or payment any mortgages, taxes or other liens on the above described lands, in the event of default of payment by lessor, and be subrogated to the rights of the holder thereof, and undersigned lessors, for themselves and their heirs, successors and assigns, hereby surrender and release all right of dower and homestead in the premises described herein, in so far as said right of dower and homestead may in any way affect the purposes for which this lease is made, as recited herein.

Lessee, at its option, is hereby given the right and power to pool or combine the acreage covered by this lease or any portion thereof with other land, lease or leases to promote the conservation of oil, gas or other minerals in and under and that may be produced from said premises, such pooling to be of tracts contiguous to one another and to be into a unit or units not exceeding 80 acres each in the event of an oil well, or into a unit or units not exceeding 640 acres each in the event of a gas well. Lessee shall execute in writing and record in the conveyance records of the county in which the land herein leased is situated an instrument identifying and describing the pooled acreage. The entire acreage so pooled into a tract or unit shall be treated, for all purposes except the payment of royalties on production from the pooled unit, as if it were included in this lease. If production is found on the pooled acreage, it shall be treated as if production is had from this lease, whether the well or wells be cated on the premises covered by this lease or not. In lieu of the royalties elsewhere herein specified, Lessor shall receive on production from a unit so pooled only such portion of the royalty stipulated herein as the amount of his acreage placed in the unit or his royalty interest therein on an acreage basis bears to the total acreage so pooled in the particular unit involved

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned execute this instrument as of the day and year first above written.

Steven Kroeger

Steven Kroeger

Marilyn Kroeger

Marilyn Kroeger

STATE OF KANSAS)
COUNTY OF Ely's) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL (KsOkCoNe)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 17th day of October, 2023

by Steven Kroeger and Marilyn Kroeger - Husband and Wife

My commission expires: 10-26-24 Connie Fox
Notary Public



STATE OF _____) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL (KsOkCoNe)
COUNTY OF _____)

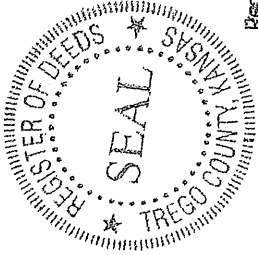
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 20____
by _____

My commission expires: _____
Notary Public

STATE OF _____) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL (KsOkCoNe)
COUNTY OF _____)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 20____
by _____

My commission expires: _____
Notary Public



Register of Deeds Trego County, Kansas
Brenda L. Brock
Book: 243 Page: 409
Receipt #: 21358
Pages Recorded: 2
Total Fee: \$38.00
Date Recorded: 11/27/2023 8:45:00 AM
Brenda L. Brock

STATE OF _____) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR CORPORATION (KsOkCoNe)
COUNTY OF _____)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 20____
by _____

of _____ a _____
corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

My commission expires: _____
Notary Public

OIL AND GAS LEASE

AGREEMENT, Made and entered into the 11th day of October 2023
by and between Gordon L. Keller, a single person

COPY

whose mailing address is 801 Washington Ellis, KS 67637 hereinafter called Lessor (whether one or more) and Downing-Nelson Oil Co., Inc. PO Box 1019 Hays, KS 67601, hereinafter called Lessee:

Lessor, in consideration of One or More Dollars (\$1.00 and More) in hand paid, receipt of which is here acknowledged and of the royalties herein provided and of the agreements of the lessee herein contained, hereby grants, leases and lets exclusively unto lessee for the purpose of investigating, exploring by geophysical and other means, prospecting, drilling, mining and operating for and producing oil, liquid hydrocarbons, all gases, and their respective constituent products, injecting gas, water, other fluids, and air into subsurface strata, laying pipe lines, storing oil, building tanks, power stations, telephone lines, and other structures and things thereon to produce, save, take care of, treat, manufacture, process, store and transport said oil, liquid hydrocarbons, gases and their respective constituent products and other products manufactured therefrom, and housing and otherwise caring for its employees, the following described land, together with any reversionary rights and after acquired interest, therein situated in County of Trego, State of Kansas described as follows, to-wit:

North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N/2 SW/4)

in Section 16, Township 13s, Range 21w, and containing 80 acres, more or less, and all accretions thereto.

Subject to the provisions herein contained, this lease shall remain in force for a term of Three (3) years from this date (called "primary term") and as long thereafter as oil, liquid hydrocarbons, gas or other respective constituent products, or any of them, is produced from said land or land with which said land is pooled.

In consideration of the premises the said lessee covenants and agrees:

1st. To deliver to the credit of lessor, free of cost, in the pipe line to which lessee may connect wells on said land, the equal one-eighth (1/8) part of all oil produced and saved from the leased premises.

2nd. To pay lessor for gas of whatsoever nature or kind produced and sold, or used off the premises, or used in the manufacture of any products therefrom, one-eighth (1/8), at the market price at the well, (but, as to gas sold by lessee, in no event more than one-eighth (1/8) of the proceeds received by lessee from such sales), for the gas sold, used off the premises, or in the manufacture of products therefrom, said payments to be made monthly. Where gas from a well producing gas only is not sold or used, lessee may pay or tender as royalty One Dollar (\$1.00) per year per net mineral acre retained hereunder, and if such payment or tender is made it will be considered that gas is being produced within the meaning of the preceding paragraph.

This lease may be maintained during the primary term hereof without further payment or drilling operations. If the lessee shall commence to drill a well within the term of this lease or any extension thereof, the lessee shall have the right to drill such well to completion with reasonable diligence and dispatch, and if oil or gas, or either of them, be found in paying quantities, this lease shall continue and be in force with like effect as if such well had been completed within the term of years first mentioned.

If said lessor owns a less interest in the above described land than the entire and undivided fee simple estate therein, then the royalties herein provided for shall be paid to said lessor only in the proportion which lessor's interest bears to the entire and undivided fee.

Lessee shall have the right to use, free of cost, gas, oil and water produced on said land for lessee's operation thereon, except water from the wells of lessor.

When requested by lessor, lessee shall bury lessee's pipe lines below plow depth.

No well shall be drilled nearer than 200 feet to the house or barn now on said premises without written consent of lessor.

Lessee shall pay for damages caused by lessee's operations to growing crops on said land.

Lessee shall have the right at any time to remove all machinery and fixtures placed on said premises, including the right to draw and remove casing.

If the estate of either party hereto is assigned, and the privilege of assigning in whole or in part is expressly allowed, the covenants hereof shall extend to the heirs, executors, administrators, successors or assigns, but no change in the ownership of the land or assignment of rentals or royalties shall be binding on the lessee until after the lessee has been furnished with a written transfer or assignment or a true copy thereof. In case lessee assigns this lease, in whole or in part, lessee shall be relieved of all obligations with respect to the assigned portion or portions arising subsequent to the date of assignment.

Lessee may at any time execute and deliver to lessor or place of record a release or releases covering any portion or portions of the above described premises and hereby surrender this lease as to such portion or portions and be relieved of all obligations as to the acreage surrendered.

All express or implied covenants of this lease shall be subject to all Federal and State Laws, Executive Orders, Rules or Regulations, and this lease shall not be terminated, in whole or in part, nor lessee held liable in damages, for failure to comply therewith, if compliance is prevented by, or if such failure is the result of, any such Law, Order, Rule or Regulation.

Lessor hereby warrants and agrees to defend the title to the lands herein described, and agrees that the lessee shall have the right at any time to redeem for lessor, or pay payment any mortgages, taxes or other liens on the above described lands, in the event of default of payment by lessor, and be subrogated to the rights of the holder thereof, and undersigned lessors, for themselves and their heirs, successors and assigns, hereby surrender and release all right of dower and homestead in the premises described herein, in so far as said right of dower and homestead may in any way affect the purposes for which this lease is made, as recited herein.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned execute this instrument as of the day and year first above written.

Gordon L. Keller

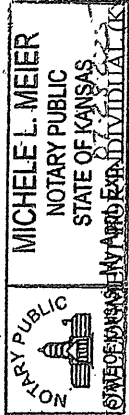
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STATE OF KANSAS) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL (KsOkCoNe)
COUNTY OF ELLIS)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 11th day of October, 2023
by Gordon L. Keller, a single person

My commission expires: 07-28-2025 Michele L. Meier
Notary Public

STATE OF _____) ss.
COUNTY OF _____) ss.
ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL (KsOkCoNe)



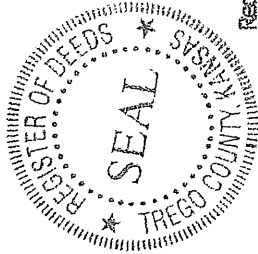
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My commission expires: _____
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COUNTY OF _____) ss.
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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 20____,
by _____

My commission expires: _____
Notary Public



Register of Deeds Trege County, Kansas
Randa L. Brock
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STATE OF _____) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR CORPORATION (KsOkCoNe)
COUNTY OF _____)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 20____,
by _____

of _____ a _____
corporation, on behalf of the corporation.

My commission expires: _____
Notary Public

OIL AND GAS LEASE

AGREEMENT, Made and entered into the 7th day of August 2023
by and between Nicholas F. Keller and Carmen R. Keller - Husband and Wife

whose mailing address is 1800 Spruce Ellis, KS 67637 hereinafter called Lessor (whether one or more) and Downing-Nelson Oil Co., Inc. PO Box 1019 Hays, KS 67601, hereinafter called Lessee:

Lessor, in consideration of One or More Dollars (\$1.00 and More) in hand paid, receipt of which is here acknowledged and of the royalties herein provided and of the agreements of the lessee herein contained, hereby grants, leases and lets exclusively unto lessee for the purpose of investigating, exploring by geophysical and other means, prospecting, drilling, mining and operating for and producing oil, liquid hydrocarbons, all gases, and their respective constituent products, injecting gas, water, other fluids, and air into subsurface strata, laying pipe lines, storing oil, building tanks, power stations, telephone lines, and other structures and things thereon to produce, save, take care of, treat, manufacture, process, store and transport said oil, liquid hydrocarbons, gases and their respective constituent products and other products manufactured therefrom, and housing and otherwise caring for its employees, the following described land, together with any reversionary rights and after acquired interest, therein situated in County of Trego, State of Kansas described as follows, to-wit:

Southeast Quarter (SE/4)

in Section 16, Township 13s, Range 21w, and containing 160 acres, more or less, and all accretions thereto.

Subject to the provisions herein contained, this lease shall remain in force for a term of Three (3) years from this date (called "primary term") and as long thereafter as oil, liquid hydrocarbons, gas or other respective constituent products, or any of them, is produced from said land or land with which said land is pooled.

In consideration of the premises the said lessee covenants and agrees:

1st. To deliver to the credit of lessor, free of cost, in the pipe line to which lessee may connect wells on said land, the equal one-eighth (1/8) part of all oil produced and saved from the leased premises.

2nd. To pay lessor for gas of whatsoever nature or kind produced and sold, or used off the premises, or used in the manufacture of any products therefrom, one-eighth (1/8), at the market price at the well, (but, as to gas sold by lessee, in no event more than one-eighth (1/8) of the proceeds received by lessee from such sales), for the gas sold, used off the premises, or in the manufacture of products therefrom, said payments to be made monthly. Where gas from a well producing gas only is not sold or used, lessee may pay or tender as royalty One Dollar (\$1.00) per year per net mineral acre retained hereunder, and if such payment or tender is made it will be considered that gas is being produced within the meaning of the preceding paragraph.

This lease may be maintained during the primary term hereof without further payment or drilling operations. If the lessee shall commence to drill a well within the term of this lease or any extension thereof, the lessee shall have the right to drill such well to completion with reasonable diligence and dispatch, and if oil or gas, or either of them, be found in paying quantities, this lease shall continue and be in force with like effect as if such well had been completed within the term of years first mentioned.

If said lessor owns a less interest in the above described land than the entire and undivided fee simple estate therein, then the royalties herein provided for shall be paid to said lessor only in the proportion which lessor's interest bears to the whole and undivided fee.

Lessee shall have the right to use, free of cost, gas, oil and water produced on said land for lessee's operation thereon, except water from the wells of lessor. When requested by lessor, lessee shall bury lessee's pipe lines below plow depth.

No well shall be drilled nearer than 200 feet to the house or barn now on said premises without written consent of lessor. Lessee shall pay for damages caused by lessee's operations to growing crops on said land.

Lessee shall have the right at any time to remove all machinery and fixtures placed on said premises, including the right to draw and remove casing.

If the estate of either party hereto is assigned, and the privilege of assigning in whole or in part is expressly allowed, the covenants hereof shall extend to the heirs, executors, administrators, successors or assigns, but no change in the ownership of the land or assignment of rentals or royalties shall be binding on the lessee until after the lessee has been furnished with a written transfer or assignment or a true copy thereof. In case lessee assigns this lease, in whole or in part, lessee shall be relieved of all obligations with respect to the assigned portion or portions arising subsequent to the date of assignment.

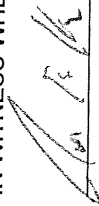
Lessee may at any time execute and deliver to lessor or place of record a release or releases covering any portion or portions of the above described premises and hereby surrender this lease as to such portion or portions and be relieved of all obligations as to the acreage surrendered.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned execute this instrument as of the day and year first above written.



Nicholas F. Keller



Carmen R. Keller

STATE OF KANSAS) ss. ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR INDIVIDUAL (KsOkCoNe)
COUNTY OF Ellis)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 7th day of August, 2023
by Nicholas F. Keller and Carmen R. Keller - Husband and Wife

My commission expires: 07.28.2025 Michele L Meier



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COUNTY OF _____)

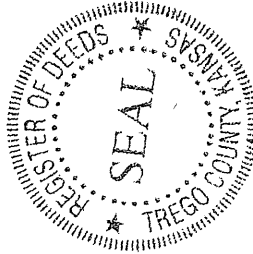
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My commission expires: _____
Notary Public

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COUNTY OF _____)

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day of _____, 20____
by _____

My commission expires: _____
Notary Public



Register of Deeds, Trego County, Kansas
Brenda L. Brock

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Brenda L. Brock

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COUNTY OF _____)

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My commission expires: _____
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December 18, 2023

Ron Nel
Downing-Nelson Oil Co Inc
PO Box 1019
HAYS, KS 67601-1019

Re: Drilling Pit Application
KBK Unit 1-16
SW/4 Sec.16-13S-21W
Trego County, Kansas

Dear Ron Nel:

District staff has inspected the above referenced location and has determined that the reserve pit shall be constructed **without slots**, the bottom shall be flat and reasonably level and the free fluids must be removed. The fluids are to be removed from the reserve pit as soon as the Hutchinson Salt section has been drilled through and displacement of the fluids into the reserve pit has occurred. The fluids should be removed again within 72 hours after drilling operations have ceased.

KEEP PITS away from draw/drainage.

If production casing is set all completion fluids shall be removed from the working pits daily. NO completion fluids or non-exempt wastes shall be placed in the reserve pit.

The fluids should be taken to an authorized disposal well. Please call the District Office at (785) 261-6250 when the fluids have been removed. Please file form CDP-5 (August 2008), Exploration and Production Waste Transfer, through KOLAR within 30 days of fluid removal.

A copy of this letter should be posted in the doghouse along with the approved Intent to Drill. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the District Office at (785) 261-6250.