

July 1, 2015

Midwestern Exploration Co.
3500 S Boulevard Ste 2B
Edmond, OK 73013

Re: Garman 2-18
NW/4 Sec. 18-35S-35W
Stevens County, Kansas
15-189-22829-00-00

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to inform you that you have been granted an additional extension of time in which to close the drilling pits associated with the Garman 2-18 well.

The original 365 days for closure expired on 01/30/2015. This extension will expire 7/31/2015. **No additional extensions will be granted.** In the event there is water standing in these pits, please dewater and dispose of fluids in an authorized disposal facility to expedite closure. Extension of this time frame automatically extends the time period for filing the closure of surface pit form, **but not the time period for filing the waste transfer form (CDP-5).**

Failure to close the pit prior to the expiration date shall result in a monetary penalty in accordance with K.A.R. 82-3-602(a).

Please complete the pit closure form (CDP-4) through Kolar (Kansas On-Line Automated Reporting) at <https://kolar.kgs.ku.edu>.

If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact Kathy Haynes at (316) 337-6243.

Sincerely,



Ryan A. Hoffman
Director

Cc: File
District

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June 29, 2015

Ms. Kathy Haynes
Kansas Corporation Commission
Conservation Division
266 N. Main St. Suite 220
Wichita, KS 67202-1513

RE: Request for Pit Closure Extension
Garman 2-18 API 15-189-22829
SW SE NE NW Section 18-T35S-R35W
Stevens County, Kansas

Dear Ms. Haynes,

Midwestern requests an additional 60 day extension on the closure of the surface pit for the Garman 2-18 well.

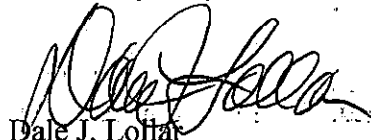
The surface pit for the Garman 2-18 (Spudded 1/31/14) was also utilized for the Garman 3-18 (Spudded 4/13/14) (API 15-189-22836) to reduce costs and pit openings.

After completing the Garman 3-18 as a dry hole, the Garman 2-18 surface pit would normally have been closed in an expeditious manner but due to winter rain and snow preventing dry-out of the pit, the KCC granted an extension to 6/19/2015.

Unseasonable May rains at the location essentially filled the pit with rain water. It is now almost dry due to high temperatures and wind. We have been able to cut slots in the walls and partially push in the pit walls, but the center of the pit is still slightly soft. It should be completely dry in two weeks or so with continued hot weather. The status of the surface pit is being monitored daily and as soon as it is completely dry, the closing will be completed.

Your consideration of our request will be greatly appreciated.

Yours very truly,



Dale J. Lohar
President

DJL/ejr

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KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION

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WICHITA, KS