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Mr. Todd L. Holweger
DMR Permit Manager
Oil & Gas Division
Department of Mineral Resources
North Dakota Industrial Commission



May 28, 2015

Mr. Holweger:

Whiting Petroleum Corporation completed the acquisition of Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp. in December 2014. The acquisition of existing assets of Kodiak included the Kodiak Polar Buried Array, located in Williams County, North Dakota. This array is currently operated under two separate Geophysical Exploration Permits as follow;

1) Permit # 97-0235

Kodiak Buried Polar Array dated 2/22/13

2) Permit # 97-0246

Kodiak Scanlan Wells Extension dated 2/14/14

It is the request of Whiting that any changes necessary to the existing permitting to reflect the change in control be undertaken, and that the current bonding of the Array be changed to the existing Whiting Geophysical Exploration Bond No. RLB0015326. A copy of this Bond is attached.

If you have any further questions regarding this request, please direct them at your earliest possible convenience, to Mike FitzMaurice whose direct phone number is 303 / 390-1327.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mark Williams

Senior Vice President

Exploration & Development

Whiting Petroleum Corporation



July 22, 2015

Mr. Todd L. Holweger
DMR Permit Manager
Oil & Gas Division
Department of Mineral Resources
North Dakota Industrial Commission
600 E. Boulevard Ave-Dept. 405
Bismarck, ND 58505-0840

Re: KODIAK POLAR BA GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION PERMIT # 97-0235 WILLIAMS COUNTY NON EXPLOSIVE METHOD

KODIAK SCANLAN WELLS EXTENSION GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION PERMIT # 97-0246 WILLIAMS COUNTY NON EXPLOSIVE METHOD

Dear Mr. Holweger,

Pursuant to Whiting Petroleum Corporation's ("Whiting") acquisition of the Polar BuriedArray and Scanlan Extension from Kodiak Oil and Gas Corporation, Whiting has requested that we release our responsibility for the arrays and transfer it to them as they are now the owners of the array.

Per Whiting's request would you please transfer responsibility for the two installations from MicroSeismic, Inc. (MSI) to Whiting. This would include ongoing maintenance of the arrays and the decommissioning of the array as required at the end of life.

MSI permits are currently secured with our bond number B005315 in the amount of \$50,000 issued by US Specialty Insurance Company.

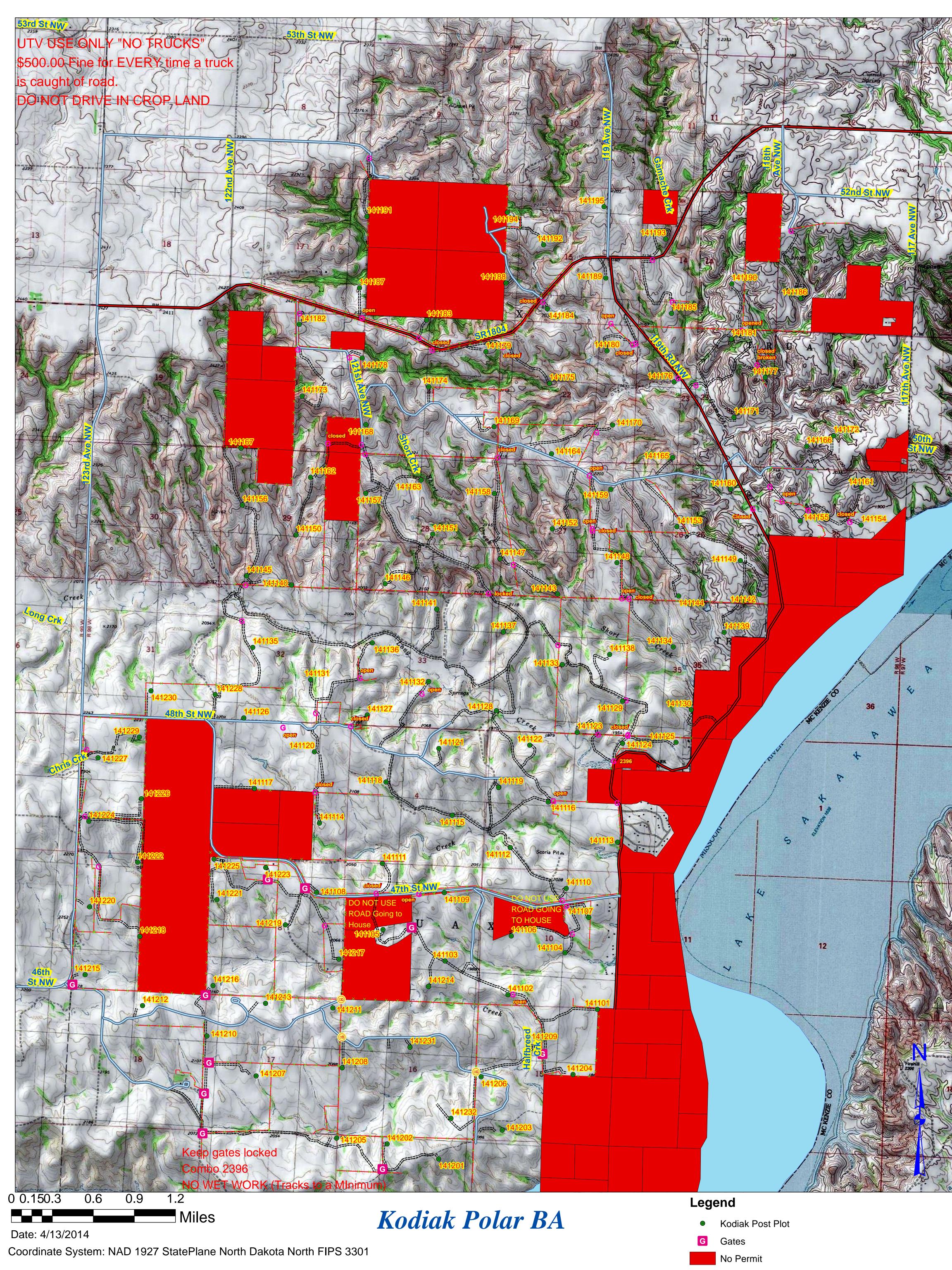
Thanks in advance for your assistance with this matter.

Regards,

Randy L. Evans

Vice President, Operations

MicroSeismic, Inc.



GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLETION REPORT - FORM GE 6B

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA OIL AND GAS DIVISION 600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405 BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840 SFN 51456 (03-2011)

PERMIT NAME (Required): Bodiak Scanlan Wells EXF
PERMIT NUMBER: 97-0244

| AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLETION (GEOPHYSICAL CONTRACTOR) |
|---|
| STATE OF Texas |
| COUNTY OF Midland) |
| Before me, Dana Gonzalez Jr., a Notary Public in and for the said |
| County and State, this day personally appeared Dimas Conzalez Tr. |
| who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that (s)he is employed by |
| , that (s)he has read North Dakota |
| Century Code Section 38-08.1, that the foregoing seismic project has been completed in |
| accordance with North Dakota Administrative Code Rule 43-02-12 and that the statements on |
| the reverse side of this document are true. |
| James Lozely |
| Geophysical Contractor Représentative |
| Subscribed in my presence and sworn before me this 19 day of $March$, 2015 . |
| NANCY A HANSON My Commission Expires June 6, 2018 Notary Public Notary Public |
| My Commission Expires 10-6-2018 |



GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION AFFIDAVIT OF PLUGGING (HOLE PLUGGER) - FORM GE 7B INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA OIL AND GAS DIVISION 600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405 BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840 SFN 51457 (03-2011)

| PERMIT NAME (Required): | | | | | | | | |
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| PERMIT NUMBER: | | | | | | | | |
| AFFIDAVIT OF PLUGGING (HOLE PLUGGER) | | | | | | | | |
| STATE OF <u>lexas</u>) COUNTY OF <u>Midland</u>) | | | | | | | | |
| Before me, Nancy Hanson a Notary Public in and for the said | | | | | | | | |
| County and State, this day personally appeared Dimas Conzalez Jr. | | | | | | | | |
| who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that (s) he is employed by | | | | | | | | |
| Micro Seismic, that (s) he has read North Dakota | | | | | | | | |
| Century Code Section 38-08.1 and that the foregoing seismic project has been plugged in | | | | | | | | |
| accordance with North Dakota Administrative Code Rule 43-02-12 and that the statements on | | | | | | | | |
| the attached documents are true. | | | | | | | | |
| Hole Plugger Representative | | | | | | | | |
| Subscribed in my presence and sworn before me this | | | | | | | | |
| NANCY A HANSON My Commission Expires June 6, 2018 Notary Public Notary Public | | | | | | | | |
| My Commission Expires | | | | | | | | |



Industrial Commission of North Dakota Oil & Gas Division 600 East Blvd. Dept. 405 Bismarck, North Dakota 58505

Kodiak Scanlan Wells Extension Ba # 97-0246

Dear, Mr. Todd Holweger,

We have contacted landowners during the permitting process to explain the project followed by the rules and guidelines that apply while performing the Buried Array project.

Best Regards, Austin Cottongame

Permit Agent

Streamline Permit Services



GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION COMPLETION REPORT - FORM GE 6A

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA OIL AND GAS DIVISION 600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405 BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840 SFN 51456 (03-2011)

| Permit No. | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|---------------|-----|----|--|
| 97-0246 | | *Non-Explo | osive Operations | | | | | |
| shot Hole Operations | yes | | | | | | | |
| none | | 1,00 | | | | | | |
| SECTION 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Geophysical Contractor | | | | | | | | |
| Microseismic Inc. | | | | | | | _ | |
| Project Name and Number | | County(s) | | | | | | |
| Kodiak Scanlan Wells Extention | | Willian | ns | | | | | |
| Township(s) | | Range(s) | attachad | | | | | |
| see attached | | sec | e attached | | | | | |
| Drilling and Plugging Contractors | | | | | | | | |
| Val's Drilling | | Date Com | inlated | | | | _ | |
| Date Commenced | | 10.020.000.000 | 9, 2014 | | | | | |
| February 19, 2014 | | April | , 2017 | | | | | |
| SECTION 2 | | | | | | | | |
| First S.P. # | | Last S.P. | # | | | | | |
| 141201 | | 14123 | 2 | | | | | |
| Loaded Holes (Undetonated Shot Points) | | | | | | | | |
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| S.P.#'s | | | | | | | | |
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| Charge Size | | | | | | | | |
| Depth | | | | | | | | |
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| Reasons Holes Were Not Shot | | | | | | | | |
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| SECTION 3 | | | | | | | | |
| Flowing Holes and/or Blowouts | | | | | | | | |
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| none | | | | | | | | |
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| Procedure for Plugging Flowing Holes and/or Blowo | outs | | | | | | | |
| see schematic | | | | | | | | |
| See Schemano | | | | | | | K. | |
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| Include a 7.5 minute USGS topographic quadrangle | e map or a comput | er generated post-ple | ot facsimile of the app | proximate scale | displaying ea | ich | | |
| individual shot hole, SP #, line #, and legal location. | | Ç | | | | | | |
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^{*}Non-Explosive Operations - Complete Section 1 and Affidavit (Form GE 6B).

Installation of Micro Seismic monitors in the Kodiack Scalan Well Extension

This project involves the installation of Micro Seismic monitors in 30 locations over an area as noted below and on the attached map. All specific locations will be approved by landowners and care will be taken to locate monitors where they will be easily accessible by Micro Selsmic, Inc. technicians on a regular basis, and where they will not conflict with farming or ranching operations. Monitors will be in use for at least one year and up to five years.

Area of Monitor Installation:

Project area is in Williams County, North Dakota:

- •153N 98W Sec 5,6,7,8,9,15,16,17,18,21
- 153N 99W Sec 1,12
- 154N 98W Sec 31

To record the sounds emitted when the reservoir is stimulated with high pressure fluid during the hydro fracturing procedures in the area. By mapping the spatial and temporal location of the points of sound emission in the reservoir and by relating these positions to the rate of fluid injection, much can be determined to improve the effectiveness of hydro fracturing.

Installation Process and Plugging Information:

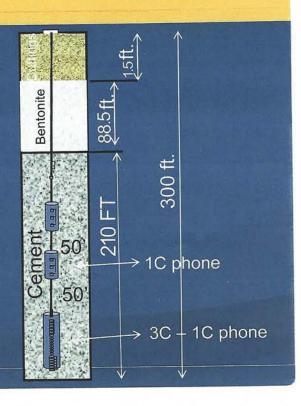
A 300' hole will be drilled (using conventional drill trucks) at each predetermined location as approved by landowners. The geophone string will be attached to a 1" PVC pipe and lowered in to the hole. The geophones are spaced 50' apart to a depth of 300' (with the top geophone located 150' below surface).

Once the geophones are installed they will be cemented in, using a light slurry of "Quick Crete" Portland cement pumped through the PVC to a level approximately 100 feet from the surface. The compressive strength of the cement will be 945 psi @ 140 deg After 72 hours. From past experience, it is expected to take 20 sacks of cement from 300 ft to 150ft. Once the cement is pumped the hole is temporarily plugged to allow the cement 24 hrs to set up. The cement will settle to the 150 foot level.

24 hrs later the temporary plug is removed and one bag of sand is added to assist in attenuating noise from above reaching the cemented area. The hole will then be filled with course bentonite to within 18 inches of the surface. A non metallic plug (which will have MSI scribed into the plug) will be inserted in to a depth of 18 inches. The hole will then be filled with cuttings to the surface. Cuttings will be spread out or removed

Geophone Installation

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GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION HOLE PLUGGING REPORT - FORM GE 7A



INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA OIL AND GAS DIVISION 600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405 BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840 SFN 51457 (03-2011)

| Geophysical Company | Date Plugged | | | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|
| MicroSeismic Inc. | April 9, 2014 | | | | |
| Hole Plugging Contractor | Permit No. | | | | |
| Val's Drilling | 97-0246 | | | | |
| Prospect | Hole Plugger | | | | |
| Kodiak Scanlan Wells Extention | Val's Drilling | | | | |

| Line No. | S.P. No. | Hole Depth | Drill Type *CABP | Wet/ Dry | Bent. Sx | Bent. Capsules | Capsule Size** | Surface Plug Depth | Remarks Hole Bridged, Thick Mud, Etc |
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Kodiak Scanlan Wells Extension BA

Model #: GA110-029-300

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| HOLE # | DRILLER | DATE | START TIME | END TIME | DEPTH | CEMENT | Bentonite |
| 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 141201 | Tim Hoffer | 20-Feb | 12:05 PM | 1:45 AM | 300 | 8 | 8.0 |
| 141202 | Tim Hoffer | 20-Feb | 2:20 AM | 3:15 AM | 300 | 8 | 8.0 |
| 141203 | Tim Hoffer | 21-Feb | 10:30 AM | 11:20 AM | 300 | 8 | 12.0 |
| 141204 | Tim Hoffer | 21-Feb | 1:40 AM | 2:30 AM | 300 | 8 | 6.0 |
| 141205 | Tim Hoffer | 20-Feb | 11:00 AM | 12:10 PM | 300 | 8 | 12.0 |
| 141206 | Tim Hoffer | 21-Feb | 8:50 AM | 10:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 3.5 |
| 141207 | Tim Hoffer | 23-Feb | 8:45 AM | 9:45 AM | 300 | 8 | 6.0 |
| 141208 | Tim Hoffer | 20-Feb | 8:30 AM | 10:30 AM | 300 | 8 | 12.0 |
| 141209 | Tim Hoffer | 21-Feb | 12:05 PM | 1:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 2.5 |
| 141210 | Tim Hoffer | 22-Feb | 1:45 AM | 2:35 AM | 300 | 8 | 8.0 |
| 141211 | Tim Hoffer | 22-Feb | 10:40 AM | 11:35 AM | 300 | 8 | 11.0 |
| 141212 | Tim Hoffer | 22-Feb | 12:10 PM | 1:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 6.5 |
| 141213 | Tim Hoffer | 19-Feb | 5:00 AM | 6:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 13.0 |
| 141214 | Tim Hoffer | 22-Feb | 8:50 AM | 8:50 AM | 300 | 8 | 8.0 |
| 141215 | Tim Hoffer | 23-Feb | 10:45 AM | 11:40 AM | 300 | 8 | 4.0 |
| 141216 | Tim Hoffer | 19-Feb | 3:00 AM | 4:30 AM | 300 | 8 | 12.0 |
| 141217 | Tim Hoffer | 25-Feb | 1:55 AM | 2:47 AM | 300 | 8 | 3.0 |
| 141218 | Tim Hoffer | 23-Feb | 1:55 AM | 2:35 AM | 300 | 8 | 7.0 |
| 141219 | Tim Hoffer | 26-Feb | 9:00 AM | 10:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 8.0 |
| 141220 | Tim Hoffer | 23-Feb | 12:15 PM | 1:10 AM | 300 | 8 | 2.5 |
| 141221 | Tim Hoffer | 26-Feb | 1:50 AM | 2:40 AM | 300 | 8 | 7.0 |
| 141222 | Tim Hoffer | 24-Feb | 10:30 AM | 11:35 AM | 300 | 8 | 3.0 |
| 141223 | Tim Hoffer | 26-Feb | 10:35 AM | 11:30 AM | 300 | 8 | 6.0 |
| 141224 | Tim Hoffer | 24-Feb | 8:40 AM | 9:45 AM | 300 | 8 | 7.0 |
| 141225 | Tim Hoffer | 26-Feb | 12:05 PM | 1:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 8.0 |
| 141226 | Tim Hoffer | 24-Feb | 12:20 PM | 1:05 AM | 300 | 8 | 5.0 |
| 141227 | Tim Hoffer | 24-Feb | 1:40 AM | 2:25 AM | 300 | 8 | 4.0 |
| 141228 | Tim Hoffer | 25-Feb | 12:10 PM | 1:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 9.0 |
| 141229 | Tim Hoffer | 25-Feb | 9:00 AM | 10:00 AM | 300 | 8 | 4.5 |
| 141230 | Tim Hoffer | 25-Feb | 10:40 AM | 11:35 AM | 300 | 8 | 5.5. |
| 141231 | Tim Hoffer | 9-Apr | 1:00 PM | 2:40 PM | 300 | 8 | 7.0 |
| 141232 | Tim Hoffer | 9-Apr | 11:00 AM | 12:30 PM | 300 | 8 | 6.5 |



GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION AFFIDAVIT OF PLUGGING (HOLE PLUGGER) - FORM GE 7B INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA OIL AND GAS DIVISION 600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405 BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840 SFN 51457 (03-2011)

| | PERMIT NAME (Required): | Kodiak Scanlan Wells Extension BA | | | | | | | |
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| | PERMIT NUMBER: | 970246 | | | | | | | |
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| COUNTY OF | Williams) | SVEZ ST | | | | | | | |
| Before me, | Kimberly Shanks | a Notary Public in and for the said | | | | | | | |
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| who being | first duly sworn, deposes and says that | (s)he is employed by | | | | | | | |
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| Century Code | e Section 38-08.1 and that the foregoing seism | ic project has been plugged in | | | | | | | |
| - | vith North Dakota Administrative Code Rule 43- | | | | | | | | |
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| the attached | documents are true. | Lez X | | | | | | | |
| | Hole Plugge | Representative O | | | | | | | |
| Subscribed in | my presence and sworn before me this | day of | | | | | | | |
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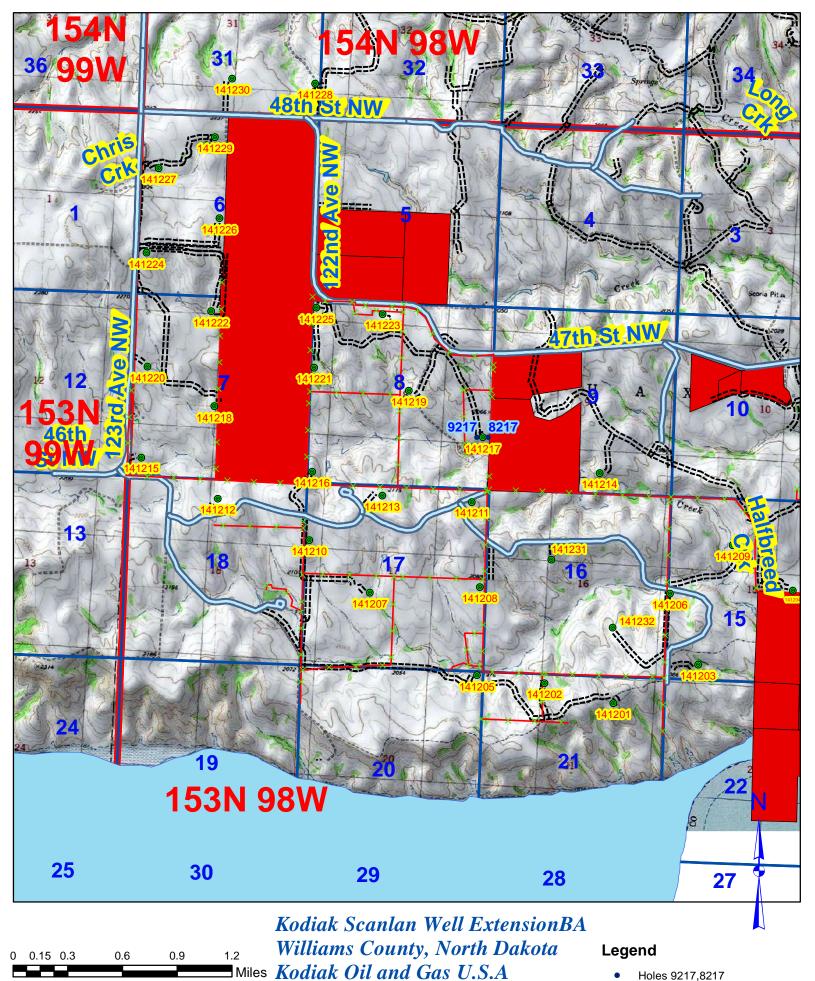
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INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA OIL AND GAS DIVISION 600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405 BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840 SFN 51458 (03-2011)



PERMIT # 970246

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| Williams County, North Dakota | | | |
| Supplemental Information | | | |
| Please see attached map. MicroSeismic would like to drill two depth of 300'. The holes will be drille sec 8 on the SE 1/4. | additional holes on the d 5 feet on either side | e Kodiak Scanlan of existing hole 1 | Wells project holes will be drilled to a 41217 which is located on 153N 98 W |
| The purpose of these holes is to get installed in hole 141217, the 2 new m will be installed in 8217. | a data a comparison b nodels are DTRD 116-0 | petween our old g 31SA which wil be | eophone (model GA110-029-300)that is installed on 9217 and 016-300 GUMBY |
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| MicroSeismic,Inc. | | (432) 238-9700 | FOR STATE ANLY |
| Address | | | Received Af proved |
| 10777 Westheimer Rd Suite 500 | | | |
| City Houston/ | State TX | Zip Code 77042 | Date 4/11/14 |
| Signature / | Printed Name | 111042 | Ву |
| Imo tosis | Dimas Gonzalez | | ton Glaway |
| Sr. Project Manager | Date April 10, 2014 | | Title |
| Email Address | [April 10, 2014 | | Mineral Resources Permit Manage |
| dgonzalez@microseismic.com | | 11 | Manager Manager |



Date: 4/9/2014

2 Holes 5 feet away on either side of Scanlan Wells Extension Post
141217 153N 98W sec. 8



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INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA
OIL AND GAS DIVISION
600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405
BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840
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PERMIT# 970246

| Project Name | 3000 |
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| Kodiak Scanlan Wells Extension | |
| County Williams County North Dakota | |
| Supplemental Information | |
| Please note revised map. The original job consisted of 30- 300 foot holes. and | We would like to add two more holes. |
| The ND Department of State Lands issued me a per Williams , County ND. | mit number ROW#7020 for 153N 98W section 16 located in |
| MicroSeismic would like to drill 2 - 300 foot holes in Hole numbers are 141231 and 141232 | 153N 98W section 16. |
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| Company MicroSeismic, Inc. | | | Telephone Number (432) 238-9700 |
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| Address 10777 Westheimer Rd Suite 500 | MPD 200 The second design and second | | |
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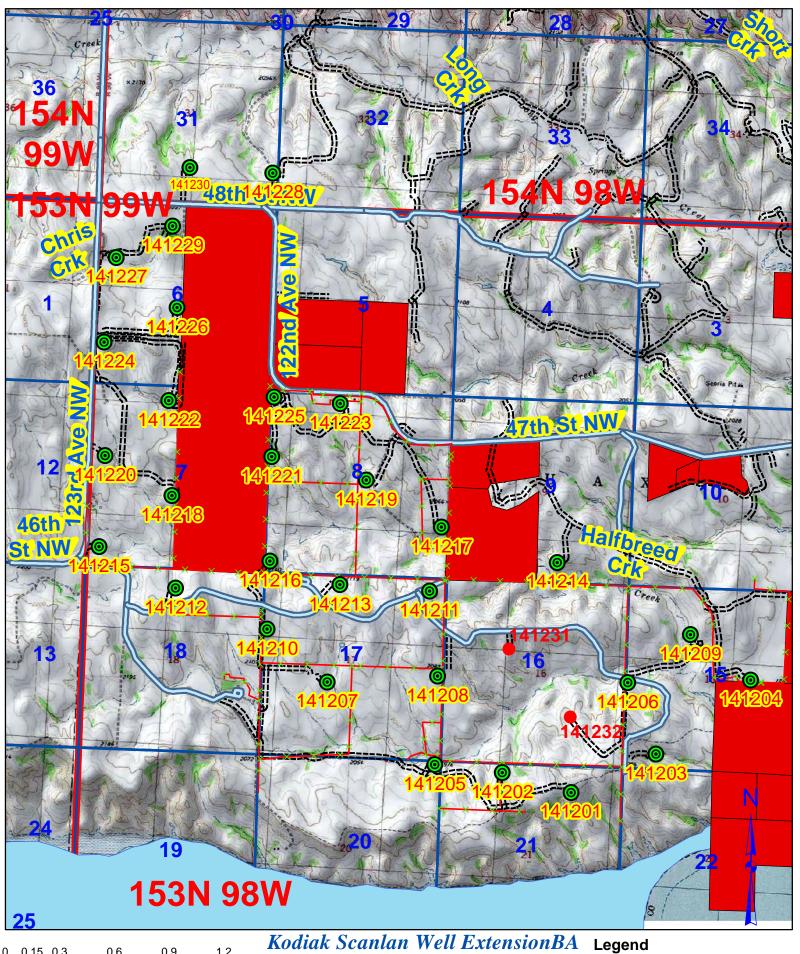
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By 500 LAWS

Title

Mineral Resources Permit Manager



Date: 3/26/2014

Miles Williams County, North Dakota Kodiak Oil and Gas U.S.A 30 Holes plus 2 holes on 153N 98W sec. 16

Preplot with points on State land

Scanlan Wells Extension Post

Coordinate System: NAD 1927 StatePlane North Dakota North FIPS 3301



Oil and Gas Division

Lynn D. Helms - Director

Bruce E. Hicks - Assistant Director

Department of Mineral Resources

Lynn D. Helms - Director

North Dakota Industrial Commission

www.dmr.nd.gov/gilgas/

FEBRUARY 14, 2014

MR. DIMAS GONZALEZ PARTY MANAGER MICROSEISMIC, INC. ONE WESTCHASE CENTER 10777 WESTEIMER ST HOUSTON, TX 77042

RE: KODIAK SCANLAN WELLS EXTENSION

GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION PERMIT # 97-0246

WILLIAMS COUNTY

NON EXPLOSIVE METHOD

Dear Mr. Gonzalez:

Please be advised that we are in receipt of your Geophysical Exploration (noise attenuation test) permit application and it is conditionally approved; effective for one year from FEBRUARY 14, 2014. PURSUANT TO NDAC 43-02-12-05 (DISTANCE RESTRICTION) non-explosive exploration method may not be conducted not less than 300 feet from a water well, building, underground cistern, pipelines, and flowing spring. Review the following conditions for your permit:

- 1. A pre-program meeting with state seismic inspector Tom Torstenson is required. You must contact him at 701-290-1546 (cell) or 701-227-7436 at least 24 hours prior to any exploration operations. Also, a copy of the entire permit is required for all contractors at the pre-program meeting.
- 2. All variances for distance restrictions are to be furnished, and a pre-plot map displaying any source points that do not comply with the distance restriction rule must be supplied to the inspector.
- 3. The following information must be submitted within 30 days of the completion of the project by the Geophysical Company:
 - a. Completion Report,
 - b. Completion Affidavit,
 - c. Post Plot Map. It must show all water wells, buildings, underground cisterns, pipelines, and flowing springs that fall within the program area and within one half mile of the perimeter of the program.
 - d. SD card or email: <u>ttorstenson@nd.gov</u> with all source and receiver points,

- e. Letter stating that the Geophysical Company has given all surface owner's a copy of the Section and Chapter of the NDCC as stated in paragraph 5.
- 4. The following information must be submitted within 30 days of the completion of the project by the SUBCONTRACTOR(s) (when applicable):
 - a. Plugging Report
 - b. Plugging Affidavit
- 5. It is required that within seven days of initial contact between the permitting agent and the operator of the land, the permitting agent shall provide the operator of the land and each landowner owning land within one-half mile of the land on which geophysical exploration activities are to be conducted a written copy of NDCC Section 38-08.1-04.1 (Exploration Permit) and NDCC Chapter 38-11.1 (Oil and Gas Production Damage Compensation). The permitting agent shall file an affidavit with this office confirming compliance with such notification. For your convenience, a copy of both Sections are enclosed.
- 6. The permit agent shall notify the operator of the land at least seven days before commencement of any geophysical exploration activity, unless waived by mutual agreement of both parties. The notice must include the approximate time schedule and the location of the planned activity.
- 7. Information regarding the location of water wells, springs, etc.; refer to the following ND State Water Commission Mapservice website, at: http://mapservice.swc.state.nd.us/
- 8. The entire permit can be viewed, as well as the status of various seismic projects in the state, at: https://www.dmr.nd.gov/oilgas/seismic/seismicstats.asp

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, feel free to contact me at 701-328-8020, or Tom Torstenson at the number listed in paragraph 1.

Sincerely,

Todd L. Holweger DMR Permit Manager



GEOPHYSICAL EXPLORATION PERMIT - FORM GE 1

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OF NORTH DAKOTA OIL AND GAS DIVISION 600 EAST BOULEVARD DEPT 405 BISMARCK, ND 58505-0840 SFN 51459 (03-2011)

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| 1) a. Company Microseismic,Inc. | | Address 10777 Westh | eimer Rd Suite 500 |) Houst | on Texas 7704 | | |
| Contact Dimas Gonzalez | | Telephone (432) 238-970 | 00 | | Fax (713) 781-232 | 6 62821292 | |
| Surety Company U.S.Specialty Ins | urance Company | Bond Amount \$50,000 | | | Bond Number B005315 | | |
| 2) a. Subcontractor(s) Glacier Exploration | on Suprove I td | Address | y 2 NW, Havre, Mt. | 50501 | Telephone (713) 304-304 | 14 | |
| b. Subcontractor(s) | on Surveys, Ltu. | Address | y Z NVV, MAVIE, MIL. | 39301 | Telephone | ** | |
| Val's Drilling | | | . Columbia Falls, N | ft. 59 | (403) 226-205 | 57 | |
| 3) Party Manager | | Address (local) | | | Telephone (local) | | |
| Dimas Gonzalez | NI | 189 14th st S | idney, MT 59270 | | (432) 238-970 |)0 | |
| 4) Project Name or Line Kodiak Scanlan | wells extension | | | | | | |
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Installation of Micro Seismic monitors in the Kodiack Scalan Well Extension

This project involves the installation of Micro Seismic monitors in 30 locations over an area as noted below and on the attached map. All specific locations will be approved by landowners and care will be taken to locate monitors where they will be easily accessible by Micro Seismic, Inc. technicians on a regular basis, and where they will not conflict with farming or ranching operations. Monitors will be in use for at least one year and up to five years.

Area of Monitor Installation:

Project area is in Williams County, North Dakota:

- •153N 98W Sec 5,6,7,8,9,15,16,17,18,21
- •153N 99W Sec 1,12
- •154N 98W Sec 31
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Purpose of Monitors:

To record the sounds emitted when the reservoir is stimulated with high pressure fluid during the hydro fracturing procedures in the area. By mapping the spatial and temporal location of the points of sound emission in the reservoir and by relating these positions to the rate of fluid injection, much can be determined to improve the effectiveness of hydro fracturing.

Installation Process and Plugging Information:

A 300' hole will be drilled (using conventional drill trucks) at each predetermined location as approved by landowners. The geophone string will be attached to a 1" PVC pipe and lowered in to the hole. The geophones are spaced 50' apart to a depth of 300' (with the top geophone located 150' below surface).

Once the geophones are installed they will be cemented in, using a light slurry of "Quick Crete" Portland cement pumped through the PVC to a level approximately 100 feet from the surface. The compressive strength of the cement will be 945 psi @ 140 deg After 72 hours. From past experience, it is expected to take 20 sacks of cement from 300 ft to 150ft. Once the cement is pumped the hole is temporarily plugged to allow the cement 24 hrs to set up. The cement will settle to the 150 foot level.

24 hrs later the temporary plug is removed and one bag of sand is added to assist in attenuating noise from above reaching the cemented area. The hole will then be filled with course bentonite to within 18 inches of the surface. A non metallic plug (which will have MSI scribed into the plug) will be inserted in to a depth of 18 inches. The hole will then be filled with cuttings to the surface. Cuttings will be spread out or removed

depending on the landowner's preference.

Surface Indications:

On the surface there will be a small vault that will be flush to the ground for the purpose of housing the geophone leads. There will be a sign installed on location indicating geophone buried-do not dig. The sign will also have Micro Seismic, Inc. contact information and client name.

During periods of data acquisition each geophone string is plugged in to a Remote Acquisition Unit (RAUL) used to digitize the analog geophone output. Each RAUL is approximately $6" \times 6" \times 10"$ in size, has a 12 volt external power supply and sits on the ground near the buried geophone string.

Four wheeled all-terrain vehicles (UTV's) such will be used for bulk equipment movement along approved roads and trails.

Some time in the future when the monitoring is completed, wire leads will be cut, signs removed and the surface will be restored to normal.

Upon Completion of Monitor Installation:

An inventory of locations will be done upon completion and landowners will be paid pursuant to the permit agreement.

The NDIC Oil & Gas Division will be provided;

A post-plot map showing actual monitor location installations and an SD Card with the Latitude and Longitude of each monitor location that is installed.



Industrial Commission of North Dakota Oil & Gas Division 600 East Blvd. Dept. 405 Bismarck, North Dakota 58505

RE: Glacier Exploration Services Ltd., Contracted to MicroSeismic, Inc.

Dear, Mr. Todd Holweger,

We at MicroSeismic, Inc. are engaged in the process of conducting, a Buried Array Service, in Williams County, North Dakota. Our client Kodiak Oil and Gas U.S.A has contracted MicroSeismic, Inc. to bury Geophones in the Ground and Monitor their Fracing programs. Microseismic has contracted Streamline Permit Services to acquire permission from the surface Owners of the property were we will be placing the Buried Array. Streamline Permitting, will obtain all permits for the surface, to bury the Geophones. Please call if you have questions. (713) 304-3044.

Best Regards

Jake Fadeley

(713) 304-3044 Permit Agent

Glacier Exploration Surveys

2-6-14



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FEBRUARY 14, 2014

The Honorable Beth Innis Williams County Auditor P.O. Box 2047 Williston, ND 58802-2047

RE:

Geophysical Exploration

Permit #97-0246

Dear Ms. Innis:

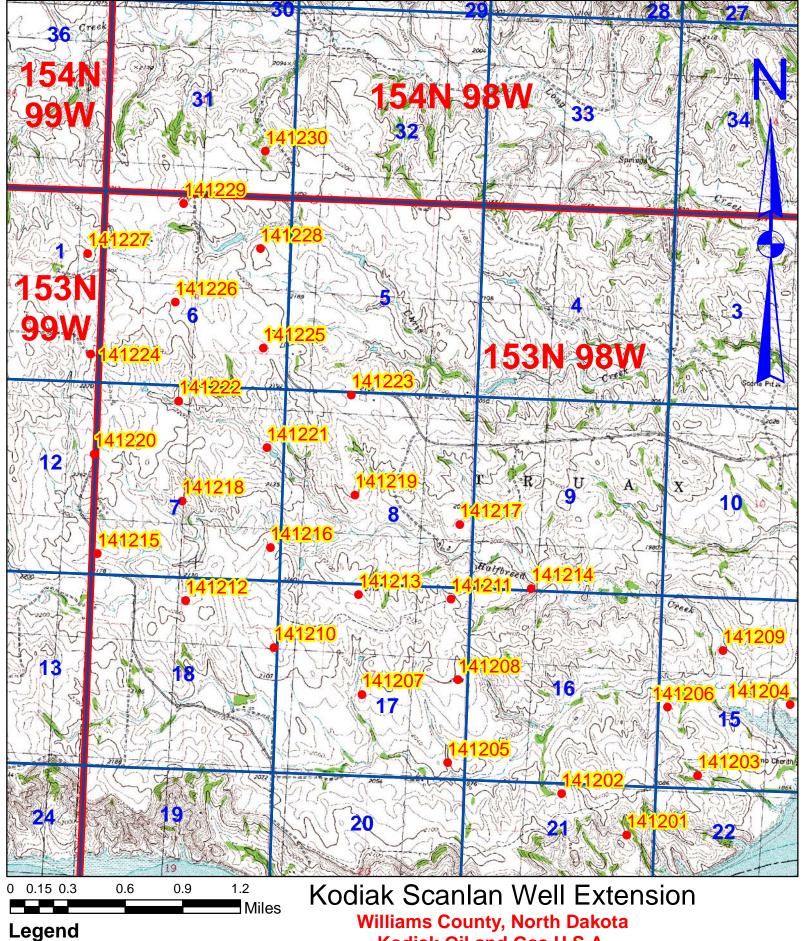
Pursuant to Section 38-08.1-04.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, please be advised that MICROSEISMIC, INC. was issued the above captioned permit on FEBRUARY 14, 2014 and will remain in effect for a period of one year. The entire permit can be viewed on our website at: https://www.dmr.nd.gov/oilgas/seismic/seismicstats.asp

Should you have any questions, please contact our office.

Sincerely,

Todd L. Holweger

DMR Permit manager



Kodiack Scalan well extension pre nad27

Kodiak Oil and Gas U.S.A 30 total stations

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Coordinate System: NAD 1927 StatePlane North Dakota North FIPS 3301

Date: 2/6/2014

Geophone Installation

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