

# North Fork Farms, LLC

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Kansas Corporation Commission  
/s/ Lynn M. Retz

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KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION  
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CONSERVATION DIVISION  
WICHITA, KS

Re: H & C Oil Operating Inc. *18-CONS-3345-CULC*  
Application for a permit to inject saltwater  
into Bakel Unit #25-S1W located in Graham  
County, Kansas

## Objection by North Fork Farms, LLC to said application:

North Fork Farms, LLC, does respectfully object to grant by the State Corporation Commission of the Application to commence the injection of saltwater into the Lansing-Kansas formation in the Bakel Unit #25-SiW, located in the NE SE NE section 25-9S-R25W Graham County, Kansas.

Said objection is based upon the following:

1. North Fork Farms, LLC., has repetitively requested information from the Applicant relative to this application so that North Fork can analyze the same and Applicant has refused or neglected to provide the same.
2. The percentages proposed by Applicant as to production divisions are less than the ownership in the proposed pool. It appears that North Fork has 22.22% of the acres in the proposed pool, and would receive 14.617% of the production.
3. The percentages proposed by Applicant as to production division are less than the cumulative production percentage in the proposed pool. It appears that North Fork has 23% of the production in the proposed pool, and would receive 14.617% of the production.
4. The Applicant circulated for review the Unit Agreement Bakel Waterflood Unit Graham County, Kansas to all other interested parties, and received executed documents back from all parties prior to sending agreement to North Fork Farms, LLC and Kathleen Richmeier for review or comment. Within 15 days of receiving this Unit Agreement, and notice was published in the Hill City Times (attached for reference).

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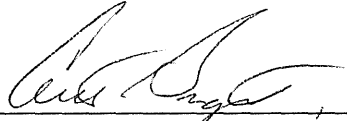
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5. North Fork has objected to certain language in the proposed Agreement and Applicant's position has been "take it or leave it and that they are proceeding with or without our agreement". The proposed language which North Fork objects is as follows:
- a. Article 2, as it references the Exhibits specifying Unit Interest.
  - b. Article 5 Tract Participations.
  - c. Article 9 Titles. We do not wish to warrant our title.
  - d. Article 10 Easement or Use of Surface. We do not wish to grant an easement over the entirety of our property, do not want to allow the use of surface or ground water, and would like surface damages to be clarified.
  - e. Article 19 and Article 20. The agreement references the Unit Operating Agreement. We have requested this to review, and Applicant refused or neglected to provide the same.

While North Fork is aware that Applicant asserts that due to higher production yields with grant of the proposed application that North Fork is not harmed by the same, that ignores the right of North Fork to object based upon the above concerns / objections.

Pursuant to the above, North Fork respectfully requests that said application be denied, and respectfully requests a hearing herein.

By: , Managing Member  
Curtis Brungardt, Managing Member

2/15/2018  
Date

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First Published In The Hill City Times,  
Wednesday, January 17, 2018:

**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION  
COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS  
NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION**

RE: Russell Oil, Inc. – Application for a  
permit to authorize the disposal of  
saltwater into the Bollig "D" #3-25,  
located in Graham County, Kansas.

TO: All Oil & Gas Producers, Unleased  
Mineral Interest Owners, Landowners,  
and all persons whomever concerned.

You, and each of you, are hereby  
notified that Russell Oil, Inc. has filed an  
application to commence the disposal of  
saltwater into the Arbuckle formation at  
the Bollig "D" #3-25, located 1540'FS  
and 1270'FE of Section 25-10S-23W,  
Graham County, Kansas, with a  
maximum operating pressure of 250#  
and a maximum injection rate of 1,000  
bbls per day.

Any persons who object to or protest  
this application shall be required to file  
their objections or protest with the  
Conservation Division of the State  
Corporation Commission of the State of  
Kansas within thirty (30) days from the  
date of this publication. These protests  
shall be filed pursuant to Commission  
regulation and must state specific  
reasons why granting the application  
may cause waste, violate correlative  
rights or pollute the natural resources of  
the State of Kansas.

All persons interested or concerned  
shall take notice of the foregoing and  
shall govern themselves accordingly.

Russell Oil, Inc.  
P.O. Box 8050  
Edmond, OK 73083  
(405) 752-7600

**Classifieds Will  
Work For You!**

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**By A. Tyler Labenz, Resource  
Soil Scientist  
Hutchinson, Kansas**

Kansas, along with all the states,  
has adopted official state symbols  
that represent its unique natural

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**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION  
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF  
KANSAS**

**NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION**

RE: H & C Oil Operating Inc. –  
Application for a permit to  
inject saltwater into the Bakel  
Unit # 25-SIW, located in  
Graham County, Kansas.

TO: All Oil & Gas Producers,  
Unleased Mineral Interest  
Owners, Landowners, and all  
persons whomever  
concerned.

You, and each of you, are hereby  
notified that H & C Oil Operating Inc.  
has filed an application to commence  
the injection of saltwater into the  
Lansing-Kansas formation in the Bakel  
Unit # 25-SIW, located in the NE SE NE,  
section 25-T9S-R25W Graham County,  
Kansas with a maximum operating  
pressure of 1250 # and a maximum  
injection rate of 1000 bbls per day.

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H & C Oil Operating, Inc.  
PO Box 86  
Plainville, Kansas 67663  
785-434-7434

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# Kansas has a "State Soil"

history, heritage, and culture. Most  
people are familiar with the Kansas  
symbols including the buffalo  
cottonwood tree, western meadow  
lark, and sunflower. However, few  
people know that Kansas also  
recognizes an official state soil, the  
Harney Silt Loam.

A state soil is a soil that has  
special significance to a particular  
state. Soil is Kansas' most valuable  
resource. Combined with the  
state's climate and water supply,  
soil supports the state's top  
industry, agriculture. Agriculture  
accounts for nearly \$6 billion each  
year to the Kansas economy.  
Harney silt loam was adopted as  
the Kansas State Soil on April 12,  
1990, when Governor Mike  
Hayden signed Senate Bill 96 into  
law. Each state in the United States  
has selected a state soil, but only  
twenty have been legislatively  
established.

Harney Silt Loam is a very deep,  
nearly level to moderately sloping,  
well-drained soil on flat ridgetops  
and side slopes. This soil typically  
has a dark grayish brown silt loam  
surface layer about 12 inches deep.  
Below this lies the subsoil which is  
about 23 inches deep. The upper  
part of this layer is grayish brown  
silty clay loam and the lower part is  
brown calcareous silty clay loam.  
The parent material layer goes from  
a depth of 35 to 70 inches and is  
calcareous silt loam.

Harney silt loam formed under  
prairie grasslands and over  
thousands of years developed a  
deep organic topsoil. Harney silt  
loam covers almost four million  
acres covering 26 west central  
Kansas counties. A variety of cash  
crops, irrigated and dryland, are  
raised on Harney Silt Loam.  
Livestock including cattle, sheep  
and hogs get their food directly  
from this soil.

The name "Harney," meaning