

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

In the matter of the application of Hawkins Oil,) Docket No.: 23-CONS-3270-CHOR
LLC for an Order permitting of its Marsh #16)
horizontal well to be drilled in Section 6,) CONSERVATION DIVISION
Township 26 South, Range 5 East, Butler)
County, Kansas..) License No.: 32693

**MOTION FOR THE DESIGNATION OF A PRESIDING OFFICER AND
THE SCHEDULING OF A PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

Staff of the Kansas Corporation Commission (Staff and Commission, respectively) moves the Commission for the designation of a presiding officer and the scheduling of a prehearing conference in this matter. In support of its motion, Staff states as follows:

1. On April 14, 2023, Hawkins Oil, LLC (Operator) filed an application seeking an order permitting the drilling of its proposed Marsh #16 horizontal well (Subject Well). On June 16, 2023, Operator provided affidavits of publication from the Wichita Eagle and Butler County Times Gazette. On August 18, 2023, Operator filed an updated map with Offset Operators listed.

2. Upon review of the application, affidavits of publication, and updated map of Offset Operators, Legal Staff noted that the application does not appear to provide sufficient information that allows Staff to recommend an order granting the application.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons described above, Staff respectfully moves the Commission to issue an Order designating a presiding officer, and scheduling a prehearing conference that will allow further development of a procedural schedule in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that a true and correct copy of the attached Motion for the Designation of a Presiding Officer and the Scheduling of a Prehearing Conference has been served to the following by means of first class mail and electronic service on September 12, 2023.

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