# BEFORE THE KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSISON OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

In the matter of the Application of Thresher Energy)	Docket No. 25-CONS-3374-CEXC
Inc for an exception to the )	
10-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for its)	CONSERVION DIVISION
Thompson 5-1 well located in the SE/NE of Section 5)	
Township 33 South, Range 5 East, Cowley County,)	License No.: 35820
Kansas.	
)	

### **APPLICATION**

COMES NOW Thresher Energy Inc. (Applicant) in support of its application in the captioned matter and states as follows:

- Applicant is a Limited Liability Company authorized to do business in the State of Kansas. Applicant's address is 2 Northpoint Dr, Suite 800, Houston, Texas 77060.
- 2. Applicant has been issued by the Kansas Corporation Commission Operator's License 35820, which expires on February 28, 2026.
- 4. Pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-111, the well was shut in, or Applicant obtained temporary abandonment status, for the subject well on June 6<sup>th</sup> 2015

The subject well has maintained such status from June 6<sup>th</sup> 2015, to the present date.

- 5. On or about March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025, the Kansas Corporation Commission notified Applicant temporary abandonment status for the subject well would be denied from and after June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025 because subject well has been temporarily abandoned for more than ten (10) years.
- 6. K.A.R. 82-3-111 imposes a 10-year limitation on the amount of time during which wells may be temporarily abandoned, but an exception to the 10-year limitation may be obtained pursuant to said regulation through an application filed with the Commission pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-100. Applicant seeks such an exception.
- 7. On May 13, 2025, the subject well passed a Commission Staff-witnessed mechanical integrity test of the casing between the surface and a point within fifty (50) feet above the uppermost perforation or open hole in the well.
- 8. Applicant wishes to continue TA status for the subject well, because Applicant intends to use the well for the following purpose:

The well will remain shut-in for the immediate future. The well is currently under evaluation to be recompleted as a producer or converted to a disposal well.

- 9. Applicant submits the following information regarding the well in support of the Application:
  - a. The lease consists of the following wells:

1 TA producer

- b. Estimated cost to P&A the Maddix 11 \$18,000
- c. Current lease production rate 0 BOD
- d. There is an estimated 42 MBO remaining reserves, based on current decline curve analysis.
- 10. Applicant has included a plat map showing the location of all producing, injection, temporarily abandoned, abandoned, and plugged wells located on the same leased premises as the subject well.
- 11. Based on the foregoing, Applicant requests the Commission grant an exception to the 10-year limitation, specifically to allow the subject well to remain eligible for temporary abandonment status for three (3) years following the expiration of the 10-year limitation. Applicant understands that the exception would be valid for three (3) years, but Applicant would still need to apply annually to the Conservation Division District Office for approval of an application for temporary abandonment status.
- 12. Listed in the attached Exhibit "A" are the names and addresses of the following persons:
  - A. Each operator of each oil and gas lease covering lands within one-half (1/2) mile radius of the subject well; and
  - B. Each person who owns any mineral interests of record in and under any lands located within one-half (1/2) mile radius of subject well (Provided that such material interests is not covered by any oil and gas lease).
- 13. Notice of this Application will be published pursuant to K.A.R. 82-3-135a.

In addition, notice of the hearing to be held in this manner will be provided as prescribed by K.A.R. 82-3-135.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that this matter be granted administratively without a hearing, or in the alternative be set for hearing, and upon hearing that the Commission grant Applicant's request, for an exception to the K.A.R. 82-3-111 ten (10) year limitation, to allow the subject well to remain temporarily abandoned for three (3) years, subject to annual approval by the Conservation Division District Office of an application for temporary abandonment status.

Respectfully Submitted,

Thresher Energy Inc.

2 Northpoint Dr

Suite 800

Houston, Texas 77060

By \_\_\_\_\_/

Becky Rojas

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify on this13th day of May 2025, true and correct copies of the above and foregoing Application and the Notice of Application were served by depositing copies of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to the landowner/s set forth in paragraph 14 of said Application and each party set forth in Exhibit "A" attached to said Application filed by Applicant, and the original and seven (7) copies were hand delivered to the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Becky Rojas

## **EXHIBIT A**

A. Each operator of each oil and gas lease covering lands within one-half (1/2) mile radius of the subject well is identified below:

Thresher Energy Inc. 2 Northpoint Dr Ste 800 Houston, Texas 77060

B. Each person who owns any mineral interests of record in and under any lands located within one-half (1/2) mile radius of subject well (provided that such material interests are not covered by any oil and gas lease) are identified below:

# Cowley Co, Kansas Thompson 5-1 Well

### Township 33 South, Range 05 East

Section 5:	Interest	Name	Status/Operator
Lots 1,2 & S/2NE/4	Sur +	Thomas R. & Cynthia Y. Thompson 14727 182nd Rd. Winfield, KS 67156	Shows Open 307/499 307/500 642/270
Lots 3,4 & S/2NW/4	Sur +	James Cecil Thompson & Edith E. Thompson Revocable Trust dated 8-1-24  3330 Turnberry Cir. Manhattan, KS 66503	Shows Open 1049/698 1142/235 963/193 920/207 963/195 tract 1142/235

SW/4	Sur +	Myrne K. Simpson Living Trust ATTN: Larry Theurer P.O. Box 601 Wellington, KS 67152	Shows Open 443/574 443/235 443/233 319/348		
SE/4 less tract beginning N1230.98 from SE/c, W873.57, N897.56, E873.57, S to POB.	Sur +	Michael & Amber Sekavek 14764 192nd Rd. Winfield, KS 67156	Shows Open 1041/754 562/17 521/106 285/357		
Tract in SE/4 beginning N1230.98 from SE/c, W873.57, N897.56, E873.57, S to POB. 17.43 acres	Sur +	Alan D. & Yvonne M. Marcotte 19721 141st Rd. Winfield, KS 67156	Shows Open 462/263 436/773 317/493		
Thompson 5-1		Taos Resources Operating Company 10700 N Freeway Ste 930 Houston, TX 77037-1142	Shows Open On Rendition		
Section 4:					
SW/4	Sur +	Kevin D. & Audrey Sue Adams 14994 182nd Rd. Winfield, KS 67156	Shows Open 912/261 703/612		
Lots 3,4 & S/2NW/4	Sur +	Colin & Jackie Whitley 11895 N 3570th Rd. Seminole, OK 74868	Shows Open 507/110		
Township 32 South, Range 05 East					
Section 32:					
SE/4 less 3 tracts	Sur +	Springhill Farm, LLC 2701 Cabrillo Dr. Winfield, KS 67156	Shows Open 876/210 911/533		
Tract in SE/4 Beg NE/c	Sur+	Mark A. & Judy G. Nelson	Shows Open		

W840, S778, E840, N

to

24555 141st Rd.

POB 7.5 acres &

Winfield, KS 67156

Tract in SE/4 Beg NE/c W449, S728,E449, N to

POB 7.0 acres

Pt. S/2 Beg. S778 from Sur +

Beth Ann Holman & Steven Holman

**Shows Open** 

NE/c of SE/4, W840, N778,

W1787, S828, E2627, N50,

to POB.

24519 141st Rd.

Winfield, KS 67156

Section 33:

SW/4 less cemetary

Sur +

Kevin D. & Audrey Sue Adams

Shows Open 1015/108

14994 182nd Rd.

Winfield, KS 67156

Cemetary in SW/4 beg

in

Sur +

Fairwiew Cemetary Assoc.

**Shows Open** 

SW/c, N165, E132,

S165,

W to POB

Attn: Thomas Neal 16405 171st Rd.

Winfield, KS 67156

C. The name and address of the landowner on whose land the well affected by this

Application is located is identified below:

Thomas R. & Cynthia Y. Thompson

14727 182nd Rd.

Winfield, KS 67156

# BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

#### NOTICE OF FILING APPLICATION

**RE:** Thresher Energy Inc – Application for an exception to the 10-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for the Maddix 11well, located in Cowley County, Kansas.

**TO:** All oil and gas producers, unleased mineral interest owners, landowners, and all persons whomever concerned.

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that Thresher Energy INC. has filed an Application for an exception to the 10-year time limitation of K.A.R. 82-3-111 for the Maddix 11 well located in the NE NW SE of Section 10-33-5 E, Cowley County, Kansas.

Any persons who object to or protest this Application shall be required to file their objections or protests with the Conservation Division of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas within fifteen (15) days from the date of this publication. These protests shall be filed pursuant to Commission regulations and must state specific reason why the granting of 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.

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