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July 2, 1986

Albert R. Greer, President
Benson-Montin-Greer Drilling Corp.
221 Petroleum Center Bldg.
Farmington, NM 87401

Re: Tow Creek Unit
Routt County, Colorado

Dear Al:

Your plan of development for 1986 by reentering the old well in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31-6N-86W is hereby approved. By copy of this letter we are so advising Mr. Frank A. Salwerowicz of the Bureau of Land Management.

We have been requesting a surety bond for your Well No. 1-12, SW/SW, Section 12-5N-87W, Routt County, Colorado, and have not received it as of this date. Please furnish the bond as soon as possible.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

T. E. Bretz
Minerals Director

TEB:bvm

cc: Frank A. Salwerowicz
Cox & Cox
Robert Clift
✓ Bill Smith - OGCC

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Please review and see if
need to have some input at
this time. Are their records
up to date? Have they complied
with his request regarding pits
if they were involved.

*7/15 No problems at present;
No intents as of now. RB*

ANTHONY SABATINI
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Minerals Director

ROBERT HAPGOOD
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June 21, 1986

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Attention: Mr. T.E. Bretz
Minerals Director

U.S. Department of the Interior
Bureau of Land Management
Oil & Gas Office
2020 Arapahoe Street
Denver, CO 80205

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JUN 24 1986

Attention: Mr. Frank A. Salwerowicz
Deputy Minerals Manager

STATE LAND BOARD

Re: TOW CREEK UNIT
ROUTT COUNTY, COLORADO:
1986 PLAN OF DEVELOPMENT

Gentlemen:

We are submitting to you now for your consideration our proposed Plan of Development for calendar year 1986.

First we report that the well planned for 1985 in Section 36, Township 6 North, Range 87 West, was drilled and has been fraced and is currently being tested. Last indications are that it will probably be a small well.

For year 1986 we propose to re-enter the old well in the NW/4 of Section 31, Township 6 North, Range 86 West. When this well was originally drilled, it penetrated only the upper part of the Niobrara where it encountered an oil flow and downhole fire resulting in melting of the drill string and leaving drill collars in the hole.

Our intent now is to sidetrack the drill collars, drill through the entire Niobrara section, run liner and stimulate as appears advisable.

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BENSON-MONTIN-GREER DRILLING CORP.

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We hereby request your approval of this 1986 Plan of
Development for the Tow Creek Unit.

Yours truly,

BENSON-MONTIN-GREER DRILLING CORP.

BY:


Albert R. Greer, President

ARG/tlp