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BEFORE THE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

APPLICANT: VALIDUS ENERGY II MIDCON LLC

RELIEF SOUGHT: POOLING

LAND COVERED: SECTION(S) 2, TOWNSHIP 13 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, CUSTER COUNTY, OKLAHOMA

NOTICE OF HEARING CD-2026-000624-T

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BEFORE THE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

APPLICANT: VALIDUS ENERGY II MIDCON LLC

RELIEF SOUGHT: POOLING

LAND COVERED: SECTION(S) 35, TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST, CUSTER COUNTY, OKLAHOMA

NOTICE OF HEARING
CD-2026-000628-T

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA: To the following parties, if living; or if deceased, then their unknown heirs, devisees, executors, administrators, successors, trustees, and/or assigns; or, the unknown successors, trustees or assigns, if any, of any dissolved corporation, or the unknown successors of any party designated in any record as trustee: Anita Gayle Walker c/o Dita Michelle Walker; BCE-Mach II LLC; Bertha Music c/o Marvin Music; Betty Fiehmman c/o Chris Alan Fiehmman; Blue Moon

Investments, LLC c/o Steve Trice; Brandon Friesen; Cheryl Friesen; Christy Friesen; Continental Resources, Inc.; Dawn Chauncey c/o Marvin Murray Chauncey; Debbie Friesen; Diamond K. Energy, LLC; Elaine Friesen c/o Kermit Raab; Evolution Energy, LLC; FJP Resources, LLC; FossilTec, Inc.; Janice E. Peoples c/o Bruce Jarrett Peoples; John Randall Friesen; John W. Friesen c/o David W. Friesen; Keystone Energy, LLC; Marsha Dee Clymer; Martha Friesen, now Franklin; Michael Duane Friesen; Norma Jean Lee; Nova Royalty, LLC; Patti Henshel c/o Mary Ann Stahl; Peggy Dickerson; Quartz Royalty LLC; Rebecca Friesen; Rivendell Royalty Corp.; Sue Ella Krenger Revocable Trust; Susan J. Wolfe; Thunder Energy, LLC, now Royal Rose, LLC; Timson Exploration Company, LLC; Unbridled Resources, LLC; Virginia Friesen; William C. Ward; and all persons, owners, producers and operators, purchasers and takers of oil and gas, and all other interested persons in Custer County, Oklahoma.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant in this Cause is requesting that the Commission pool all oil and gas interests in the Mississippian, Woodford and Hunton common source(s) of supply in the 640-acre horizontal drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section(s) 35, Township 14 North, Range 16 West, Custer County, Oklahoma, adjudicating the rights and equities of the oil and gas owners thereof and designating Validus Energy II Midcon LLC, or some other party, as operator of the unit well.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Applicant in this Cause is requesting the following special relief:

(a) The Applicant shall request at the hearing that the Order provide that any owner electing an alternative to participation in the well drilled thereunder shall be deemed to have relinquished all of its working interest and right to drill in the unit and common sources of supply named herein as to such well and any wells drilled subsequent thereto.

(b) The Applicant may propose that the Order to issue in this Cause provide a method for proposal of subsequent wells, including multiunit horizontal wells; and, for response to that proposal by owners who elect to participate in the initial well.

(c) At the hearing the applicant may request that the Order to issue in this Cause provide to the operator a period of one (1) year from the date of the Order in which to commence operations for the drilling of the initial well proposed hereunder.

(d) The Applicant may also propose that parties electing not to participate in subsequent wells

drilled hereunder be limited to a specific option for bonus and royalty in lieu of participation.

(e) Applicant may request that said Order be made effective on a date prior to its signing.

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Local sports



CMS dominates in Lawton; CHS archers finish runner-up

David Topolewski
WDN Managing Editor

The Clinton Middle School archery team saved its best for last. Traveling to Lawton for the final regular-season tournament, CMS delivered its strongest performance of the year, capturing nearly all of the middle school trophies and posting its highest team score of the season to claim first place in the middle school team division. Joseph Ernst led the way, winning the middle school boys title with

a 286. Payson Panana followed in second at 284, while Karsten Moore placed third with a 276 to complete a dominant showing for the boys. On the girls side, Cassi Ray secured first place with a 279 and Hayda Jimenez-Ramos added a third-place finish with a 267. The high school squad also turned in a strong performance at the Lawton Kiwanis Archery Tournament, finishing second as a team with a score of 3,276. Julian Hayes highlighted the day in an intense two-man shoot-off for

the individual boys championship against Landon Carr of Lawton Academy of Arts and Sciences. Hayes narrowly missed the title by one point, finishing second with a 293. Malakai Moreno added a 281, and Zachary Guinn posted a 280. In the girls division, Lexa Panana captured first place with a 276, winning a 3-way tie thanks to her 16 tens. Lexi Vela followed with a sixth-place finish at 272. The high school team will next compete at the Grand State tournament in Tulsa on Feb. 25.

◀ Clinton High School archer Julian Hayes competes at a tournament in Lawton last weekend.

Settlement

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farm. For Langley, the most concerning aspect of the litigation is the potential changes to how poultry litter can be applied to land. “If I buy litter from my neighbor who isn’t growing for one of the defendants, I can spread it under normal regulations, and that’s the part that makes absolutely no sense,” Langley said. “It’s not really about regulating litter. It’s about the brand name.” Langley said the rule feels brand-based, not science-based. Langley and many other farmers involved in the lawsuit operate breeder farms, which

produce fertilized eggs that are sent to hatcheries and eventually raised as broilers for meat production. Because they are unable to fully apply their litter as natural fertilizer, some farms are forced to sell it, hoping to find buyers willing to take it. Breeder litter is less nutrient-dense than broiler litter, containing lower levels of nitrogen and phosphorus, making it more difficult to sell. Still, Langley said litter application was never unregulated. “Before all this, we had to do soil samples. We had to do litter samples. We had to have a

nutrient management plan showing where we could and couldn’t spread on our farm, whether there were slopes draining into a stream, which there aren’t on our place. We had to follow all those guidelines,” Langley said. “Now, because we operate a breeder farm, nobody really wants breeder litter. So we’re left with litter and nowhere to take it,” she said. *Gaylord News is a reporting project of the University of Oklahoma Gaylord College of Journalism and Mass Communication. For more stories by Gaylord News go to GaylordNews.net.*

Punneo

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Attorney General’s office, his CV stood out due to his involvement in Alpha Mu Gamma, a national foreign language honor society. “It gives you such an advantage when you’re applying to places,” Punneo said of the importance of knowing different languages. Punneo also spoke about a major

accomplishment for SWOSU featuring languages. The university has been selected to host the 38th National Alpha Mu Gamma Foreign Language Convention. This marks the first time SWOSU has hosted the prestigious event, which features chapters from institutions as renowned as Harvard.

The convention coincides with the Centennial of Route 66, providing a unique opportunity to show national visitors the intersection of Oklahoma heritage and global culture. The convention, which will be March 5–7, will include a rehearsal dinner at the Stafford Air and Space Museum with free tours

for attendees, a grand campus luncheon featuring Chancellor Sean Burrage of the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education as the keynote speaker, and an Americana experience with guided tours of downtown Weatherford to showcase the “real America” along the historic Mother Road.


Safeguards

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on Commerce and Economic Development Oversight. House bills must pass in policy and oversight committees before being eligible for a vote by the full membership of the House. Maynard has an additional bill dealing with AI that has been referred to the Civil Judiciary Committee.

House Bill 3544 would protect minors from AI systems designed to simulate human-like relationships. It would prohibit the deployment of social AI companions and human-like AI chatbots to minors, and would require reasonable age certification measures, with a narrow exception for certain

therapeutic tools under strict professional oversight. Maynard said the bill reflects growing national concern, including widely reported lawsuits alleging that some AI-companion platforms foster emotional dependency in minors and, in tragic cases, encourage self-harm.



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