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November 8, 2002

Honorable James H. Welsh,
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: **APLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING**
Proposed Alternate Unit Well
U PET SUO
Upper Pettet Zone
Driscoll Field
Bienville Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **CYPRESS OPERATING, INC.**, (Applicant), to the Commissioner of Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Upper Pettet Zone, Driscoll Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana:

1. To permit the applicant to designate and utilize their J. S. Pyles No.1 Well as an alternate unit well for the production of gas and condensate from the Upper Pettet Zone in the unit designated U PET SUO at the location shown on the attached plat and made a part hereof.

2. To find that an alternate unit well is needed on the U PET SUO to assist in the efficient and effective drainage of the unit that cannot be drained by any other well located therein.

3. To permit the unit operator to produced the assigned unit allowable form the unit well, the alternate unit well
or form a combination of all wells at its discretion.

4. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

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The Upper Pettet Zone in the Driscoll Field. Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 194-D, effective July 22, 1969 and the unit designated U PET SUO was created by Office of Conservation Order No. 194-D-1, effective July 15, 1970.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of B. F. Anderson, 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101-3110. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call B. F. Anderson at 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent, that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation, can be obtained **at the expense of the requesting party**.

The subject matter of this application does not require a pre-hearing conference.

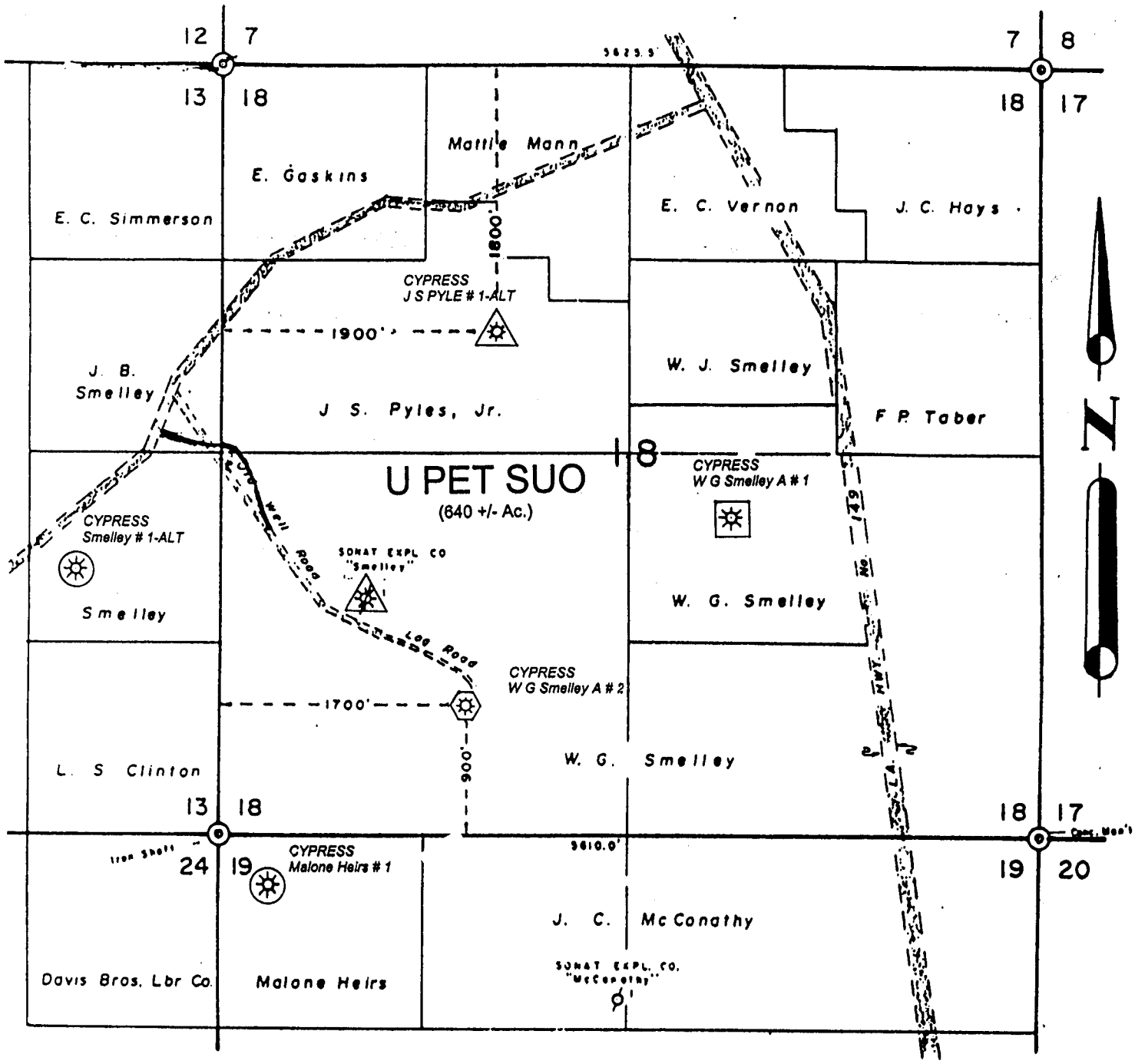
Attached hereto and made a part of, are plats showing the applicant's proposal and a list of the names and addresses of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this application is being furnished. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the list of parties is being furnished to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Office of Conservation. The list of parties will be provided to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, is attached to cover the applicable hearing fee.

Yours very truly,

B. F. Anderson, PE for
CYPRESS OPERATING, INC.

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager Shreveport District Office of Conservation
Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties



SUBSTITUTE U PET UNIT WELL

FORMER U PET UNIT WELL, NOW HOSSTON WELL

U PET WELL

PROPOSED U PET ALT. UNIT WELL

0' 500' 1000' 2000'

Docket No. Date: Exhibit No. 1

CYPRESS OPERATING, INC.
Shreveport, Louisiana

DRISCOLL FIELD
Bienville Parish, Louisiana

Plat Showing:

Proposed Alternate Unit Well
Upper Pettet Zone
U PET SUO; J. S. Pyle No. 1