

**BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL  
STATE OF WYOMING**

**In Re Andreas Petroleum**

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**Docket No. 21-3201**

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**JOINT STATUS REPORT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE**

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**COME NOW**, Andreas Petroleum (“Andreas”) and the State of Wyoming, Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division (“DEQ/WQD”), by and through their respective counsel, and hereby file this joint status report and request for an additional 60-day continuance in the above-captioned matter.

1. On June 15, 2021, the Parties appeared for a pre-hearing scheduling conference in this matter. At the hearing, the Parties requested a 90-day continuance of the matter to negotiate a settlement of the NOV and Order. Following the scheduling conference, the Council issued an Order of Continuance requiring the Parties to file a written status report on or before September 15, 2021.
2. Since the scheduling conference, Andreas has worked with DEQ/WQD to resolve the NOV and Order, including submitting for DEQ/WQD approval an Additional Site Characterization Work Plan and sampling groundwater at the spill site.
3. DEQ/WQD and Andreas continue to work together to resolve the NOV and Order, however, additional time is needed to finalize terms of the settlement. The Parties anticipate presenting the Council with a resolution of this matter within the next two months.

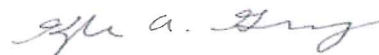
WHEREFORE, the Parties respectfully request the Council continue this matter for an additional 60 days to provide the Parties additional time to complete their settlement negotiations.

A proposed order granting the requested continuance is attached.

Submitted this 15 day of September 2021.




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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on the 15 day of September 2021, a true copy of the foregoing *Joint Status Report and Request for Continuance* was served upon the persons listed below as follows:

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