

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING**  
**OF**  
**WHITE LAKE PROPERTY ADVISORY BOARD**

**Friday, December 9, 2005**

Chairman Steve Linscombe opened the White Lake Property Advisory Board meeting, Gueydan Civic Center, and asked Ms. Lana Guidry to call the roll. The following members, and a quorum, were present:

Richard Hines  
Sammy Noel  
Don Hale  
Sean Gayle  
Nathan Granger  
Gay Gomez  
Darwin Miller  
Annie Smith  
Beverly Wade  
Eddie Young

The following members were absent:

Cindy Brown  
Karl Connor  
Buddy Leach

**Approval of Minutes of July 12, 2005 Meeting**

Chairman Linscombe called for a motion for approval of the minutes of the July 12, 2005 meeting as previously mailed. A motion for approval was made by Mr. Sammy Noel and seconded by Mr. Nathan Granger. The motion passed with no opposition.

**Introduction of New Board Member**

Chairman Linscombe introduced Mr. Sean Gayle to the Board and asked Mr. Gayle to give a brief bio to the Board.

Mr. Gayle stated he is originally from Gueydan and attended USL. He retired from Amoco after 23 years of service in their computer division. Since, Mr. Gayle said he has been in the computer business, and now operates two businesses. He owns a bookstore in

Gueydan and a wireless internet company out of Lake Arthur. Mr. Gayle stated he knows the White Lake property extremely well from hunting and fishing on the property. Additionally, his family leased 8,000 acres of land on the north side of the Intracoastal. His main objective is to see that the property maintains its' pristine nature as much as possible, and also that there is an economic development activity for the Gueydan area. He is looking forward to working with the Advisory Board.

### **Report of the Status of the Property after Hurricane Rita**

Mr. Wayne Sweeney updated the Board on the damages caused to White Lake from Hurricane Rita. He presented the Board with a damage report, which is being included as part of the record, attached to the minutes. Mr. Sweeney also presented the Board a slideshow presentation of pictures of the damages caused by Hurricane Rita.

The Board asked Mr. Sweeney if he had an estimated cost for repairs and he informed them he had contractors at the property and he received an estimate for repairing the pump station and breaks in the levee for approximately \$225,000 to \$250,000. Mr. Sweeney stated the damages to the roof had already been corrected, but they need to consider rebuilding, as well as relocating the storage sheds. He said consideration should also be given to having a roof put on the house at the boat landing.

Mr. Sweeney stated there was a tremendous amount of damage to the farmlands, and at this time he is unsure how that issue will be addressed.

Mr. Richard Hines inquired if any claims had been made to the Office of Risk Management or if any claims had been made to the federal government. Mr. Sweeney stated that no claims had been presented to the Office of Risk Management, but FEMA representatives had been to the property and he submitted to the representatives a copy of the estimate for work to be done. Mr. Sweeney said he did not know how much of that estimate the federal government would pick up. Mr. Parke Moore informed the Board that Mr. Kenny Lang, Administrator of Real Estate, Planning and Development for the Department is working directly with FEMA and the Division of Administration, but he isn't sure if any claims have been filed.

### **Finance Committee Report**

Mr. Don Hale informed the Board that the Finance Committee met on August 3 and discussed the following issues: funding, design criteria, and scheduling for a boat dock, and levee repair assistance. Mr. Hale discussed the financial report with the Board. Mr. Hale recommended that the Department repair damages from the hurricane with what funds are available in a prioritized manner. He stated the importance of repairing minor damage before it becomes a major problem costing even more than it would have originally.

Mr. Granger inquired if the Department had met any further with the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) regarding funding for levee repairs. Mr. Moore informed him

that due to the hurricanes the Department has been unable to meet with DNR representatives, but is poised to meet with them once things settle down.

Chairman Linscombe introduced Mr. Jimmy Buillard to the Board. Mr. Buillard stated that he is from St. Martinville and has hunted on the east side of the property since 1958. He presently has a five-year lease and is requesting a five-year extension. He offered to the Board that if extension is granted, he would prepay the \$150,000. Mr. Buillard informed the Board that he not only hunts, but also helps some of the farmers quite a bit with work on the agriculture lands. Mr. Noel moved to have the Department explore the legality of extending leases and the motion was seconded by Mr. Hines. The motion passed with no opposition.

Chairman Linscombe asked Ms. Annie Smith to address the Board with a particular item. Ms. Smith presented Secretary Landreneau with a letter acknowledging BP's grant to White Lake in the amount of \$250,000, which had been mailed. Ms. Smith expressed BP's wishes are that a significant portion of this year's grant and next year's grant be used towards the establishment of an education center.

### **Education and Outreach Committee Report**

Dr. Beverly Wade addressed the Board informing that the committee attempted to schedule a meeting in September, but due to Hurricane Rita that meeting had to be cancelled and is rescheduled for today, immediately following the regular board meeting.

Dr. Gay Gomez nominated new board member, Mr. Gayle, to serve on the Education and Outreach Committee. Mr. Gayle accepted the nomination and Chairman Linscombe appointed him to that committee.

Mr. Moore informed the Board that the Education Division within the Department is planning a retreat to the White Lake property to familiarize themselves with the property and what it has to offer. Mr. Moore stated that a date has not yet been selected, but he will let them know once the retreat is scheduled. He invited the Education and Outreach Committee members to participate in this retreat.

### **Natural Resources Committee Report**

Mr. Hines addressed the Board and stated the Natural Resources Committee met on August 3 and they discussed the management plan, alligator tags and egg collection, lottery hunts, waterfowl hunting seasons, public fishing on the property, and also the use of the surface both by oil and gas lessees and any other entities. Mr. Hines said they discussed some of the levee repairs (pre-storm) that were beginning to be made but have been setback due to the hurricane. Mr. Hines stated they are still pursuing other avenues to get funding to assist with the levee repairs. Mr. Hines informed the Board that he recently read in the newspaper that Congressman Charles Boustany had received approval from Congress to begin a cost-estimate for building a levee along the Intracoastal.

Mr. Hines reported there were 518 alligator harvested. Mr. Hines recommended that next alligator season there should be five (5) different alligator harvesters and the revenues should be split 60/40 with the Department receiving 60% of the revenues. Mr. Hines stated 7,728 of 8,000 alligator eggs were collected and it was a tremendous success.

Mr. Hines reported that the Committee discussed public fishing and construction of a boat dock. He stated that the costs of constructing a boat dock can range anywhere from \$80,000 to \$400,000. Mr. Hines said he feels the funds to cover this boat dock will need to come from Capital Outlay or a grant from the federal government.

Mr. Hines stated they also discussed surface use and oil and gas activities. Mr. Hines invited Mr. Mike Windham who handles oil, gas and surface use activities for the Department to address the Board on this item.

Mr. Windham addressed the Board and provided them with a handout outlining oil and gas activities approval process on the White Lake property, which is being included as part of the record, attached to the minutes.

Mr. Gayle moved to accept the Natural Resources Committee report, and Dr. Wade seconded the motion. The motion passed with no opposition.

### **Agriculture Committee Report**

Mr. Noel addressed the Board and stated the Agriculture Committee had met just prior to the board meeting. Mr. Noel commented that the rice farmers on the property are in serious need of help. He said if it were possible, the farmers would prefer to get out of White Lake to save the shirts off their back. Mr. Noel stated that since the hurricane, with the increasing fuel costs and increasing costs of operating a business, rice farming is no longer feasible. In addition, Mr. Noel stated that the land may not be usable next year for rice farming due to the high levels of salt water. However, that will be determined by the Research Station in the near future. Mr. Noel said that these farmers have made numerous improvements to the property over the past years, including keeping the land pumped off which is a major expense. He stated that if they didn't keep the land pumped off, the property would basically be a mud-bottom open lake. Mr. Noel informed the Board that the farmers are spending approximately \$500,000 per year out of their pockets for maintenance. Mr. Noel stated that if the farmers leave, the state will be charged with maintaining the property. Mr. Noel said the Committee has been searching to find relief to the farmers in order to keep them in business on the White Lake property. Mr. Noel stated the Committee is working on ideas that would allow some relief to the farmers and he believes we should assist the farmers in anyway possible because the cost to the State will end up far greater if the State has to maintain the agriculture lands. At this time, the Chairman opened the meeting up for public comments.

Mr. Pat Trahan addressed the Board and stated he has been farming on White Lake property since 1977. Mr. Trahan said he, along with the other farmers on White Lake,

lost a large portion of their crop this year. Mr. Trahan said that not only does he have the increasing costs of fuel and fertilizer, but he also has the additional problem of saltwater intrusion on the property, which has devastated the farm lands. Mr. Trahan said some areas had up to six feet of salt water and it took them approximately 14 days to pump off that part of the land. He said he pumped an estimated 4,000 acres. Mr. Trahan stated he is seeking relief from the State regarding lease payments.

Mr. Kirby Trahan addressed the Board and stated he has been farming on White Lake property since 1962. He stated he concurs with Mr. Pat Trahan's comments to the Board.

Mr. Don Puckett, General Counsel for the Department, informed the Board that prior to this meeting, he began exploring the legality and possibility of deferring the lease payment. He said he has been working with an attorney from the Division of Administration on payment deferment. Mr. Puckett stated that even if it is legal, any addendums to leases have to be approved by the Commissioner of Administration.

Mr. Granger moved to have the Department explore the legality for the possibility of forgiving the last half of rent for 2005 for all five leases, and it was seconded by Ms. Smith. The motion passed with no opposition.

Mr. Hale moved to amend the motion of exploring the legality of payment forgiveness to the agriculture farmers to include that the Department proceed with action if it is in fact legal and approved by the Division of Administration. The motion was seconded by Dr. Wade. The motion passed with no opposition.

Dr. Gomez moved to have Ms. Smith present a request to BP for a humanitarian aid grant in the amount of \$90,000 for the agriculture farmers on White Lake, and was seconded by Mr. Gayle. The motion passed with no opposition.

Mr. Noel requested the Department notify him of the legality of payment forgiveness by January 15, 2006. Mr. Noel presented the Board with a presentation of pictures of the damages to the agricultural lands which concluded the Agriculture Committee Report

### **Marsh Maneuvers and Individual/Youth/Group Hunts Update**

Mr. Mark Shirley, LSU Ag Center, addressed the Board and explained the Marsh Maneuvers program. Mr. Shirley stated that Marsh Maneuvers is an educational program of the LSU Ag Center in cooperation with the Louisiana Sea Grant College Program and the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and has been going on since 1989. Mr. Shirley explained that in July, high school students who participate in 4-H from different parishes throughout the state, are selected to participate in the Marsh Maneuvers program. The program is held each week in July and 16 different students attend the camp each week, which allows a total of 64 students to attend. These students have the opportunity to participate in various activities such as water chemical testing, fishing, crabbing, cast netting, wildlife observation, seafood processing, boating, policy debates and more. Mr. Shirley stated there is an Advanced Marsh Maneuvers Camp held in the

fall for a select group of students who attended the summer program, and also plan to pursue a college curriculum related to natural resource management. Mr. Shirley reported that this year's Advanced Marsh Maneuvers Camp was originally scheduled to be held at Rockefeller, but was cancelled due to Hurricane Rita. Mr. Shirley said that the Advanced Marsh Maneuvers was rescheduled for December 9 - 10 and is being held at White Lake. Mr. Shirley stated some of the activities scheduled for this camp will include discussion of the White Lake property and its purpose, the ecology of the area, and going into duck blinds and calling the different types of ducks.

Mr. Sweeney updated the Board on the lottery hunts. He reported the following:

1. Youth Hunts – 79 applications submitted and 16 applicants selected. There have been 2 hunts to date with no hunts remaining.
2. Marsh Lotto – 139 applications submitted and 60 applicants selected. There have been 3 hunts to date with 7 hunts remaining.
3. Rice Field Lotto – 273 applications submitted and 63 applicants selected. There have been 10 hunts to date with 11 hunts remaining.
4. Group Hunts – 10 applications submitted and 10 applicants selected; however, one group has cancelled. There have been 4 hunts to date with 5 hunts remaining.

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#### **Discussion of Study on Public Fishing**

Mr. Moore stated that at this time, the Department is looking at a period of March 1 through August 15 for public fishing. Mr. Moore said we are looking at making available 75 permits at a cost of \$30 each, limiting horsepower on boats to 40 hp or less, and no public fishing in the Florida bass pond.

Mr. Bobby Reed, Office of Fisheries reported to the Board that since Hurricane Rita there were some fairly extensive fish kills from Vermilion Bay all the way to Sabine Lake. He said all of the lower areas of Cameron and Vermilion Parishes had experienced fish kills. Mr. Reed set up water quality monitoring stations throughout the region to monitor salinity and one of the areas they are looking at is White Lake. Mr. Reed said for the benefit of the public they want to make sure they are going to allow public fishing in places that fish populations are robust and can withstand fishing there. Mr. Reed reported that after two months of sampling post Hurricane Rita, salt water intrusion is a problem, salinity is still ranging anywhere from 2 parts per thousand to 4 parts per thousand depending on where you are. Mr. Reed said the entire White Lake area that seemed the least impacted was the bass pond right next to the camp. He stated the bass pond was only ranging about ½ parts per thousand. Mr. Reed said the dissolved oxygen values that are necessary to sustain fish life essentially crashed after the hurricane. Once everything was re-suspended, the salt water came in and mixed everything up and settled and the oxygen was completely sucked out of the system by the biological oxygen demand of aquatic organisms and the decay process. Mr. Reed stated that when the system began

dying it was like a staircase effect and everything continued to die. Mr. Reed said the species includes freshwater snails, freshwater mussels, fish life, and aquatic insects and this was pretty much throughout the western shore of Vermilion Bay all the way to Sabine Lake and across that area. Mr. Reed stated that we really don't know the timeframe it takes for freshwater flooding environments to recover from a storm this severe. Mr. Reed stated that rain is needed, and if we experience a dry winter it is going to hinder the recovery process because it will allow the salts to accumulate in the bottoms of the waters and will continue to impact resources. Mr. Reed said they are going to continue monitoring water quality throughout the entire area, particularly on White Lake, as well as monitoring the fish populations as they begin to recover and reestablish themselves. Mr. Reed said in areas that recover and can sustain fish life, they will consider restocking. Mr. Reed stated they are expecting residual fish kills throughout next year.

Dr. Wade moved to accept the public fishing proposals by the Department of 75 permits being issued, season dates of March 1 – August 15, no public fishing in the Florida bass pond, and a limit of 40 horsepower allowed, and it was seconded by Mr. Hines. The motion passed with no opposition.

#### **LDWF Issues Related to Hurricanes Katrina and Rita (any changes in Department priorities, etc. as a result of the hurricanes)**

Mr. Moore addressed the Board and stated the Department is facing challenges from Pearl River WMA at the southeast corner of the state to Rockefeller that was heavily damaged in the southwest corner, and everything in between was impacted as well. Mr. Moore said the Department began working immediately the day after the hurricane in recovery of the areas and the people. Mr. Moore stated the marshes were inundated and suffered severe salt water damage and had lots of engines and pumps that were completely destroyed. Mr. Moore said there was damage to levees and water control structures which are being assessed now. Mr. Moore stated the Department received at least \$40,000,000 in damages to those aspects to Rockefeller.

#### **Budget Report**

Mr. Moore provided the Board with a budget report as of December 5, 2005. Mr. Moore stated that at the present, we are short \$91,000 in revenues from the agriculture leases.

#### **Other Business**

Mr. Bo Boehringer, Press Secretary, addressed the Board and informed them that the Department is in the progress of getting basic information for those interested in knowing more about the White Lake property through the Department's web portal. Mr. Boehringer reported that the public will be able to go to this site to obtain lottery hunt applications, as well as the fishing lottery applications that will soon be available. Mr. Boehringer stated that he will also be posting news/press releases, approved minutes of previous board meetings, and board members contact information. Mr. Boehringer

presented a slideshow presentation to the Board of general ideas for the website. Chairman Linscombe asked Mr. Boehringer to identify the Board's chairman, vice-chairman, secretary, and treasurer in the list of board members contact information. Dr. Wade requested of the Department to include a "virtual online tour" of the property which would enable users to tour the property online, as well as get answers to any questions they may have about the property. Dr. Wade requested this "virtual online tour" be paid by the Department and not from the White Lake Fund. Chairman Linscombe agreed that Dr. Wade had a good idea and he stated that a photo gallery of the property would be a nice start.

Mr. Puckett addressed the Board and informed them that the White Lake Wetlands Conservation Area was established by the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission during its August 4, 2005 commission meeting. Mr. Puckett provided the board members with a copy of the Resolution, which is being made part of the record, attached to the minutes.

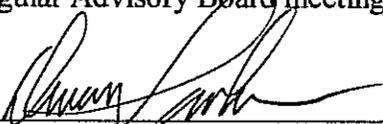
Mr. Hines moved to have a legislative visit to White Lake by as many of our legislators as possible to explain the property's problems with them so in the future they will be familiar. The motion was seconded by Dr. Gomez. The motion passed with no opposition. Chairman Linscombe inquired the maximum number of legislators we can invite and Mr. Sweeney recommended 30 - 40 people for a day trip. Chairman Linscombe asked what would be the best time of year to host this meeting and it was recommended that it be held before the 2006 Regular Session. Chairman Linscombe asked all board members to submit any names of individuals they would like on this tour to Ms. Guidry.

### **Public Comment**

There was no public comment.

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business, Chairman Linscombe asked for a motion to adjourn. Mr. Noel moved to adjourn the meeting and it was seconded by Mr. Granger. The next regular Advisory Board meeting will be scheduled at a later date.

  
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Dwight Landreneau  
Secretary

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(The preceding constitute minutes of the Advisory Board Meeting and are not a verbatim transcript of the proceedings.)

# HURRICANE RITA DAMAGE REPORT/WHITE LAKE

## 10/24/05

### Florence Canal Landing Area

House at Landing-approx. 10% of shingles missing, no water damage, recommend new roof  
Boat Houses- Minor roof damage, missing tin-already replaced  
Minor damage to boat launch ramp

### White Lake Lodge Facility

Minor Shingle damage-already replaced, no water damage  
Awning on back of main lodge was destroyed  
Wharf on fishpond was damaged  
Tree damage-already cleaned up

### Skeet Range and Sporting Clay Course

Minor damage to skeet range buildings and lights-already repaired  
Significant tree damage-already cleaned up  
Damage to several shooting stations-already repaired  
Two sporting clay machines destroyed-need to be replaced

### Florence Canal Area

2-Storage Buildings Destroyed  
Some levee erosion

### Refuge Area "C"

Significant levee damage- 7 breaches in levee system, inundating refuge with salt water, approx. 4 feet of salt-water remains in this area  
Levee washed out around our pumping station located on this area. Pumps will probably have to be removed in order to repair levee system. Once levee is repaired pumps can be replaced. This could require some new piping and pilings. Levee was overtopped in other areas and has caused some degradation of approx. 2 miles of levee.

### Marsh Area "E"

Storm surge came over the top of levee on north end of this area. Approx. 300-foot stretch was overtopped causing some degradation of levee.

### Marsh Area "B"

Storm Surge inundated this marsh area leaving a debris field on the southern and western end of this marsh. There is a considerable amount of lumber, household appliances, fuel tanks, propane bottles, boats, dead cows, etc. in this marsh.

### **Agricultural Properties-Area's "F" and "A"**

This property also received some salt-water storm surge. The levees along the GIWW were overtopped in areas. There were also other levees that protect this farmland that were overtopped. The saltwater is still on some of this property but is in the process of being pumped out. Salt-water damage to this agricultural property could prevent rice from being planted on this area in the near term and could potentially effect the income we receive from this property.

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WHITE LAKE CONSERVATION AREA  
OIL AND GAS ACTIVITIES  
APPROVAL PROCESS

1. Companies contact White Lake Conservation Area Manager, Mr. Wayne Sweeney to discuss and develop project concept.
2. Mr. Sweeney advises Natural Resource Committee (NRC) of project proposal.
3. Company develops "draft" proposal in coordination with Area Manager and discussions with NRC chairperson.
  - A. If vegetated wetlands are impacted - directional drill meeting
  - B. If vegetated wetland impacts cannot be avoided - Wetland Value Assessment
  - C. Mitigation plan developed for impacts and included in project proposal.
  - D. Servitudes, if applicable.
4. Company submits formal project proposal to the Secretary or his designee, with plats and wetland permit application, proposal routed to NRC.
5. Area Manager develops a draft letter of authorization for project, coordinates with NRC, and transmits through concur channels; Mineral coordinator, Division Administrator, legal section, Deputy Assistant Secretary and Assistant Secretary.
6. The draft letter of authorization is finalized and signed by the Secretary or his designee.
7. The letter of authorization is transmitted to the mineral company in response to their proposal.
8. The mineral company is now ready to apply for Department of Natural Resources (DNR) coastal use permit and Corps permits. According to the recent MOU with DNR and LDWF, a letter of authorization from LDWF is required to be included in the permit application if the activity is located on a Department managed property. The letter of authorization becomes the basis for the state coastal use permit.

RESOLUTION

Establishing the White Lake Wetlands Conservation Area

adopted by the  
Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission

August 4, 2005

WHEREAS, Act 613 of the 2004 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature provides that the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission is responsible for establishing a conservation management plan for certain property comprising some 71,130 acres, owned by the state of Louisiana, in and around White Lake, located in Vermilion Parish which property was donated to the state in "Act of Donation by BP America Production Company to the State of Louisiana," dated July 8, 2002, and recorded July 11, 2002, in the conveyance records of Vermilion Parish, bearing entry number 20208337 (hereinafter sometimes referred to as "White Lake Property");

WHEREAS, this Act authorizes the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to administer, control, and manage the White Lake Property;

WHEREAS, the White Lake Property represents a scarce fresh water ecosystem, and the protection of these wetlands is critical to the State's conservation efforts;

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to enhance wildlife habitat in the state, to ensure the protection of the natural resources, to preserve, protect and promote biological diversity, to enhance protect and restore natural wetland and upland habitats and to promote environmental education and research;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission does hereby establish the White Lake Property as the White Lake Wetlands Conservation Area ("WLWCA").

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the entirety of the White Lake Wetlands Conservation Area is hereby made up of and includes all the property donated as described above;

and all state-owned lands, including water bottoms, located within the donated property description, and totals 71,130 acres, more or less, located in Vermilion Parish.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this property shall be used exclusively for wildlife management purposes, and as such is perpetually dedicated to the protection, conservation and management of fish and wildlife and their habitat, and such public recreation, including, but not limited to, hunting, fishing, and trapping, which is consistent with these purposes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission hereby authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, with the advice and recommendations of the White Lake Property Advisory Board, to develop a recommended conservation management plan for the White Lake Wetlands Conservation Area, which plan shall be submitted to and established by this Commission; and further authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Department, upon final ratification of said plan, to implement same.

A description of the entirety of the White Lake Wetlands Conservation Area is attached hereto and made a part hereof.



Terry Denmon, Vice-Chairman  
Wildlife and Fisheries  
Commission



Dwight Landreneau, Secretary  
Department of Wildlife and  
Fisheries

EXHIBIT "A"

That certain tract of land, containing approximately 71,130 acres, located in T13S-R1W, T13S-R2W, T14S-R1W, T14S-R2W and T15S-R1W, Louisiana Meridian, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, being a portion of the property acquired by Stanolind Oil and Gas Company (predecessor of BP America Production Company) from Wright Morrow by Act of Sale dated July 31, 1935, recorded in the Conveyance Records of said Parish, recording reference for which is now unknown, and all of the property acquired by said Stanolind Oil and Gas Company from Wright Morrow by Act of Sale dated July 31, 1935, recorded in COB 121 under Entry 55768 of said Conveyance Records (and being a portion of the property acquired by M. F. Yount from Elizabeth M. Watkins by Act of Sale dated November 5, 1929, recorded in the Conveyance Records of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, recording reference for which is now unknown, and all of the property acquired by Yount-Lee Oil Company from P. L. Lawrence, et ux, by Act of Sale dated March 7, 1931, and re-corded in COB 105 under Entry 48769 of said Conveyance Records) said tract being more particularly described as follows:

T13S-R1W

All of Sections 3, 10-15, and 17-35 of the captioned Township; and the West half (W/2) of the West half (W/2), the Southeast quarter (SE/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW/4) and the Southwest quarter (SW/4) of the Southeast quarter (SE/4) of Section 36 of said Township.

T13S-R2W

The South half (S/2) of the North half (N/2) and the South half (S/2) of Section 7; the Southwest quarter (SW/4) of the Northwest quarter (NW/4) and the West half (W/2) of the Southwest quarter (SW/4) of Section 8; all of Sections 13-15 and 17-36 of the captioned Township,

LESS AND EXCEPT therefrom (i.e., from Sections 19, 30 and 31) that certain 171.53 acres tract of land quitclaimed to A. C. Glassell, Jr., et al, by Compromise Agreement dated May 24, 1957, record-ed in COB 347 at Page 547 under Entry 136476 of the Conveyance Records of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, to which reference is hereto made for a more particular description of said tract

T14S-R1W

All of regular Sections 1-15,17-29 and 32-33 of the captioned Township; and all of fractional Sections 30-31 and 34-36 of said Township,

LESS AND EXCEPT therefrom the East half (E/2) of the Northeast quarter (NE/4) of Section 1.

T14S-R2W

All of regular Sections 1-15 and 17-19 of the captioned Township; and all of fractional Sections 20-25 and 29-31 of said Township.

T15S-R1W

All of fractional Sections 3-6 of the captioned Township.