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**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OPEN MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 14, 2020**

After providing notice as required by the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Railroad Commission of Texas held an open meeting via virtual conference, on Tuesday, April 14, 2020, commencing at 9:30 a.m. Chairman Wayne Christian, Commissioner Ryan Sitton and Commissioner Christi Craddick were present. Chairman Christian presided.

COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM:

IN RE: MOTION FOR COMMISSION CALLED HEARING ON THE VERIFIED COMPLAINT OF PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES U.S.A. INC. AND PARSLEY ENERGY INC. TO DETERMINE REASONABLE MARKET DEMAND FOR OIL IN THE STATE OF TEXAS.

The following persons or entities submitted comments for this open meeting also indicated their interest in providing written comments. The speakers listed below were invited to speak in the following order and asked to state if they were For, Against or Neutral on proration. The results are, as follows:

1. Pioneer Natural Resources - Scott Sheffield
 - a. Rich Dealy
 - b. Mark Berg

FOR proration

2. Parsley Energy – Matt Gallagher

FOR proration

3. Marathon Oil Corporation – Lee Tillman

AGAINST proration

4. Ovintiv – Doug Suttles

AGAINST proration

5. Plains All American Pipeline – Harry Pefanis

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NEUTRAL proration

6. Enterprise Products Partners – Jim Teague

AGAINST proration

7. University Lands – Mark Houser

NEUTRAL proration

8. Texas Oil and Gas Association – Todd Staples

AGAINST proration

9. Texas Alliance of Energy Producers – Karr Ingham

AGAINST proration

10. Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association – Ed Longanecker

AGAINST proration

11. Latigo Petroleum – D. Kirk Edwards

FOR proration

12. Texland Petroleum LP – Jim Wilkes

FOR proration

13. Diamondback Energy, Inc. and Viper Energy Partners – Kaes Van't Hof

AGAINST proration

14. Discovery Operating Inc. – Don Sparks

FOR proration

15. Elevation Resources LLC – Steven H. Pruett

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FOR proration

16. American Petroleum Institute – R. Dean Foreman, Ph.D.

AGAINST proration

17. Texas Pipeline Association – James Mann

AGAINST proration

18. Texas Land and Mineral Owners Association – Tom Daniel

NEUTRAL proration

19. Mabee Ranch – John W. Mabee

AGAINST proration

20. IHS Markit – Jim Burkhard

NEUTRAL proration

21. Institute for Energy Economics & Financial Analysis – Tom Sanzillo

FOR proration

22. Rapidan Energy Group – Bob McNally

NEUTRAL proration

23. James LeBas

AGAINST proration

24. Quantum Energy Partners – Wil VanLoh

FOR proration

25. The Honorable Kent Hance

FOR proration

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26. Edward Hirs

AGAINST proration

27. Center for Energy Studies, Baker Institute for Public Policy, Rice University - Kenneth B. Medlock, III, Ph.D.,

AGAINST proration

28. Hildebrand Department of Petroleum and Geosystems Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin - Dr. Jon Olson

FOR proration

29. Environmental Defense Fund – Scott Anderson

NEUTRAL proration

30. Texas Campaign for the Environment – Robin Schneider

FOR proration

31. Environment Texas – Emma Pabst

FOR proration

32. Public Citizen – Adrian Shelley

FOR proration

33. Sierra Club – Cyrus Reed

NEUTRAL proration

34. John Tintera

AGAINST proration

35. M. Bradford Moody

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AGAINST proration

36. Alex Cranberg

FOR proration

37. Canary LLC – Dan Eberhart

AGAINST proration

38. Fort Apache Energy – Allan P. Bloxsom, III

FOR proration

39. Continental Resources, Inc. – Harold Hamm

FOR proration

40. Mark Stanger

FOR proration

41. Institute for Energy Research – Kenny Stein

AGAINST proration

42. R Street Institute – Josiah Neeley

AGAINST proration

43. Michael Collier

AGAINST proration

44. Benjamin Zycher

AGAINST proration

45. Edwards Energy Consultants – Bill Edwards

AGAINST proration

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46. Sinclair Oil and Gas Company – William Osborn

NEUTRAL proration

47. Incline Energy – Bill Graham

FOR proration

Included in testimony by Chairman Christian, to be recorded, are the following Legislatures **AGAINST** proration:

Senator Paul Bettencourt
Representative Chris Paddie
Representative Lyle Larson
Representative Charlie Geren

Also included in testimony, by request, Mr. Troy Eckard – **AGAINST** Proration

Meeting was adjourned at 7:18 p.m.