

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
8686 North Central Avenue
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Minutes of Meeting
September 19, 1975

Present:

Mr. Ralph W. Bilby, Chairman
Mr. W. Roger Hafford, Vice Chairman
Mr. F. Keith Benton, Member
Dr. G. E. H. Ballard, Member
Mr. Hal Butler, Member

The regular Commission meeting for the month of September, 1975 was called to order by Chairman Ralph Bilby at 11:00 a.m., immediately following Hearing on Case No. 50.

Minutes of the meeting of June 20, 1975 were approved as written.

Reports of Executive Secretary, Enforcement Section and Geology Section were accepted.

Executive Secretary advised that Mr. Charles Druitt, staff geologist, was attending a hearing of the Corporation Commission being held in Flagstaff, Arizona. The Corporation Commission requested that a geologist be sent in an advisory capacity to assist in the hearing of the application of Southern Union Gas Company for approval of a surcharge to current rates to reimburse natural gas exploration.

Executive Secretary advised that the proposed 1976-77 budget request of the Commission reflects an attempt to fund Commission activities to the 1974-75 level. After discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that the proposed budget for 1976-77 be approved. Dr. Ballard voted no.

It was moved, seconded and passed that approval be given for the Executive Secretary to attend a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission in Washington, D.C. on October 1, 2 and 3, 1975.

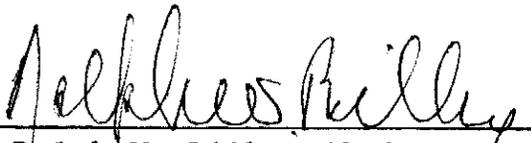
Mr. A. K. Doss, State Land Department, discussed leasing of State lands for geothermal purposes and advised the Commission of some of the problems involved.

Mr. Conley, Director of the Geology Section, introduced Dr. Stanley Beus, currently serving as liaison to the Commission

with Northern Arizona University. Mr. Bilby directed that the record show that the Commission appreciates Dr. Beus' attendance and Northern Arizona University's cooperation.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

APPROVED November 21, 1975



Ralph W. Bilby, Chairman

Also present:

Dr. Stanley S. Beus
Northern Arizona University
Flagstaff, Arizona

Dr. J. F. Schreiber
University of Arizona
Tucson, Arizona

Mr. A. K. Doss
State Land Department
Phoenix, Arizona