

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD HEARINGS
SEPTEMBER 20, 2016

Pursuant to Sections 45.1-361.9B and 45.1361.22.B of the Code of Virginia, the Virginia Gas and Oil Board will hold its scheduled monthly hearing commencing at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, September 20, 2016 at the Russell County Government Conference Center, 139 Highland Drive, Lebanon, Virginia.

1. The Board will receive public comments.
2. A petition from EQT Production Company, for disbursement of funds on behalf of all known owners in Tracts 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, pursuant to House Bill #2058. Unit VC-535601. Docket Number VGOB 04-1214-1372-02.
3. A petition from EnerVest Operating, LLC, for pooling of Well No. VCI-531608, Hurricane District, Buchanan County, Virginia. Docket Number VGOB 16-0816-4095.
4. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to a portion of Tract 1B, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Wanda Coleman Cook, Bonnie Street and Billy Ray Thacker; (3) Dismissal of Coal Owner: Harrison-Wyatt, LLC. Unit AA8. Docket Number VGOB 90-1010-0032-10.
5. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tract 16B, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to previously disbursed Tract 6A, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (3) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Norfolk Southern Railway Company; (4) Dismissal of Coal Owners: Rockport Oil & Gas, L.L.C and Chisos, LTD. Unit BUN1. Docket Number VGOB 91-0716-0135-03.
6. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for 1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tracts 68, 68B, 68C, 74A, 75A, 75B, 77C, 77E, 78 & 79C, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Coal Mountain Mining Company, Delores Estep, Darlene Bradley, Diana Asbury, Ralph D. Keen, Andy Keen, Randy L. Keen, Roy E. Keen, Anna R. Lambert, Rebecca I. Ritchie Hale, Michael Hess, Beth Underhill, David Hess, Jeff Jackson, Julia Chitester, John Douglas Davis, Joan Davis Boyd, Sylvia McGlothlin, Teddy Ferrell, Michael Ellis Wilkes, Jamet M. Willett, Nancy Rose, Bobby Steele, Grady Horn and Plum Creek Timberlands, LP. Unit SLW9. Docket Number VGOB 92-0421-0217-05.
7. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tract 2, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Mary Ann Bartram, Thelma Kline, Harold Cook, Leslie Cook, Mamie Cook, Barbara Cook, Nancy Duty, Betty Gibson, Kathy Murray and Francis Hinchee-Sterans; (3) Dismissal of Coal Owner(s) Hugh MacRae (Torch Oil & Gas). Unit Y20. Docket Number VGOB 92-0721-0234-01.
8. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tracts 1, 4, & 6, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Harold V. Cooke, Leslie K. Cook, Mamie K. Cook, Barbara Cook, Nancy C. Duty, Betty Lawonne Gibson, Kathy Diane Murray, Francis C. Hinchee Stearns and CNX Gas Company, LLC. Unit X20. Docket Number VGOB 92-0721-0235-02.
9. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tracts 1 & 1A, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Harold Cooke & Leslie Cooke; (3) Dismissal of Coal Owner(s) Hugh MacRae/Torch Oil & Gas. Unit W20. Docket Number VGOB 92-0721-0240-06.

10. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tract 1B, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Norfolk Southern Railway Company (Pocahontas Land Corporation, Agent); (3) Dismissal of Coal Owner: James M. McGuire Land Trust. Unit Q42. Docket Number VGOB 93-0216-0326-03.
11. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tracts 1, 3, 5, and a portion of 7, 12 & 14, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Delores Estep, Darlene Bradley, Diana Asbury, Ralph D. Keen, Andy Keen, Randy Keen, Roy Keen, Arnold Keene, Billy Ray Hale, Linda K. Matney, Brenda Weddle, Carl Lee Hale, Bobby Steele, Rebecca I. Ritchie Hale, John Ratliff, Michael Hess, Beth Underhill, David Hess, Jeff Jackson, Julia Jackson, John Douglas Davis, Jeanne Garrett, Yvonne White, Debra Estes, Lonnie Honaker, Sylvia McGlothlin, Charlotte Robinette, Ell See Ferrell, Teddy Ferrell, Michael Ellis Wilkers, Janet M. Willett, James Donald Steele, and Judy Horne; (3) Dismissal of Coal Owner(s): Rockport Oil & Gas, L.L.C. and Chisos, LTD (Royalties currently being paid under Buchanan No1 SGU1, VGOB 98-1117-0697). Unit X29. Docket Number VGOB 95-0418-0500-04.
12. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tract 4B, as depicted upon the annexed table; (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Fred B. Gent, II; (3) Dismissal of Coal Owner: Buckhorn Coal Company. Unit BA110. Docket Number VGOB 02-0917-1072-03.
13. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for (1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tracts 2, 3, and a portion of Tract 6, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Charles W. & Laura Perkins, Curby R. Perkins and Sharlett Quillen. Unit BK115. Docket Number VGOB 05-1213-1547-02.
14. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for 1) the disbursement of escrowed funds heretofore deposited with the Board's Escrow Agent, attributable to Tracts 1P, 2B & 3C, as depicted upon the annexed table; and (2) authorization to begin paying royalties directly to Coal Creek Coal Company, Morris Don Smith, Michael Mathis, Jeffrey Mathis, Billy E. Shelton II and Amy Shelton. Unit AW133. Docket Number VGOB 08-0318-2163-02.
15. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for pooling under Oakwood Coalbed Methane Gas Field I. Unit T55. Docket Number VGOB 16-0920-4096.
16. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for pooling under Oakwood Coalbed Methane Gas Field I. Unit T54. Docket Number VGOB 16-0920-4097.
17. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for pooling under Oakwood Coalbed Methane Gas Field I. Unit Y47. Docket Number VGOB 16-0920-4098.
18. On the Board's own motion, the Division of Gas and Oil requests that CNX revise the previously approved petition for VGOB 96-0116-0530-05, Unit V28, to remove Walter Keen. He is now deceased and no direction has been given as to how his proceeds need to be distributed.
19. On the Board's own motion, the Division of Gas and Oil requests that CNX revise the previously approved petition for VGOB 02-0319-1008-05, Unit VP2SGU1, to remove Walter Keen. He is now deceased and no direction has been given as to how his proceeds need to be distributed.

20. A petition from CNX Gas Company, LLC, for a. Extension of time delaying payments for gas claimants who have not provided W-9's and/or affidavits confirming gas ownership either to the Petitioner and Operator or to the Division of Gas and Oil until such time as the same are provided by the gas claimants. b. Extension of time delaying payments for gas claimants where there are title conflicts as to gas ownership until such time as the title conflict(s) is resolved by the competing gas claimants. c. Extension of time delaying payments to gas claimants who are unlocatable and to gas claimants whose interests are identifiable but who remain unknown. d. Extension of time delaying payments to gas claimants who derive their gas claims from heirships where the heirship(s) members and/or their fractional interests cannot be determined by the Petitioner and Operator. This group includes heirships where title conflicts prevent closure and/or the Petitioner and Operator is at present, having exercised reasonable diligence to do so, unable to populate the heirs to calculate their respective divisions of interest. e. 90-day extension of time delaying payment to members of heirships where all fractional interests are at present undetermined, but where the Petitioner and Operator has not determined as at d. above that it has reached an impasse. f. Authorize the Petitioner and Operator to commence publication after the extension period sought at e. above for a period of four weeks to possibly develop further information that might serve to identify unknown gas claimants and/or locate known owners who are at present unlocatable. Unit Various. Docket Number VGOB 16-0621-4093. Continued from June 2016. Continued from July 2016.
21. The Board will receive an update of Board and Division activities from the staff.
22. The Board will review the July 2016 minutes for approval.

Information concerning the above docket items can be viewed from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday at the office of the Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, Division of Gas and Oil, 135 Highland Drive, Lebanon, Virginia. All questions concerning the agenda should be directed to the Division of Gas and Oil by telephoning 276-415-9700.

Anyone needing special accommodations due to a disability for the September 2016 hearing should contact the Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy in advance of the hearing at 276-415-9700 or by calling the Virginia Relay Center TTY/TDD at 1-800-828-1120 or 1140 by September 13, 2016.

The deadline for filing of petitions to the Board for the October 2016 hearing is 5 p.m., Friday, September, 16 with the October hearing scheduled for Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at the Russell County Government Conference Center, 139 Highland Drive, Lebanon, Virginia.