

MINUTE ITEM

28. PROPOSED OIL AND GAS LEASES, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY - W.O. 3537.

After consideration of Calendar Item 23 attached, and upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZES THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO CONDUCT A PUBLIC REVIEW IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY OF PROPOSED OIL AND GAS LEASE TERMS AND CONDITIONS. THE RECORD OF THIS REVIEW IS TO BE REPORTED TO THE COMMISSION PRIOR TO THE DETERMINATION BY THE COMMISSION AS TO THE SPECIFIED LANDS AND LEASE FORM TO BE UTILIZED IN ANY OIL AND GAS LEASE OFFER PURSUANT TO THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE.

Attachment

Calendar Item 23 (1 page)

CALENDAR ITEM

23.

PROPOSED OIL AND GAS LEASES, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY - W.O. 3537.

On April 28, 1960 (Minute Item 27, pages 5908-09), the Commission initiated consideration of offering oil and gas leases pursuant to Division 6, Public Resources Code, in an area of approximately 37,000 acres of tide and submerged lands extending westerly from the Elwood Oil Field to Point Conception, Santa Barbara County.

The County of Santa Barbara was notified, pursuant to Section 6873.2, Public Resources Code, of the pending consideration of lease offers. The County did not request that a public hearing be held with respect to the proposed offering of leases. The time for filing such request expired on June 17, 1960.

The specific provisions as to lease operating conditions to be considered by the Commission may be modified from conditions utilized heretofore in Santa Barbara County leases.

THEREFORE, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO CONDUCT A PUBLIC REVIEW IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY OF PROPOSED OIL AND GAS LEASE TERMS AND CONDITIONS. THE RECORD OF THIS REVIEW IS TO BE REPORTED TO THE COMMISSION PRIOR TO THE DETERMINATION BY THE COMMISSION AS TO THE SPECIFIC LANDS AND LEASE FORM TO BE UTILIZED IN ANY OIL AND GAS LEASE OFFER PURSUANT TO THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE.