

MINUTE ITEM

14. PROPOSED OIL AND GAS LEASE, TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY - W.O. 4640 (PARCEL 12), P.R.C. 3004.1.

After consideration of Calendar Item 13 attached, and upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the following resolution was adopted:

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF DIVISION 6 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE, THE COMMISSION ACCEPTS THE HIGHEST QUALIFIED BID, MADE BY UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION, AND HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY, A DELAWARE CORPORATION, ON APRIL 4, 1963, AND THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER IS AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE AN OIL AND GAS LEASE TO THE AFORESAID BIDDERS FOR THE 3,150-ACRE MORE OR LESS PARCEL OF TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS DESIGNATED AS W.O. 4640 (PARCEL 12) IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY, AS DETAILED IN THE NOTICE OF INTENTION, W.O. 4640, PUBLISHED FEBRUARY 11 AND FEBRUARY 18, 1963. THE CASH-BONUS PAYMENT IN CONSIDERATION OF ISSUANCE OF THE LEASE IS TO BE \$612,840.00 AS OFFERED IN THE BID.

Attachment

Calendar Item 13 (2 pages)

CALENDAR ITEM

13.

PROPOSED OIL AND GAS LEASE, TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY - W.O. 4640 (PARCEL 12).

On April 4, 1963, three bids were received in response to a published Notice of Intention of the State Lands Commission to enter into a lease for the extraction of oil and gas from 3,150 acres more or less of tide and submerged lands, designated as W.O. 4640 (Parcel 12), Santa Barbara County. This offer was authorized by the Commission on January 24, 1963 (Minute Item 16, pages 8599-8600).

All bids submitted were reviewed by the staff as to technical sufficiency and economic factors. The office of the Attorney General reviewed the highest bid submitted by Union Oil Company of California and Humble Oil & Refining Company, and determined:

- A. That the Commission has complied with the procedural requirements of law; and
- B. That the bid submitted conforms with:
 1. The bid requirements specified in the proposal of the Commission;
 2. The applicable provisions of law; and
 3. The rules and regulations of the Commission.

A summary tabulation of the bonus payment offers received pursuant to the lease proposal is attached (Exhibit "A").

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF DIVISION 6 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE, THE COMMISSION ACCEPT THE HIGHEST QUALIFIED BID, MADE BY UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION, AND HUMBLE OIL & REFINING COMPANY, A DELAWARE CORPORATION, ON APRIL 4, 1963, AND AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO ISSUE AN OIL AND GAS LEASE TO THE AFORESAID BIDDERS FOR THE 3,150-ACRE MORE OR LESS PARCEL OF TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS DESIGNATED AS W.O. 4640 (PARCEL 12) IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY, AS DETAILED IN THE NOTICE OF INTENTION, W.O. 4640, PUBLISHED FEBRUARY 11 AND FEBRUARY 18, 1963. THE CASH-BONUS PAYMENT IN CONSIDERATION OF ISSUANCE OF THE LEASE IS TO BE \$612,840.00 AS OFFERED IN THE BID.

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Exhibit "A"

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SUMMARY

W.O. 4640 (Parcel 12)

Bidder

Cash Bonus Offer

Union Oil Company of California and
Humble Oil & Refining Company

\$ 612,840.00

Richfield Oil Corporation, Signal Oil
and Gas Company, and Marathon Oil Company

450,204.00

Texasco Inc.

370,000.00