

DRAFT APRIL AGENDA
BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
IN AND FOR THE STATE OF UTAH

A public meeting will be held on **Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.** in the auditorium of the Department of Natural Resources, 1594 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah. The meeting will be streamed live on the Department of Natural Resources YouTube channel. The link for the Briefing Session is <https://youtube.com/live/VwUrCyCy1iQ>, and the link for the Board Hearing is <https://youtube.com/live/EhPSlguY9ng>.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, May 9 & 10, 2023, the Board will tour mining sites in Uintah County. The public may attend but must provide their own transportation, hotel accommodations, and lunch. Please RSVP to Janette Lucero if you desire to attend, at (385) 228-8457, by the close of business on April 5, 2023. The Board will depart from the north parking lot of the Department of Natural Resources, 1594 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, at 8:00 a.m.

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining will conduct a Briefing Session at 9:00 a.m.:

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 3. Other
 4. Next Month's Agenda and Division Calendar
 5. Opportunity for Public Comment
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The Board will hear the following Matters at or around 10:00 a.m.:

1. [Docket No. 2023-011 Cause No. 132-13](#) – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of OVINTIV USA INC. for an order pooling all interests, including the compulsory pooling of the interests of certain non-consenting owners in the Brothers UT 13-10 4-2-16-21-1H Well, in the drilling unit established for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Lower Green River-Wasatch Formations comprised of all of Sections 16, 21 and 28, Township 4 South, Range 2 West, U.S.M., Duchesne County, Utah.

(This matter was continued from the Hearing Examiner proceeding on March 15, 2023, to the April 26, 2023 Board hearing.)

2. [Docket No. 2023-014 Cause No. 470-08](#) – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of UINTA WAX OPERATING, LLC for an order establishing overlapping 2,560-acre (or substantially equivalent) drilling units for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Lower Green River-Wasatch Formations through drilling unit boundary long lateral horizontal wells comprised of: (1) Sections 1 and 12, Township 4 South, Range 1 West, U.S.M. and Sections 6 and 7, Township 4 South, Range 1 East, U.S.M.; and (2) Sections 5 through 8, Township 4 South, Range 1 East, U.S.M., all In Uintah County, Utah.

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3. [Docket No. 2023-015 Cause No. 470-09](#) – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of HEAVY SWEET OIL, LLC and AC OIL, LLC for an order establishing 40-acre or equivalent drilling and spacing units for the insitu production of heavy oil from sands within the Rimrock and Asphalt Ridge Deposits in Sections 22 and 23, Township 4 South, Range 20 East, Uintah County, Utah.
4. [Docket No. 2023-016 Cause No. 130-18](#) – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of XCL RESOURCES, LLC, on behalf of XCL ASSETCO. LLC, for an order amending the Board’s order in Cause Nos. 139-138, 139-140, and 600-04 to reduce heel/toe setbacks from 330’ to 100’ for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Lower Green River- Wasatch (Colton) Formations in: (1) Sections 27-34, Township 2 South, Range 2 West, U.S.M., and (2) Sections 30 and 31, Township 2 South, Range 1 West, U.S.M. in Duchesne County, Utah.
5. [Docket No. 2023-017 Cause No. 132-16](#) – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of XCL RESOURCES, LLC, on behalf of XCL ASSETCO. LLC, for an order pooling all interests including the compulsory pooling of the interests of certain non-consenting and unknown owners, within a 1,280-Acre (or substantial equivalent) drilling unit established for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Lower Green River-Wasatch (Colton) Formations, comprised of Sections 13 and 24, Township 2 South, Range 2 West, U.S.M., Duchesne County, Utah.
6. [Docket No. 2023-018 Cause No. 130-19](#) – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of OVINTIV USA INC. for an order extending the Board’s orders in Cause Nos. 139-150 and 600-03 to establish a special stand-up (vertical) drilling unit for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Lower Green River-Wasatch Formations comprised of Sections 14, 23, 26, and 35, Township 4 South, Range 3 West, U.S.M., Duchesne County, Utah.
7. [Docket No. 2023-019 Cause No. 475-07](#) – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of KGH OPERATING COMPANY for an order authorizing the drilling of the proposed Bonanza 36-2 Horizontal Well to be located in the W½ of Section 36, Township 9 South, Range 25 East, S1m, Uintah County, Utah.

Copies of the agenda are available at ogm.utah.gov and at the administrative offices. Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons requiring auxiliary communicative aids and services to enable them to participate in this hearing should call Julie Ann Carter at (801) 538-5277, at least three working days prior to the hearing. One or more members of the Board may participate electronically pursuant to R641-100-600. The specified meeting location would serve as the anchor location for participation by the public.

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			1	2	3 Legislative General Session Adjourns	4
5	6	7	8 Filing Day - Motions and Responses	9	10 Filing Day - New RAA's and NOAA's	11
12 Daylight Saving	13	14 Hearing Examiner Proceeding in the matter of Docket No. 2023-013 Cause No. 132-15	15 Hearing Examiner Proceeding in the matter of Docket No. 2023-011 Cause No. 132-13	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18
19	20 Vernal equinox (GMT)	21	22 Board Hearing	23 Ramadan begins	24	25
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9 Easter	10 Filing Day	11	12	13 Uintah Basin Oil and Gas Collaborative Mtg 9am to noon Duchesne County Events Center, Utah	14	15
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7	8	9 Board Field Trip to Uintah County, May 9 -10	10 Filing Day	11	12	13
14 Mother's Day	15	16	17	18	19	20 Armed Forces Day
21	22	23	24 Board Hearing	25	26	27
28 Pentecost	29 Memorial Day	30 Exhibits Due	31			
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