

EXHIBIT D1.e

Document being public noticed (permits, enforcement, regulation changes, etc.)	State or Federal Law	Regulation	Description of the Public Notice Required	Description of the Procedures for Public Participation
Administrative Rule Changes	State	A.C.A 25-15-204 et. seq. (A2/A3)	<p>(a) Prior to the adoption, amendment, or repeal of a rule, the agency shall:</p> <p>(1)(A)(i) Give at least thirty (30) days' notice of its intended action.</p> <p>(ii) The thirty-day period shall begin on the first day of the publication of notice.</p> <p>(B) The notice shall include:</p> <p>(i) A statement of the terms or substance of the intended action or a description of the subjects and issues involved; and</p> <p>(ii) The time, location, and manner in which an interested person may present his or her position on the intended action of the agency or on the issues related to the intended action of the agency.</p> <p>(C) The notice shall be mailed to:</p> <p>(i) A person specified by law; and</p> <p>(ii) A person who has requested advance notice of rulemaking proceedings.</p> <p>(D) Unless otherwise provided by law, the notice shall be published:</p> <p>(i) In a newspaper of general daily circulation for three (3) consecutive days and, when appropriate, in those trade, industry, or professional publications that the agency may select;</p> <p>(ii) By the Secretary of State on the internet for thirty (30) days under § 25-15-218.</p>	Hold public hearing and accept public comments for thirty days.
Oil and Gas Commission Hearings (required for several operations as noted below)	State	A.C.A 15-72-323 (A2/A3)	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	Hold public hearing

Disposal Well Applications	State	A2/A3/H1	<p>Notice of the application shall be given by the Applicant by one (1) publication in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there shall be more than one, in which the one-half mile radius from the proposed disposal well is situated, and by mailing via certified mail, FedEx, UPS, or other method that provides proof of mailing and delivery, a copy of the application to each permit holder of all permitted, drilling or producing wells within a one-half mile radius of the proposed disposal well. Such notice shall be published or mailed no more than thirty (30) days, prior to the date on which the application is filed with the Commission. The cost of such notice and mailing of the application shall be paid for by the Applicant. Attached to the application shall be evidence that the application was mailed or sent as required and a proof of publication of the application from the newspaper.</p> <p>1) If notice is for a Class II Commercial Disposal Well, in addition to compliance with subparagraph i) above, the Class II Commercial Disposal Well application shall also be sent via certified mail, FedEx, or UPS to the County Judge of the county where the well is located and to the landowner (surface owner) where the well is located. In addition, the public notice should be large font and surrounded by a printed border to highlight the published notice.</p>	Publicized in newspaper. If no comments or objections, then permit issued if administratively complete.
Well Spacing	State	A2/A3/B3	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	If applicable, hold public hearing.

Temporary Abandonment	State	A2/A3/B7	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	A hearing is required only for an extension.
Domestic Natural Gas Well Transfer	State	A2/A3/B11	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	If applicable, hold public hearing for certain types of wells. Others may be administratively granted if requirements are met.
Exception to Containment Dikes or Other Containment Structures	State	A2/A3/B26	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	Hold public hearing, if applicable.

Alternative Remediation	State	A2/A3/B34	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	Hold public hearing, if applicable..
Field Rules	State	A2/A3/B38	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	Hold public hearing.
Well Setback Exception / Well Number Exception	State	A2/A3/B43	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	For certain setback exceptions administrative approval is permissible if no objection is received. All others require public hearing.

Area Expansion to Other Covered Lands / Formations	State	A2/A3/B44	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	For certain setback exceptions administrative approval is permissible if no objection is received. All others require public hearing.
Well Setback Exception / Well Spacing Exception / Well Number Exception	State	A2/A3/B44	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	For certain setback exceptions administrative approval is permissible if no objection is received. All others require public hearing.
Area Expansion to Other Covered Lands / Formations	State	A2/A3/B45	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	Hold public hearing.

Well Setback Exception	State	A2/A3/B45	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	For certain setback exceptions administrative approval is permissible if no objection is received. All others require public hearing.
Well Setback Exception - Oil	State	A2/A3/C10	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	For certain setback exceptions administrative approval is permissible if no objection is received. All others require public hearing.
Authority to Commingle	State	A2/A3/D18	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	In certain circumstances, administrative approval is granted if no objection is received. Otherwise a public hearing is required.

Abandoned and Orphan Well Plugging Program	State	A2/A3/G1	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	Abandoned well requires a public hearing. Orphaned wells receive administrative approval if no objection is received.
Class II Wells - Moratorium Exceptions	State	A2/A3/H1	<p>If public hearings are required, notice of public hearings before the Oil and Gas Commission as provided for in this subchapter shall be given as follows:</p> <p>(1) An applicant shall give notice of the public hearing to be held upon an application by one (1) publication at least ten (10) days before the date of the public hearing, but not more than thirty (30) days before the public hearing, in a legal newspaper having a general circulation in the county, or in each county, if there are more than one (1), in which the lands embraced within the application are situated, except that, as to any public hearing pertaining to a matter of general application throughout the State of Arkansas, the notice shall be published in a legal newspaper having statewide circulation; and</p> <p>(2) The cost of publication shall be paid for by the applicant.</p>	Publicized in newspaper. If no comments or objections, then permit issued if administratively complete.
Brine Regulation	State	A.C.A 15-76-307 (A2/A3)	<p>(f) Any interested person shall have the right to have the commission call a hearing for the purpose of taking action in respect to any matter within the jurisdiction of the commission by making a request therefor in writing and upon payment of a fee of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) or such sum as the commission may prescribe for each application for hearing or other proceeding before it under this subchapter. However, in no event shall the fee exceed five hundred dollars (\$500). Upon the receipt of the request and fee, the commission shall promptly call a hearing thereon and, with all convenient speed and in any event within thirty (30) days of the date of the conclusion of the hearing, shall take action with regard to the subject matter thereof as it deems appropriate.</p>	If applicable, public hearing required.

Underground Storage of Gas	State	A.C.A. §15-72-605	<p>Any natural gas public utility desiring to exercise the right of eminent domain as to any property for use for underground storage of natural gas, as a condition precedent to the filing of its petition in the circuit court, shall obtain from the Oil and Gas Commission a certificate setting out findings of the commission as to the following:</p> <p>(1) That the underground stratum or formation sought to be acquired is suitable for the underground storage of natural gas and that its use for such purposes is in the public interest; and</p> <p>(2) The amount of recoverable oil and native gas, if any, remaining therein. However, the commission shall issue no certificate until after public hearing is had on the application, pursuant to notice served in compliance with notice in civil actions in the circuit court, together with notice published at least once each week for two (2) successive weeks in some newspaper of general circulation in the county or counties where the gas is proposed to be stored. The first publication of the notice must be at least ten (10) days prior to the date of the hearing.</p>	Public hearing required.
Petition for Unit Operation	State	A.C.A. §15-72-308	(a) Upon the filing of a petition as provided in this section, the Oil and Gas Commission after notice shall hold a public hearing to consider the need for the operation as a unit of an entire pool or any portion thereof to prevent waste, to increase ultimate recovery of oil and gas, and to protect correlative rights.	Public hearing required.
Determination of specific gravity and flowing temperature	State	A.C.A. §15-74-303	(c) In the event that the commission finds the necessity therefor or upon the request of any interested party, the commission shall give notice and hold a public hearing before making those determinations.	Public hearing required.
Salt water disposal unit operation of a pool — Petition	State	A.C.A. § 15-72-316	(a) Upon the filing of a petition as hereinafter provided, the Oil and Gas Commission after notice shall hold a public hearing to consider the need to establish a salt water disposal unit for an entire pool.	Public hearing required.