

**Wyoming Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
Hearing Wrap Up Report
January 2017**



The Wyoming Oil and Gas Conservation Commission held its monthly hearing January 10, 2017 at 9 a.m. Commissioners attending were Bridget Hill, Tom Drean, Mark Doelger and Tom Fitzsimmons. Also attending the hearing were Supervisor Mark Watson and Attorneys Eric Easton and Michael Armstrong.

The following outlines the results of the hearing.

Total Applications

There were 224 applications submitted for January 2017 hearing.

Continued

There were 98 applications continued

Withdrawn

A total of 24 applications were withdrawn

Examiner Hearings

There were 101 Examiner Hearings heard

Before the Commission

One application went before the Commission

Docket 222-2017: Due to failure to comply with the rules of the WOGCC, Benchmark Energy was required to appear before the Commission as a show cause hearing to revoke their bond of \$75,000.

The case involved 20 idle CBM wells, which will be added to the WOGCC Orphan Well Program to be plugged and abandoned.

All Commissioners were in favor to revoke the bond.