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Shell Offshore Inc.

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BLM/OPMP

BLM has begun development of the Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Willow Master Development Plan; the State of Alaska is a Cooperating Agency. *OPMP coordinates the State of Alaska’s review.

Hilcorp North Slope, LLC

Division approved Hilcorp’s annual Western Satellites POD in Dec 2021. Plans include drilling up to ten new wells and performing up to three workovers or recompletions in 2022. *OPMP coordinates oil and gas related projects.

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88 Energy

Plans to drill Merlin 2 appraisal well near the Nanushuk shelf break, north of the Umiat oil field; three potential locations are in the process of being permitted. 88 Energy is seeking a farm-in partner for Project Peregrine, which holds the Merlin prospect.

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Passed a resolution to sell Mustang Holdings LLC, a company established to hold the assets they foreclosed on, through a competitive sale process. The field is currently in cold shutdown.

Jade Energy, LLC

Hilcorp North Slope, LLC assigned Jade its 5% working interest in the Sourdough prospect giving Jade 100% total working interest. Division of Oil and Gas is actively processing the assignment request.

Great Bear Pantheon LLC

Received approved plan of operations and AOGCC permit to drill Theta West 1 adjacent to the western boundary of the Talitha unit. GBP plans to use Nordic-Calista Rig No. 3 to drill the vertical hole to a depth of 9,300' to “to test and evaluate multiple targets in the Brookian formation with an emphasis on the Basin Floor Fan.” The ice road to Theta West is under construction, once completed the pad will be constructed prior to moving the rig.

Oil and Gas Exploration Wells (Bottom Hole)

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