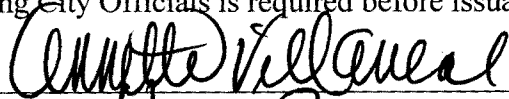
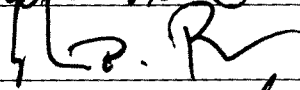
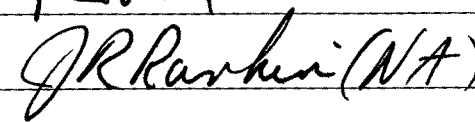
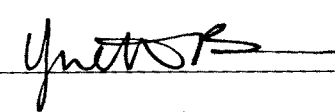


**CITY OF MCALLEN**  
**REQUEST FOR OIL OR GAS DRILLING PERMIT**  
**DATE: March 5, 2009**

1. Company submitting Request: SWEPI, LP, dba SHELL WESTERN E&P
2. Address: 200 North Dairy Ashford
3. City/State: Houston, Texas 77079-1101
4. Legal and Geographic Description of Drilling Site: McAllen Fieldwide Unit #105 Well  
Surface Location: 441 feet from the south line, 457 feet from the east line of Lot 2, Block 16, Steele & Pershing Subdivision, Drilling Block #236, City of McAllen, Hidalgo County, Texas.  
Bottomhole Location: approximately 702 feet northwest of the surface location, being 445 feet from the north line and 310 feet from the west line of Lot 2, Block 16, Steele & Pershing Subdivision, Drilling Block #236, City of McAllen, Hidalgo County, Texas.
5. The following requirements have been satisfied:
  - A. Drilling Permit Fee submitted to City Secretary in the amount of \$2,500.00.
  - B. Performance Bond, (clean-up, repairs & replacement) in amount of \$25,000.00.
  - C. Insurance as per Drilling Ordinance:

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|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Public Liability - Occurrence     | \$1,000,000 |
| Combined Single Limit (B.I./P.D.) |             |
6. See Exhibit "A" for other requirements.
7. Approval of the following City Officials is required before issuance of permit:
  - A) City Secretary: 
  - B) City Attorney: 
  - C) Director of Planning:   
(Special Use Permit)
  - D) City Engineer: 
  - E) City Commission Approval: March 23, 2009