Kansas Oil Discoveries in the News

• SandRidge Exploration & Production, LLC, Oklahoma City (OK), has established Mississippian oil production nearly one and one-half miles southeast of the Eastham field (est. 1974, Lansing-Kansas City oil, Mississippian gas) in Harper County. Discovery was made at their 1-23H Donna Mae 3406 horizontal lateral well (API 15-077-21971-0100), located in the NW NE NE of section 23- T34s- R6W, about three miles northwest of Bluff City. The lateral well was drilled in a southerly direction into the SE/4 of the section to a TMD of 9520 ft. No completion details are available. The new field remains unnamed.

• Hartman Oil Company, Inc., Wichita (KS), has discovered new Marmaton oil reserves in Scott County with the successful completion of the 1-11 Prime Pork (API 15-171-20962), spotted in the NE SW NE of section 11- T18s- R34W. The wildcat well was drilled at site located nearly three miles northeast of closest established production in the Lion Creek field, which Lario Oil & Gas Company discovered in 2011. Their 1-21 Boulware (API 15-171-20794), SW/4 of section 21- T18s- R34W, produced 91 barrels of oil per day from Marmaton and Morrow zones. No production details are available at Hartman's new find. The well was drilled by H2 Drilling tools to a total depth of 4990 ft. The unnamed field lies about two and one-half miles northeast of Modoc, Kansas.

• **Prospect Oil & Gas Corporation**, Russell (KS), is producing oil from the Lansing- Kansas City formations at the 1 Stranger Valley (API 15-167-23928), located in the SE NE SW of section 25- T12s- R15W, in **Russell** County. The new unnamed oil field is situated nearly one and one-quarter miles from established production in the multipay Elsasser field (est. 1961). Royal Drilling tools drilled the well to a total depth of 3324 ft at site located about six miles northwest of Russell, Kansas.

• New Gulf Operating, LLC, Tulsa (OK), has a new oil discovery in Logan County at the 1-34 Hockersmith (API 15-109-21210), located in the NW NW of section 34-T11s-R32W, four miles south of the town of Oakley. The wildcat well found oil deposits in the Lansing-Kansas City zones and the Johnson Zone of the Cherokee Group. VAL Energy rig drilled the well to a total depth of 4765 ft. Wellsite lies almost two miles southwest of the Oakley South field (est. 1975) which also gave up oil from the LKC and Cherokee formations. No completion details are available on New Gulf's new discovery.