

**Whiting Vendor Letter**

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Dear Valued Whiting Vendor,

We are very pleased and excited to have announced an agreement to combine with Oasis in a merger of equals transaction. Our combined company will have a premier Williston Basin position with over 970 thousand net acres and production of about 170 thousand boepd, placing us in top tier positions in these two categories. The press release we issued is attached.

Over the last year, both companies have executed deliberate strategic transactions, reduced costs and established a leading framework for ESG and return of capital. The combination of our two companies, together with the ongoing momentum from these strategic actions, will ideally position the combined company for sustainable value creation.

Whiting and Oasis are both excellent operators with complementary and high-quality assets. We look forward to combining our outstanding acreage and talented teams, and benefitting from the sharing of operational best practices, to unlock the enormous potential of our assets and organizations. **As we become a larger, more resilient company with increased scale and resources, we expect to be an even stronger business partner.**

Until the transaction closes, which we expect in the second half of 2022, we are operating as separate, independent companies, and it is business as usual. We remain as focused as ever on maintaining our strong partner relationships. **As always, operating safely is top of mind and we request your continued support reinforcing this priority.** We will keep you informed as we move forward. In the meantime, please reach out to your usual point of contact should you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

[Signatory Name]

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## Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements made herein are not historical facts but are forward-looking statements for purposes of the safe harbor provided by Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements generally are accompanied by words such as “may”, “should”, “would”, “plan”, “intend”, “anticipate”, “believe”, “estimate”, “predict”, “potential”, “seem”, “seek”, “continue”, “future”, “will”, “expect”, “outlook” or other similar words, phrases or expressions. These forward-looking statements include statements regarding Whiting’s or Oasis’ industry, future events, the proposed transaction between Whiting and Oasis (the “proposed transaction”), the estimated or anticipated future results and benefits of the combined company following the proposed transaction, including the likelihood and ability of the parties to successfully consummate the proposed transaction, anticipated levels of free cash flow and debt, shareholder returns (including the payment of future dividends), future opportunities for the combined company, and other statements that are not historical facts. These statements are based on current expectations and are not predictions of actual performance. These statements are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties regarding Whiting’s and Oasis’ businesses and the proposed transaction, and actual results may differ materially. These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, the possibility that stockholders of Whiting and Oasis may not approve the merger agreement; the risk that a condition to closing of the proposed transaction may not be satisfied, that either party may terminate the merger agreement or that the closing of the proposed transaction might be delayed or not occur at all; potential adverse reactions or changes to business or employee relationships, including those resulting from the announcement or completion of the transaction; the diversion of management time on transaction-related issues; the ultimate timing, outcome and results of integrating the operations of Whiting and Oasis; the effects of the business combination of Whiting and Oasis, including the combined company’s future financial condition, results of operations, strategy and plans; the ability of the combined company to realize anticipated synergies in the timeframe expected or at all; changes in capital markets and the ability of the combined company to finance operations in the manner expected; regulatory approval of the transaction; the effects of commodity prices; the risks of oil and gas activities; and the fact that operating costs and business disruption may be greater than expected following the public announcement or consummation of the proposed transaction.

Additional factors that could cause results to differ materially from those described above can be found in Whiting’s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2021 (as amended), which is on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) and available on Whiting’s website at [www.whiting.com](http://www.whiting.com) under the “Investor Relations” tab, and in other documents Whiting files with the SEC; and in Oasis’ Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2021, which is on file with the SEC and available on Oasis’ website at [www.oasispetroleum.com](http://www.oasispetroleum.com) under the “Investors” tab, and in other documents Oasis files with the SEC.

All forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made and are based on information available at that time. Neither Whiting nor Oasis assumes any obligation to update forward-looking statements to reflect circumstances or events that occur after the date the forward-looking statements were made or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events except as required by federal securities laws. As forward-looking statements involve significant risks and uncertainties, caution should be exercised against placing undue reliance on such statements.

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## **Important Additional Information Regarding the Merger Will Be Filed With the SEC**

This communication is being made in respect of the proposed transaction involving Whiting and Oasis. The proposed transaction will be submitted to stockholders of Whiting and stockholders of Oasis for their consideration and approval at a special meeting of the respective stockholders of each. In connection with the proposed transaction, Whiting and Oasis intend to file materials with the SEC, including a Registration Statement on Form S-4 of Oasis (the "Registration Statement") that will include a joint proxy statement/prospectus to be distributed to the stockholders of Whiting and the stockholders of Oasis in connection with the solicitation of proxies for the vote of the respective stockholders of each in connection with the proposed transaction and other matters as described in such proxy statement. After the Registration Statement has been declared effective by the SEC, Whiting and Oasis intend to mail a definitive joint proxy statement/prospectus (the "Definitive Proxy Statement") and other relevant documents to their respective stockholders as of the record date established for voting on the proposed transaction. Investors and security holders of Whiting and Oasis are each advised to read, when available, the Registration Statement and any amendments thereto, the Definitive Proxy Statement, once available, and other relevant documents to be filed by Whiting and Oasis with the SEC in connection with Whiting's and Oasis' solicitation of proxies for their respective special meetings of stockholders to be held to approve the proposed transaction, because the Registration Statement, the Definitive Proxy Statement and such other relevant documents will contain important information about the proposed transaction and the parties to the proposed transaction. Stockholders will also be able to obtain copies of the Registration Statement, the Definitive Proxy Statement, and other relevant documents filed by Whiting and Oasis with the SEC (when they become available), without charge, at the SEC's website at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). Copies of documents filed with the SEC by Whiting will be available free of charge at Whiting's website at [www.whiting.com](http://www.whiting.com) under the "Investor Relations" tab or by directing a request to: Investor Relations Department at (303) 837-1661 or [BrandonD@whiting.com](mailto:BrandonD@whiting.com). Copies of documents filed with the SEC by Oasis will be available free of charge at Oasis' website at [www.oasispetroleum.com](http://www.oasispetroleum.com) under the "Investors" tab or by directing a request to: Oasis' Investor Relations Department at (281) 404-9600 or [ir@oasispetroleum.com](mailto:ir@oasispetroleum.com).

## **Participants in the Solicitation**

Whiting and Oasis and their respective directors, executive officers, other members of management, and employees, under SEC rules, may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies of Whiting's stockholders and Oasis' stockholders in connection with the proposed transaction. Information regarding the directors, executive officers, other members of management, and employees of Whiting is included in its definitive proxy statement for its 2021 annual meeting filed with the SEC on March 29, 2021. Information regarding the directors, executive officers, other members of management, and employees of Oasis is included definitive proxy statement for its 2021 annual meeting filed with the SEC on March 18, 2021. Additional information regarding the persons who may, under SEC rules, be deemed participants in the solicitation of Whiting's stockholders and Oasis' stockholders in connection with the proposed transaction will be set forth in the Registration Statement, the Definitive Proxy Statement and other materials when they are filed with the SEC.

## **No Offer or Solicitation**

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