

WILLISTON, North Dakota – January 22, 2014 – The Board of Directors of 1804 Operating, LLC is pleased to announce they have unanimously selected Fred Kershisnik as Company President. Mr. Kershisnik has been instrumental to the growth and development of 1804 Operating. Kershisnik, who currently serves as Chief Operating Officer, assumes his new role immediately.

Mr. Kershisnik was Field Superintendent for Tracker Resource Development II from 2008 through their sale to Hess in 2011. He began his career in North Dakota with Mesa, becoming Senior Operation Foreman for the North Rocky Mountain Area. Subsequent to Mesa's merger and sale of assets, Mr. Kershisnik worked for Berco Resources, Westport Resources, and Encore Operating. He received the 20 year safety award with Mesa and is a past member and President of Killdeer School Board of Directors.

**About 1804 Operating, LLC.**

1804 Operating owns and operates saltwater disposal wells throughout the Bakken. It serves both major and independent oil companies to meet their fluid handling needs. For more information, please visit [www.1804operating.com](http://www.1804operating.com).

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