

Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (AOGCC)

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What We Do



2015 Major Activities and Issues



Drilling and Wellwork





AOGCC Staffing Needs

- Public Commissioner
- Field Inspector



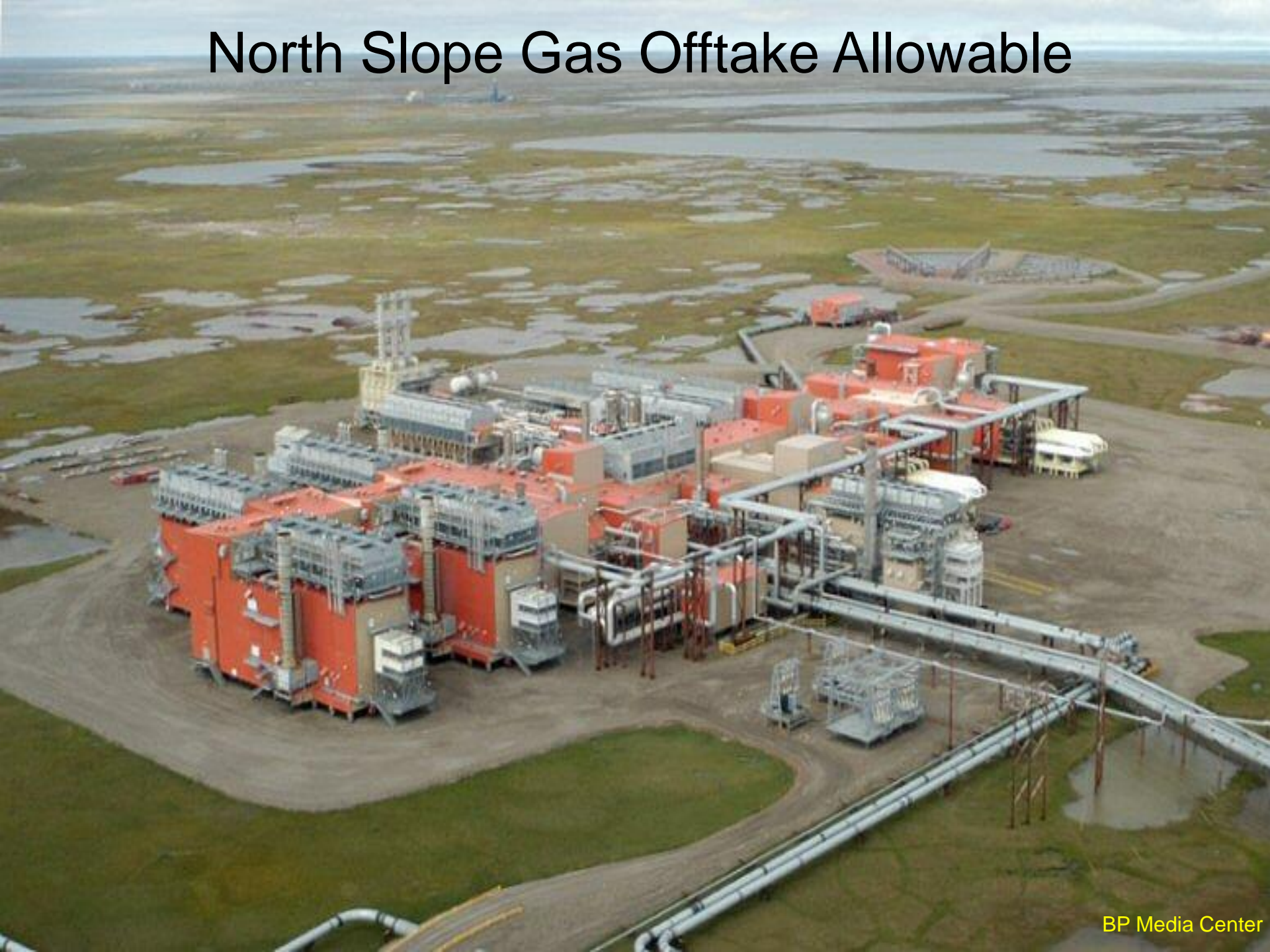


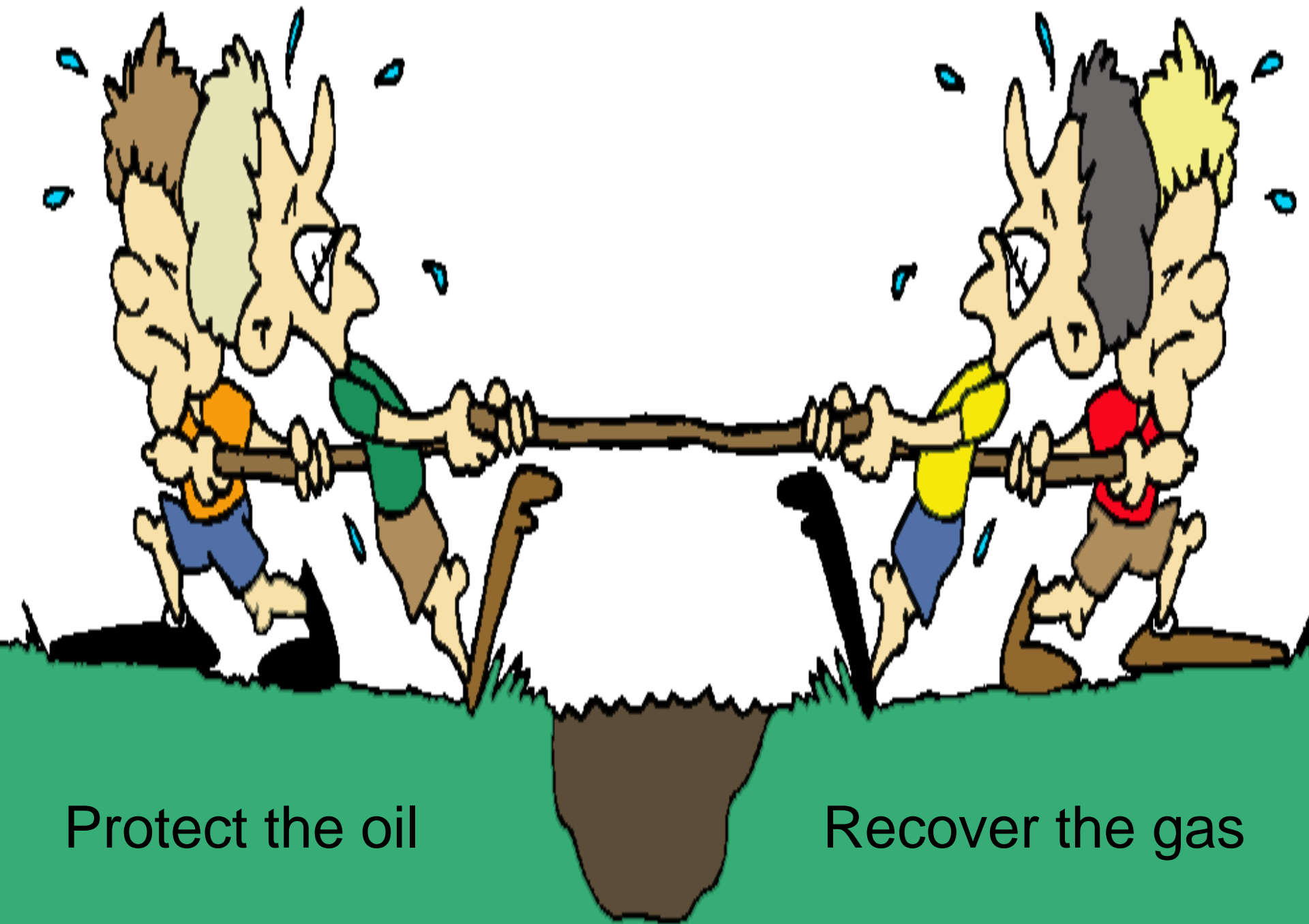
Hydraulic Fracturing Regulations

BLM Legacy Well Clean-up



North Slope Gas Offtake Allowable





Protect the oil

Recover the gas

Summary of the Rulings

- Prudhoe Bay
 - Offtake allowable increased to 3.6 BCF/day on an annual average
 - In 5 years BP must provide report of oil recovery acceleration activities and results
 - CO2 injection for EOR authorized, based on positive study results
 - CO2 disposal authorization outside AOGCC jurisdiction
- Pt Thomson
 - Offtake of 1.1 BCF/day allowed
 - Prior to MGS, Exxon must demonstrate that cycling isn't feasible

Point Thomson Cycling Start-up



Importance of AOGCC Staffing

- Small, highly technical staff
 - Geologic and engineering decisions daily
- Three, highly diverse commissioners
 - Oil and gas geology, engineering, legal understanding all essential
 - No decisions can be made without a quorum of at least two Commissioners