

ORION PETRO CORPORATION
Mt. Vernon, IL

Orion Petro Corporation, an Ohio Corporation was incorporated February 10, 1978. Founder and President was Wilson G. (Bill) Harris, Jr., Geologist (AAPG #29020) who was also founder and president of Orion Energy Corporation. Orion was established, primarily, for the exploration and development of the Clinton Sand in northeast Ohio. Orion also drilled and operated numerous properties in Illinois and participated in non-operated ventures in Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

March 1, 1985, Orion Petro Corporation re-organized and expanded from only operations to leasing and exploration.

1985 Officers and Owners:

Wayne L. Krehbiel, President/Treasurer
Oliver E. Harris, Vice-President/Operations Manager
Wilson G. Harris, Jr., Secretary
James C. Dixon, Board Member
R. Frank Hall, Board Member

2009 Officers and Owners:

Wayne L. Krehbiel, President/Treasurer
Oliver E. Harris, Vice-President/Secretary/Operations Mgr.

Orion Petro Corporation is owned by Wayne L. Krehbiel and Oliver E. Harris with each having a 50% interest.

The major portion of Orion's oil and/or gas wells are located in northeast Ohio. Orion is currently participating in drilling prospects with include two 3-D shoots in Kansas and several prospects in Illinois.

Orion has four employees in Mt. Vernon, IL; two employees in Evansville, IN; and three employees in Ohio. Orion has two contract pumpers.

