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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD Artesia

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER**

1a. Type of Work: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRILL <input type="checkbox"/> REENTER		5. Lease Serial No. NMNM115411 Unit Letter E: NMNM102910
1b. Type of Well: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single Zone <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Zone		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
2. Name of Operator COG Operating LLC. 229137		7. If Unit or CA Agreement, Name and No.
3a. Address 2208 West Main Street Artesia, NM 88210	3b. Phone No. (include area code) 575-748-6940	8. Lease Name and Well No. 38759 Really Scary Federal Com #2H
4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. *) At surface 190' FSL & 1683' FWL Unit Letter N (SESW) SHL Sec 33-T24S-R28E At proposed prod. Zone 330' FNL & 1683' FWL Unit Letter C (NENW) BHL Sec 33-T24S-R28E		9. API Well No. 30-015-41411
14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office* About 2 miles from Malaga		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Willow Lake; Bone Spring (64450)
15. Distance from proposed* location to nearest property or lease line, ft. (Also to nearest drig. Unit line, if any) 190'		11. Sec., T.R.M. or Blk and Survey or Area Sec. 33- T24S - R28E
16. No. of acres in lease NMNM115411: 600 UL "F": 40		12. County or Parish Eddy County
17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well 160		13. State NM
18. Distance from location* to nearest well, drilling, completed, applied for, on this lease, ft. SHL: 443' BHL: 1941'		20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file NMB000740 & NMB00215
21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 3010.3 GL		22. Approximate date work will start* 7/1/2013
		23. Estimated duration 30 days

**24. Attachments**

The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

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| 1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.  | 4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see Item 20 above).    |
| 2. A Drilling Plan  | 5. Operator certification  |
| 3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office). | 6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer. |

25. Signature <i>Mayte Reyes</i>	Name (Printed/Typed) Mayte Reyes	Date 2/7/2013
Title Regulatory Analyst		
Approved by (Signature) <i>/s/George MacDonell</i>	Name (Printed/Typed) George MacDonell	Date MAY 31 2013
Title FIELD MANAGER		
Office CARLSBAD FIELD OFFICE		

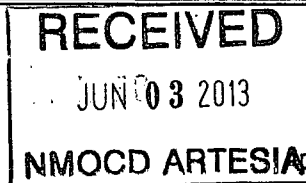
Application approval does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

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Carlsbad Controlled Water Basin



\*(Instructions on page 2)

SEE ATTACHED FOR  
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Approval Subject to General Requirements  
& Special Stipulations Attached

COG Operating LLC  
Really Scary Federal Com #2H  
Section 33-T24S-R28E

## Operator Certification

I hereby certify that I, or someone under my direct supervision, have inspected the drill site and access route proposed herein; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that I have full knowledge of state and Federal laws applicable to this operation; that the statements made in the APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed in conformity with this APD package and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. I also certify that I, or the company I represent, am responsible for the operations conducted under this application. These statements are subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of false statements.

Executed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2013.

Signed: Melanie Parker

Name: Melanie Parker

Position Title: Regulatory Coordinator

Address: 2208 West Main Street, Artesia, NM 88210

Telephone: 575-748-6940

## STATEMENT ACCEPTING RESPONSIBILITY FOR OPERATIONS

The undersigned accepts all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations, and restrictions concerning operations conducted on the leased land or portion thereof, as described below:

Date: February 7, 2013

Lease #: NMNM115411  
Unit Letter F: NMNM102910  
Really Scary Federal Com #2H

Legal Description: Sec. 33 – T24S – R28E  
Eddy County, New Mexico

Formation(s): Bone Spring

Bond Coverage: Statewide

BLM Bond File #: NMB000740 & NMB00215

COG OPERATING LLC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mayte Reyes', is written over a horizontal line.

Mayte Reyes  
Regulatory Analyst

**DISTRICT II**  
1901 W. GRAND AVENUE, ARTESIA, NM 88210

**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
11885 SOUTH ST. FRANCIS DR.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Revised October 12, 2010  
Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Copies  
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

**DISTRICT III**  
1000 RIO BRAZOS RD., AZTEC, NM 87410

**DISTRICT IV**  
11885 S. ST. FRANCIS DR., SANTA FE, NM 87505

# WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

☐ AMENDED REPORT

API Number 30-015-41411		Pool Code 64450 ✓	Pool Name Willow Lake; Bone Spring ✓
Property Code 38759	Property Name REALLY SCARY FEDERAL COM ✓		Well Number 2H ✓
OGRID No. 229137	Operator Name COG OPERATING, LLC ✓		Elevation 3010.3'

### Surface Location

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
N	33	24-S	28-E		190	SOUTH	1683	WEST	EDDY

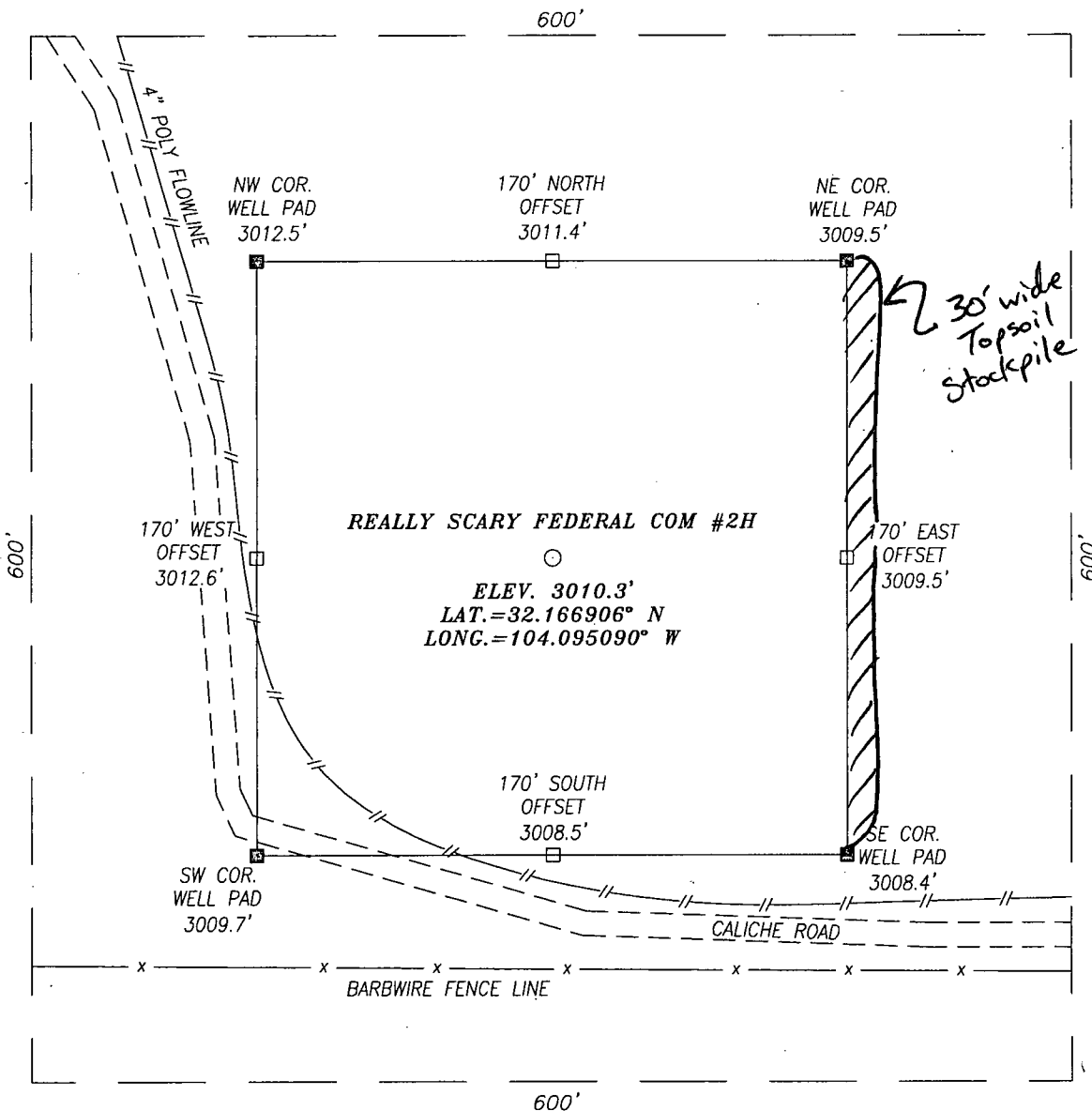
## Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
C	33	24-S	28-E		330	NORTH	1683	WEST	EDDY

Dedicated Acres	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	Order No.
160			

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED  
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

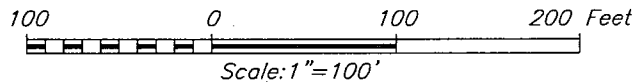
SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, N.M.P.M.,  
EDDY COUNTY NEW MEXICO



DIRECTIONS TO LOCATION

HEADING SOUTH ON HWY. 285, TAKE A RIGHT ON MM 11 ONTO CALICHE ROAD THAT GOES TO AN EXISTING WELL PAD. TAKE A RIGHT ON EXISTING PAD AND TAKE CALICHE ROAD LEAVING PAD TO THE NORTH AND TRAVEL 2.1 MILES ON CALICHE ROAD. PROPOSED WELL IS APPROX. 200 FEET NORTH.

TN  
5/10/13



HARCROW SURVEYING

1107 WATSON, ARTESIA N.M. 88210  
PH: (575) 513-2570  
FAX: (575) 746-2808  
EST. 2007



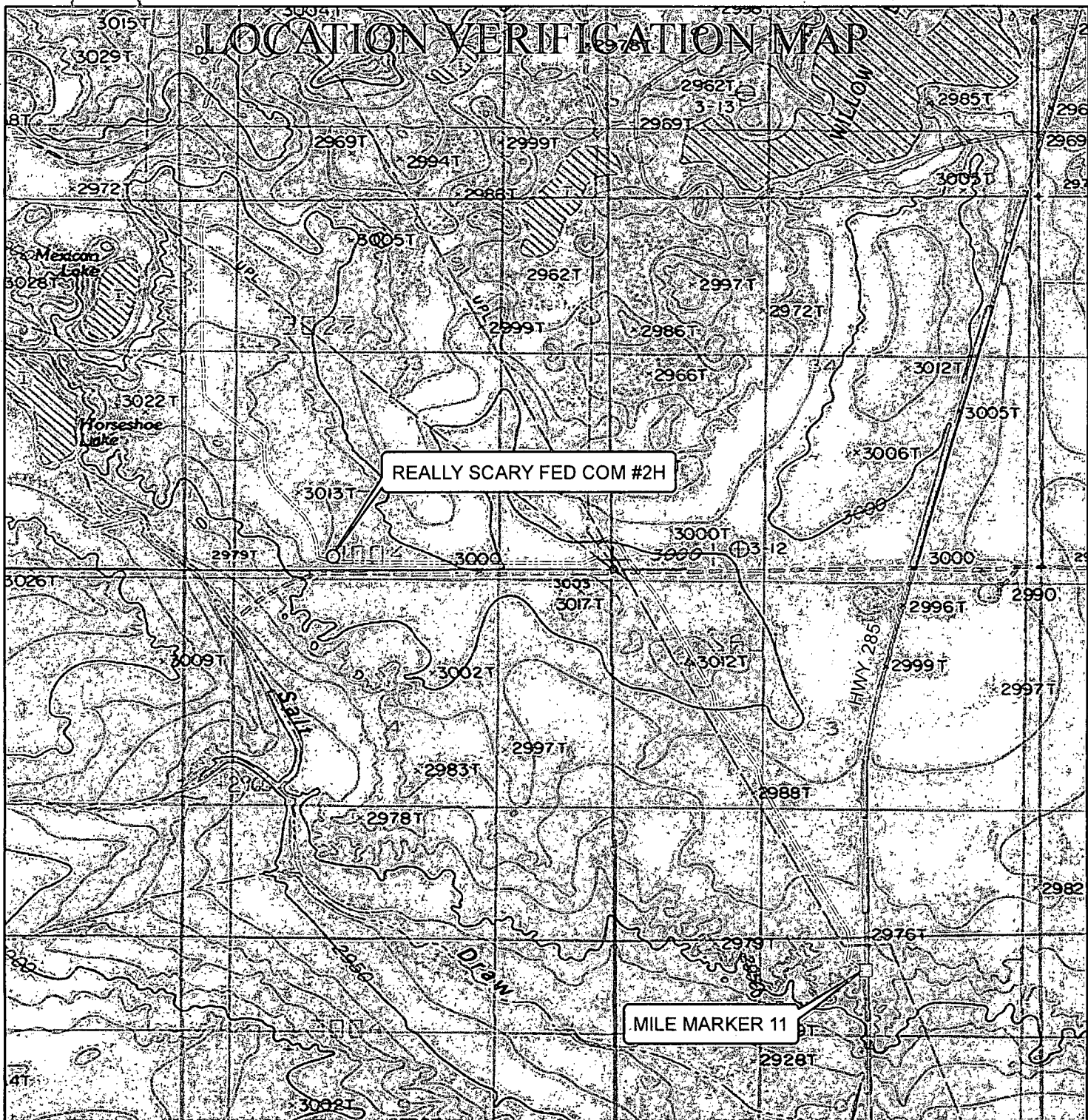
CONCHO OPERATING, LLC

REALLY SCARY FEDERAL COM #2H WELL  
LOCATED 190 FEET FROM THE SOUTH LINE  
AND 1683 FEET FROM THE WEST LINE OF SECTION 33,  
TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 28 EAST, N.M.P.M.,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

SURVEY DATE: OCTOBER 14, 2012 PAGE: 1 OF 1

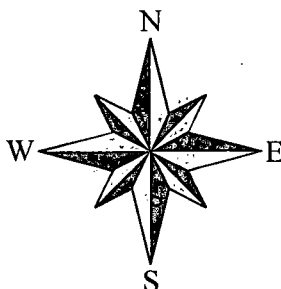
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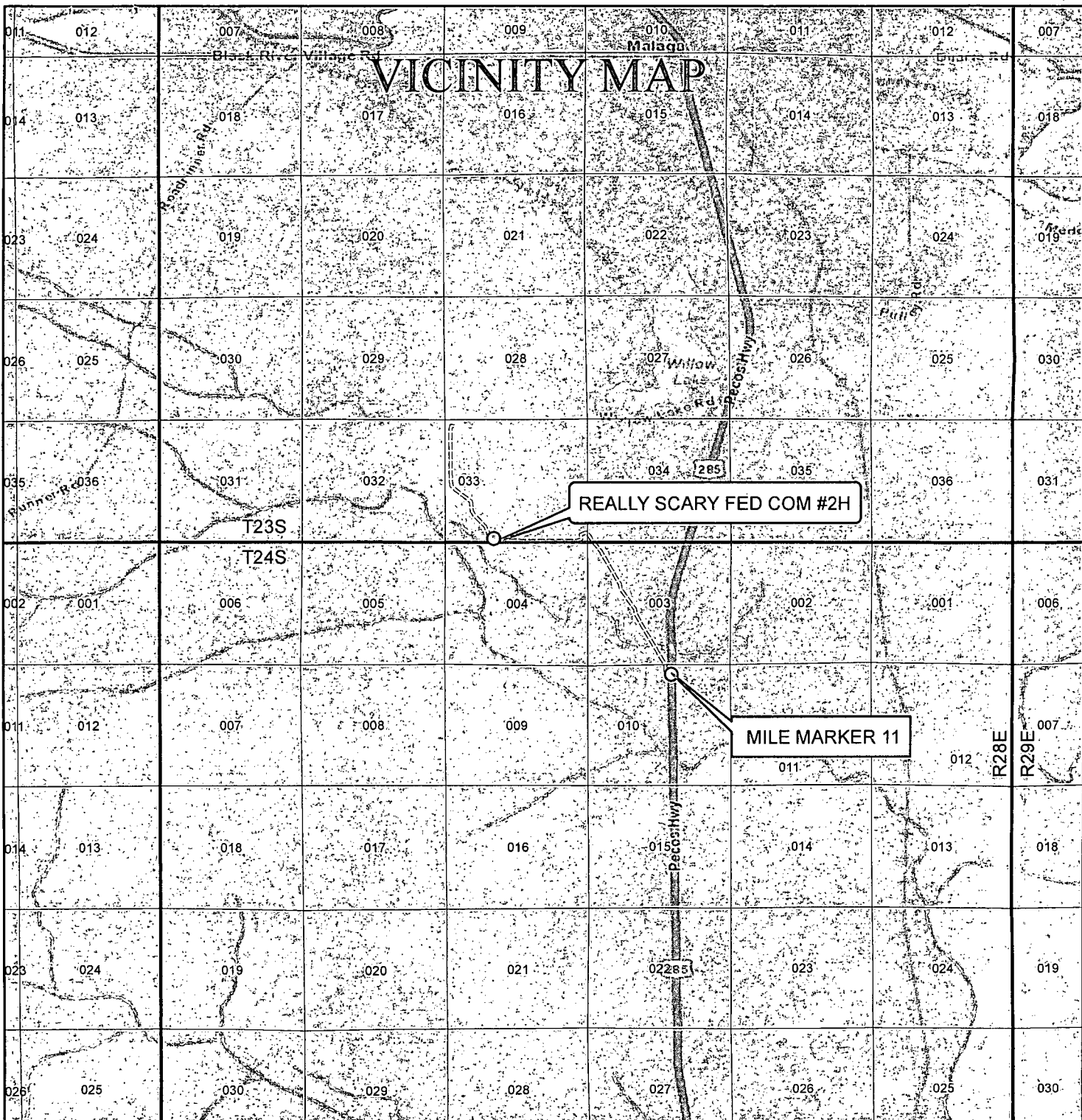
## EXHIBIT 2

SEC. 33 TWP. 24S RGE. 28E  
 SURVEY N.M.P.M.  
 COUNTY EDDY STATE NEW MEXICO  
 DESCRIPTION 190' FSL & 1683' FWL  
 ELEVATION 3010.3'  
 OPERATOR COG OPERATING, LLC  
 LEASE REALLY SCARY FEDERAL COM



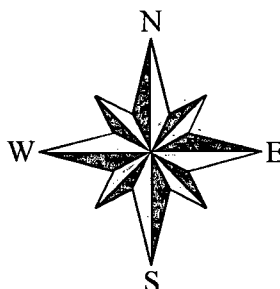
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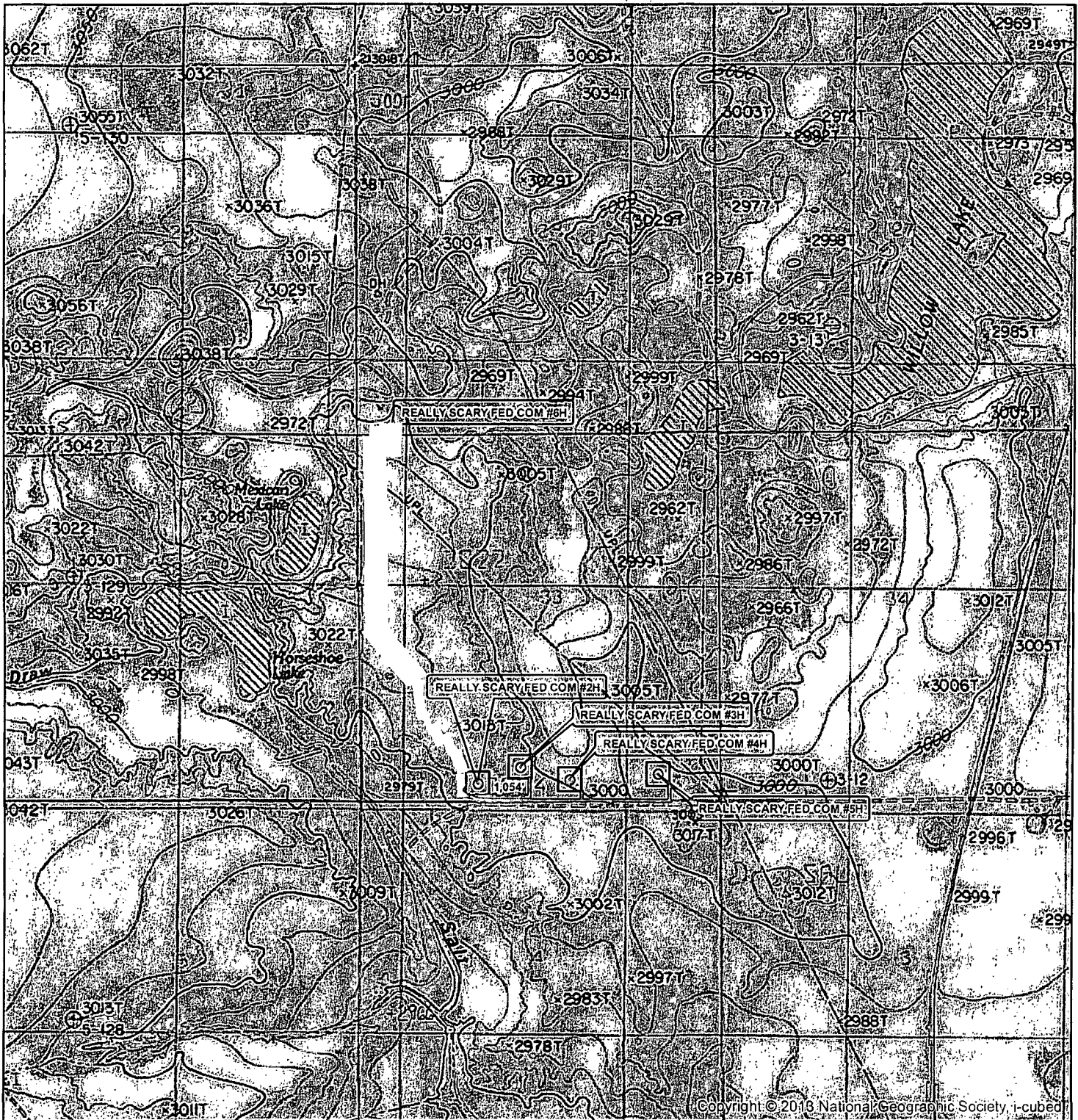
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# LOCATION VERIFICATION MAP - EXHIBIT 4

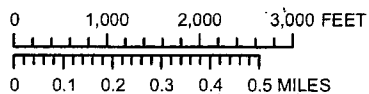


SEC. 33, TWP. 24S, RGE. 28E  
 SURVEY: N.M.P.M.  
 COUNTY: EDDY STATE: NEW MEXICO  
 DESCRIPTION: REALLY SCARY FED COM FLOWLINE

OPERATOR: COG OPERATING  
 LEASE: REALLY SCARY FED COM

W.O. # 13-254

1 IN = 2,000 FT



- WELL
- WELL PAD
- PROPOSED PIPELINE
- PROPOSED PIPELINE For other Wells

HARCROW SURVEYING, LLC  
 1107 WATSON, ARTESIA N.M. 88210  
 PH: (575) 513-2570 FAX: (575) 746-2158  
 chad\_harcrow77@yahoo.com



MAP DATE: 5/2/2013

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Really Scary Federal Com #2H  
SHL: 190' FSL & 1683' FWL  
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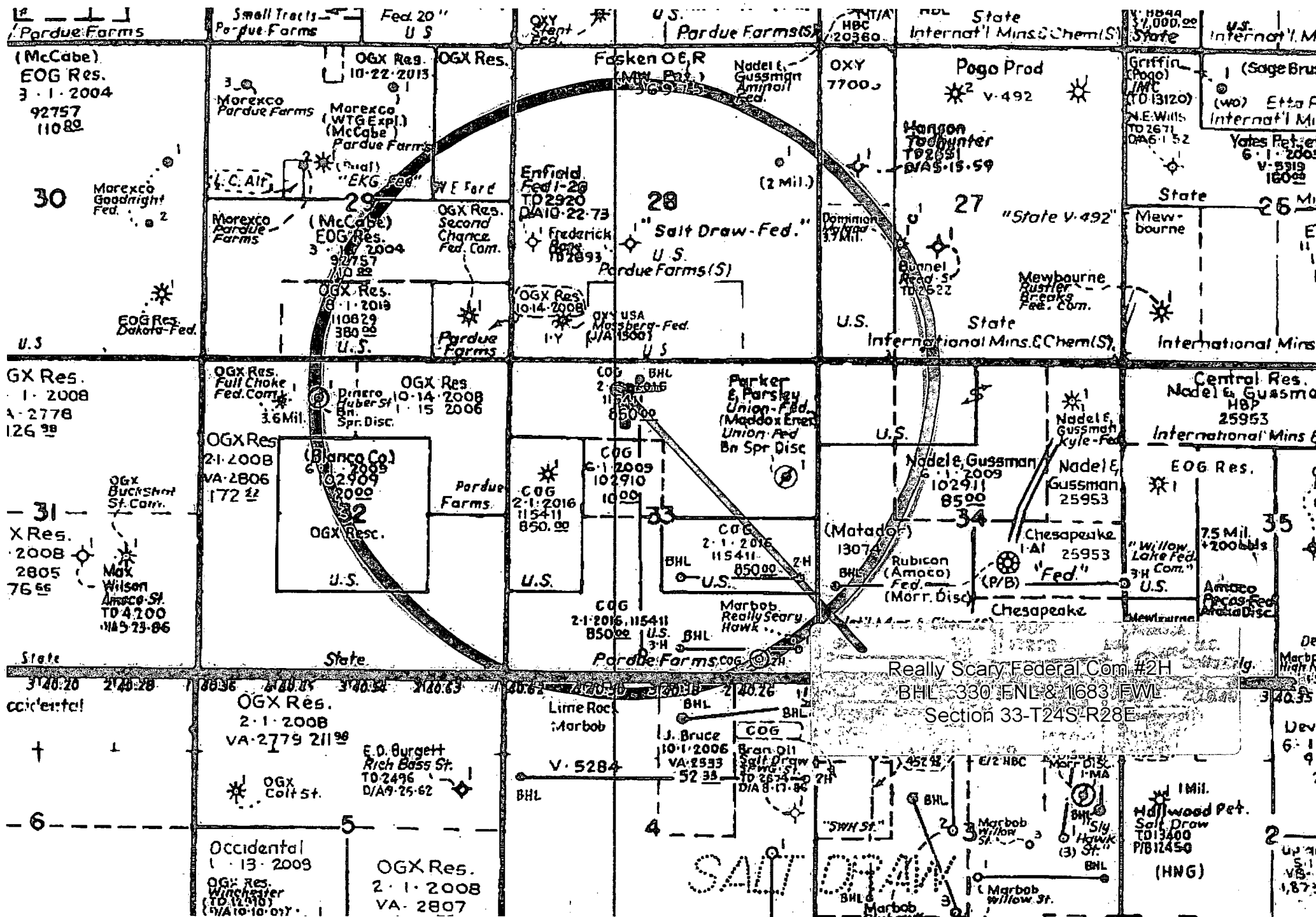
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**COG Operating LLC**  
**DRILLING AND OPERATIONS PROGRAM**  
**Really Scary Federal Com 2H**  
**SHL: 190' FSL & 1683' FWL**  
**BHL: 330' FNL & 1683' FWL**  
**Section 33 T24S R28E**  
**Eddy County, New Mexico**

In conjunction with Form 3160-3, Application for Permit to Drill subject well, COG Operating LLC submits the following eleven items of pertinent information in accordance with BLM requirements.

1. Geological surface formation: Permian
2. The estimated tops of geologic markers & estimated depths at which anticipated water, oil or gas formations are expected to be encountered are as follows:

Fresh Water	140'	
Rustler	417'	
Top of Salt	959'	
Base of Salt	2,279'	
Delaware	2,479'	Oil
Bone Spring	6,113'	Oil
1 <sup>st</sup> BoneSpring	7,069'	Oil
2 <sup>nd</sup> BoneSpring	7,778'	Oil
TD TVD	8,000'	
TD MD	12,707'	

No other formations are expected to give up oil, gas or fresh water in measurable quantities. The surface fresh water sands will be protected by setting 13-3/8" casing at 442' and circulating cement back to surface. All intervals will be isolated by setting 5 1/2" casing to total depth and tying back cement to a minimum of 500' into 9-5/8" csg.

**3. Proposed Casing Program: All casing is new and API approved**

Hole Size	Depths	Section	OD Casing	New/Used	Wt	Collar	Grade	Collapse Design Factor	Burst Design Factor	Tension Design Factor
17 1/2"	0' – 442'	Surface	13 3/8"	New	48#	STC	H-40	1.125	1.125	1.6
12 1/4"	0' – 2,500'	Intrmd	9 5/8"	New	36#	STC	J-55	1.125	1.125	1.6
7 7/8"	0' – 12,707	Production Curve & Lateral	5 1/2"	New	17#	LTC	P-110	1.125	1.125	1.6

- While running all casing strings, the pipe will be kept a minimum of 1/3 full at all times to avoid approaching the collapse pressure of casing.

#### 4. Proposed Cement Program

- a. 13-3/8" Surface                      Slurry: 375 sx Class C + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>  
(14.8 ppg / 1.34 cuft/sx)  
\*\*Calculated w/50% excess on OH volumes
- b. 9 5/8" Intermediate:              Lead: 425 sx Class C + 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub> + 4% Gel  
(13.5 ppg / 1.75 cuft/sx)  
Tail: 250 sx Class C + 1% CaCl<sub>2</sub>  
(14.8 ppg / 1.34 cuft/sx)  
\*\*Calculated w/35% excess on OH volumes
- d. 5 1/2" Production                      Lead: 600 sx 50:50:10 H + Salt+Gilsonite+CFR-3+ HR601  
(11.9 ppg / 2.51 cuft/sx)  
Tail: 975 sx 50:50:2 H +Salt+GasStop +HR601 +CFR-3  
(14.4 ppg / 1.25 cuft/sx)  
\*\*Calculated w/35% excess on OH volumes

- The above cement volumes could be revised pending the caliper measurement.
- The 9-5/8" intermediate string is designed to circulate to surface.
- The production string will tie back a minimum of 500' into 9-5/8" shoe

#### 5. Control:

Nipple up on 13 3/8 with annular preventer tested to 50% of rated working pressure by independent tester and the rest of the 2M system tested to 2000 psi.

Nipple up on 9 5/8 with 3M system tested to 3000 psi by independent tester.

Pipe rams will be operationally checked each 24 hour period. Blind rams will be operationally checked on each trip out of the hole. These checks will be noted on the daily tour sheets. A 2" kill line and a minimum 3" choke line will be included in the drilling spool located below the ram-type BOP. Other accessories to the BOP equipment will include a Kelly cock and floor safety valve (inside BOP) and choke lines and choke manifold with 3000 psi WP rating.

#### 6. Estimated BHP & BHT:

Lateral TD = 3786 psi

Lateral TD= 137°F

#### 7. Mud Program: The applicable depths and properties of this system are as follows:

Depth	Type System	Mud Weight	Viscosity (sec)	Waterloss (cc)
0' – 442'	Fresh Water	8.4	29	N.C.
442' – 2,500'	Brine	10	29	N.C.
2,500' – 12,707' (Lateral)	Cut Brine	8.8 – 9.2	29	N.C.

- The necessary mud products for weight addition and fluid loss control will be on location at all times.

- A visual and electronic mud monitoring system will be rigged up prior to spud to detect changes in the volume of mud system. The electronic system consists of a pit volume total, stroke counter and flow sensor at flow line.
- If weight and/or viscosity are introduced to the mud system a daily mud check will be performed by mud contractor, along with hourly check by rig personnel.
- After setting intermediate casing, a third party gas unit detection system will be installed at the flow line.

#### **8. Auxiliary Well Control and Monitoring Equipment:**

- a. A Kelly cock will be in the drill string at all times.
- b. A full opening drill pipe stabbing valve having the appropriate connections will be on the rig floor at all times.
- c. Hydrogen Sulfide detection equipment will be in operation after drilling out the 13 3/8" casing shoe until the 5 1/2" casing is cemented. Breathing equipment will be on location upon drilling the 13 3/8" shoe until total depth is reached.

*See  
COA*

#### **9. Testing, Logging and Coring Program:**

- a. Drill stem tests will be based on geological sample shows.
- b. If open hole electrical logging is performed, the program will be:
  - i. Total Depth to Intermediate Casing: Dual Laterolog-Micro Laterolog and Gamma Ray. Compensated Neutron – Z Density log with Gamma Ray and Caliper.
  - ii. Total Depth to Surface: Compensated Neutron with Gamma Ray
  - iii. No coring program is planned
  - iv. Additional testing will be initiated subsequent to setting the 5 1/2" production casing. Specific intervals will be targeted based on log evaluation, geological sample shows and drill stem tests.

#### **10. Potential Hazards:**

- a. No abnormal pressures or temperatures are expected. There is no known presence of H<sub>2</sub>S in this area. If H<sub>2</sub>S is encountered the operator will comply with the provisions of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 6. All personnel will be familiar with all aspects of safe operation of equipment being used to drill this well. No H<sub>2</sub>S is anticipated to be encountered.

#### **11. Anticipated starting date and Duration of Operations:**

- a. Location construction will begin after the BLM has approved the APD. Anticipated spud date will be as soon as possible after BLM approval and as soon as a rig will be available. Move in operations and drilling is expected to take 30 days.



# New Mexico Office of the State Engineer

## Water Column/Average Depth to Water

No records found.

**PLSS Search:**

**Section(s): 33**

**Township: 24S**

**Range: 28E**

The data is furnished by the NMOSE/ISC and is accepted by the recipient with the expressed understanding that the OSE/ISC make no warranties, expressed or implied, concerning the accuracy, completeness, reliability, usability, or suitability for any particular purpose of the data.

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WATER COLUMN/ AVERAGE  
DEPTH TO WATER



# **COG Operating, LLC**

**Eddy County(NM27E)**

**Sec.33-T24S-R28E**

**Really Scary Federal Com #2H**

**Wellbore #1**

**Plan: Design #1**

## **Standard Planning Report**

**04 February, 2013**

# **Archer**



Project: Eddy County(NM27E)  
Site: Sec.33-T24S-R28E  
Well: Really Scary Federal Com #2H  
Wellbore: Wellbore #1  
Design: Design #1  
Lat: 32° 10' 0.864 N  
Long: 104° 5' 42.326 W  
GL: 3010.30  
KB: WELL @ 3027.30usft

Archer

#### SECTION DETAILS

MD	Inc	Azi	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	Dleg	TFace	Vsect	Annotation
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8361.41	91.05	359.72	8080.00	486.25	-2.42	12.00	359.72	486.25	EOC / Start 4345.44' hold at 8361.41 MD
12706.85	91.05	359.72	8000.00	4830.90	-24.00	0.00	0.00	4830.96	TD at 12706.85

#### WELL DETAILS: Really Scary Federal Com #2H

+N/-S	+E/-W	Northing	Easting	Ground Level: Latitude	Longitude	Slot
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#### DESIGN TARGET DETAILS

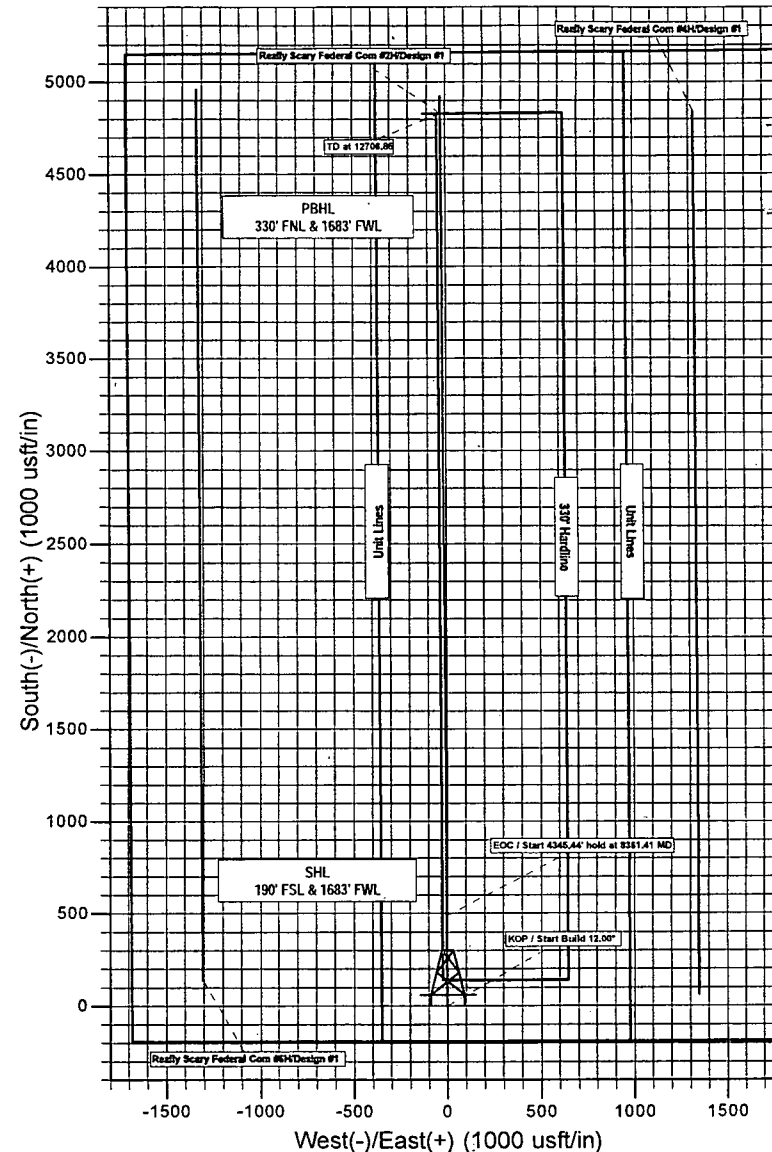
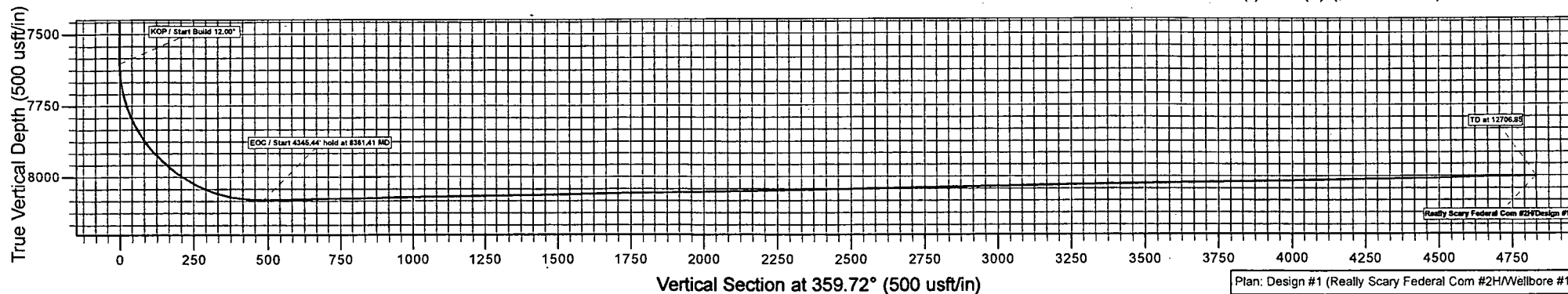
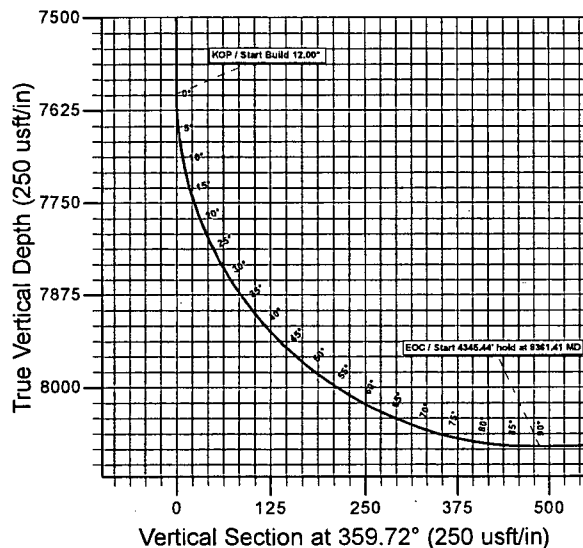
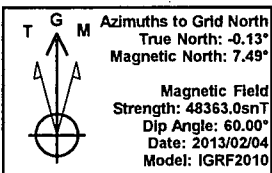
Name	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	Northing	Easting	Latitude	Longitude	Shape
RSFC #2H PBHL	8000.00	4830.90	-24.00	429354.000	573696.000	32° 10' 48.673 N	104° 5' 42.481 W	Point

#### PROJECT DETAILS: Eddy County(NM27E)

Geodetic System: US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution)  
Datum: NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS)  
Ellipsoid: Clarke 1866  
Zone: New Mexico East 3001  
System Datum: Mean Sea Level

#### SITE DETAILS: Sec.33-T24S-R28E

Site Centre Latitude: 32° 10' 0.864 N  
Longitude: 104° 5' 42.326 W  
Positional Uncertainty: 0.00  
Convergence: 0.13  
Local North: Grid



Database:	EDM 5000.1 Single User Db	Local Co-ordinate Reference:	Well Really Scary Federal Com #2H
Company:	COG Operating, LLC	TVD Reference:	WELL @ 3027.30usft
Project:	Eddy County(NM27E)	MD Reference:	WELL @ 3027.30usft
Site:	Sec.33-T24S-R28E	North Reference:	Grid
Well:	Really Scary Federal Com #2H	Survey Calculation Method:	Minimum Curvature
Wellbore:	Wellbore #1		
Design:	Design #1		

Project	Eddy County(NM27E)		
Map System:	US State Plane 1927 (Exact solution)	System Datum:	Mean Sea Level
Geo Datum:	NAD 1927 (NADCON CONUS)		
Map Zone:	New Mexico East 3001		

Site	Sec.33-T24S-R28E				
Site Position:		Northing:	424,523.100 usft	Latitude:	32° 10' 0.864 N
From:	Map	Easting:	573,720.000 usft	Longitude:	104° 5' 42.326 W
Position Uncertainty:	0.00 usft	Slot Radius:	13-3/16"	Grid Convergence:	0.13 °

Well	Really Scary Federal Com #2H					
Well Position	+N/-S	0.00 usft	Northing:	424,523.100 usft	Latitude:	32° 10' 0.864 N
	+E/-W	0.00 usft	Easting:	573,720.000 usft	Longitude:	104° 5' 42.326 W
Position Uncertainty		0.00 usft	Wellhead Elevation:	usft	Ground Level:	3,010.30 usft

Wellbore	Wellbore #1				
Magnetics	Model Name	Sample Date	Declination (°)	Dip Angle (°)	Field Strength (nT)
	IGRF2010	2013/02/04	7.62	60.00	48,363

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Audit Notes:				
Version:	Phase:	PLAN	Tie On Depth:	0.00
Vertical Section:	Depth From (TVD) (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Direction (°)
	8,000.00	0.00	0.00	359.72

Plan Sections										
Measured Depth (usft)	Inclination (°)	Azimuth (°)	Vertical Depth (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Dogleg Rate (°/100usft)	Build Rate (°/100usft)	Turn Rate (°/100usft)	TFO (°)	Target
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,602.62	0.00	0.00	7,602.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
8,361.41	91.05	359.72	8,080.00	486.25	-2.42	12.00	12.00	0.00	359.72	RSFC #2H PBHL
12,706.85	91.05	359.72	8,000.00	4,830.90	-24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	RSFC #2H PBHL

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Well:	Really Scary Federal Com #2H	Survey Calculation Method:	Minimum Curvature
Wellbore:	Wellbore #1		
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0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
100.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
200.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
300.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
400.00	0.00	0.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
600.00	0.00	0.00	600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
700.00	0.00	0.00	700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
800.00	0.00	0.00	800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
900.00	0.00	0.00	900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,100.00	0.00	0.00	1,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,200.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,300.00	0.00	0.00	1,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,400.00	0.00	0.00	1,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,500.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,600.00	0.00	0.00	1,600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,700.00	0.00	0.00	1,700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,800.00	0.00	0.00	1,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,900.00	0.00	0.00	1,900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,100.00	0.00	0.00	2,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,200.00	0.00	0.00	2,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,300.00	0.00	0.00	2,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,400.00	0.00	0.00	2,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,500.00	0.00	0.00	2,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,600.00	0.00	0.00	2,600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,700.00	0.00	0.00	2,700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,800.00	0.00	0.00	2,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
2,900.00	0.00	0.00	2,900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,000.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,100.00	0.00	0.00	3,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,200.00	0.00	0.00	3,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,300.00	0.00	0.00	3,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,400.00	0.00	0.00	3,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,500.00	0.00	0.00	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,600.00	0.00	0.00	3,600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,700.00	0.00	0.00	3,700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,800.00	0.00	0.00	3,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
3,900.00	0.00	0.00	3,900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,000.00	0.00	0.00	4,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,100.00	0.00	0.00	4,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,200.00	0.00	0.00	4,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,300.00	0.00	0.00	4,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,400.00	0.00	0.00	4,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,500.00	0.00	0.00	4,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,600.00	0.00	0.00	4,600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,700.00	0.00	0.00	4,700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,800.00	0.00	0.00	4,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4,900.00	0.00	0.00	4,900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
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5,200.00	0.00	0.00	5,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5,300.00	0.00	0.00	5,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

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5,400.00	0.00	0.00	5,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5,500.00	0.00	0.00	5,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5,600.00	0.00	0.00	5,600.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5,700.00	0.00	0.00	5,700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5,800.00	0.00	0.00	5,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5,900.00	0.00	0.00	5,900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6,000.00	0.00	0.00	6,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
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6,200.00	0.00	0.00	6,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
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6,800.00	0.00	0.00	6,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6,900.00	0.00	0.00	6,900.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,000.00	0.00	0.00	7,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,100.00	0.00	0.00	7,100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,200.00	0.00	0.00	7,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,300.00	0.00	0.00	7,300.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,400.00	0.00	0.00	7,400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,500.00	0.00	0.00	7,500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
KOP / Start Build 12.00°										
7,602.62	0.00	0.00	7,602.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,625.00	2.69	359.72	7,624.99	0.52	0.00	0.52	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,650.00	5.69	359.72	7,649.92	2.35	-0.01	2.35	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,675.00	8.69	359.72	7,674.72	5.48	-0.03	5.48	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,700.00	11.69	359.72	7,699.33	9.90	-0.05	9.90	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,725.00	14.69	359.72	7,723.66	15.60	-0.08	15.60	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,750.00	17.69	359.72	7,747.67	22.57	-0.11	22.57	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,775.00	20.69	359.72	7,771.28	30.78	-0.15	30.78	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,800.00	23.69	359.72	7,794.43	40.22	-0.20	40.22	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,825.00	26.69	359.72	7,817.05	50.86	-0.25	50.86	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,850.00	29.69	359.72	7,839.08	62.67	-0.31	62.67	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,875.00	32.69	359.72	7,860.46	75.61	-0.38	75.61	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,900.00	35.69	359.72	7,881.14	89.65	-0.45	89.66	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,925.00	38.69	359.72	7,901.06	104.76	-0.52	104.76	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,950.00	41.69	359.72	7,920.15	120.89	-0.60	120.89	12.00	12.00	0.00	
7,975.00	44.69	359.72	7,938.38	138.00	-0.69	138.00	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,000.00	47.69	359.72	7,955.69	156.04	-0.78	156.04	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,025.00	50.69	359.72	7,972.02	174.96	-0.87	174.96	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,050.00	53.69	359.72	7,987.35	194.70	-0.97	194.71	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,075.00	56.69	359.72	8,001.62	215.23	-1.07	215.23	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,100.00	59.69	359.72	8,014.80	236.47	-1.17	236.47	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,125.00	62.69	359.72	8,026.85	258.37	-1.28	258.37	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,150.00	65.69	359.72	8,037.73	280.87	-1.40	280.88	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,175.00	68.69	359.72	8,047.42	303.91	-1.51	303.92	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,200.00	71.69	359.72	8,055.90	327.43	-1.63	327.43	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,225.00	74.69	359.72	8,063.13	351.36	-1.75	351.36	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,250.00	77.69	359.72	8,069.10	375.63	-1.87	375.64	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,275.00	80.69	359.72	8,073.79	400.19	-1.99	400.19	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,300.00	83.69	359.72	8,077.18	424.95	-2.11	424.96	12.00	12.00	0.00	
8,325.00	86.69	359.72	8,079.28	449.86	-2.23	449.86	12.00	12.00	0.00	

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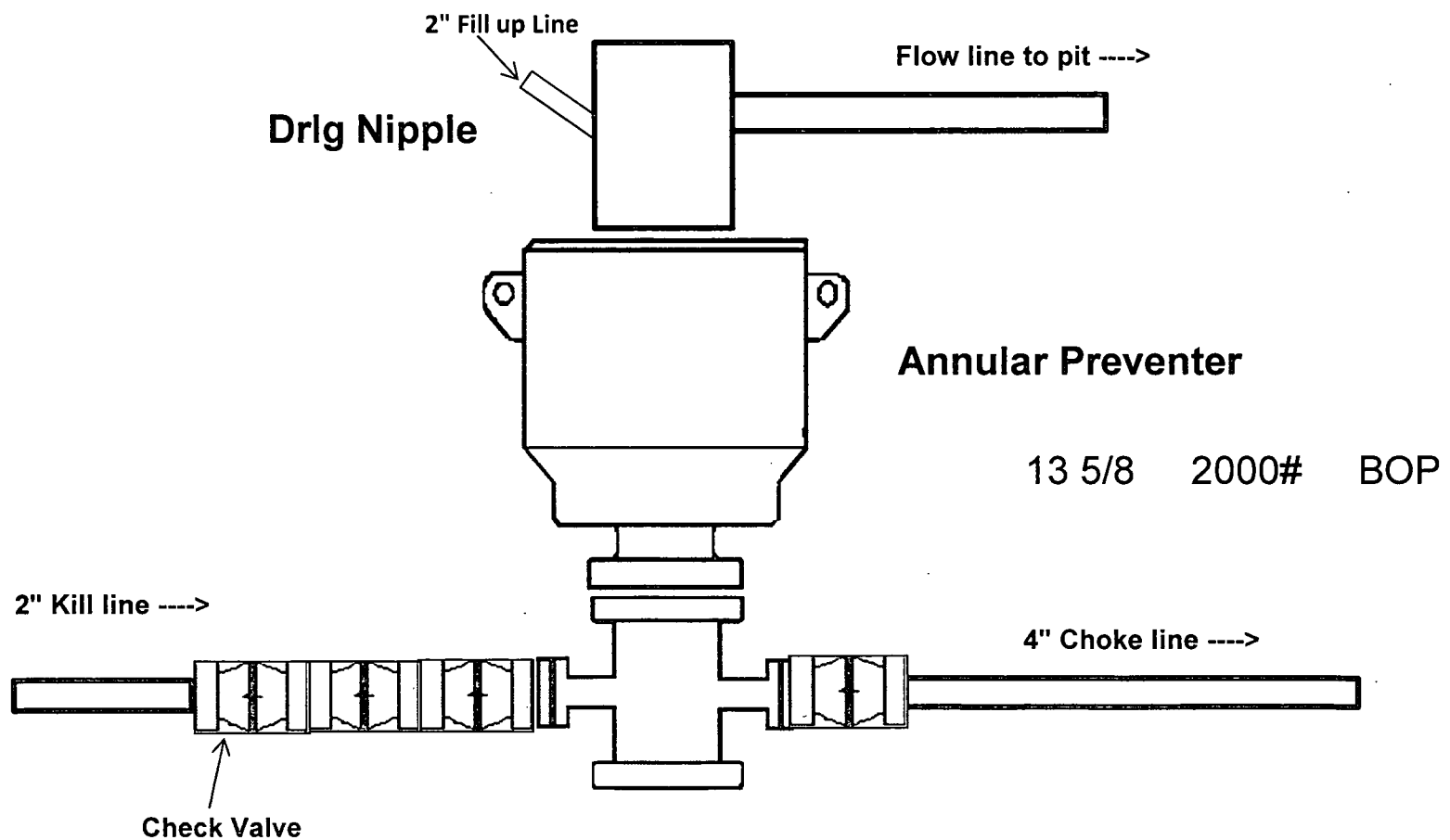
Measured Depth (usft)	Inclination (°)	Azimuth (°)	Vertical Depth (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Vertical Section (usft)	Dogleg Rate (°/100usft)	Build Rate (°/100usft)	Turn Rate (°/100usft)
8,350.00	89.69	359.72	8,080.07	474.84	-2.36	474.85	12.00	12.00	0.00
<b>EOC / Start 4345.44' hold at 8361.41 MD</b>									
8,361.41	91.05	359.72	8,080.00	486.25	-2.42	486.25	12.00	12.00	0.00
8,400.00	91.05	359.72	8,079.29	524.84	-2.61	524.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
8,500.00	91.05	359.72	8,077.45	624.82	-3.10	624.82	0.00	0.00	0.00
8,600.00	91.05	359.72	8,075.61	724.80	-3.60	724.81	0.00	0.00	0.00
8,700.00	91.05	359.72	8,073.77	824.78	-4.10	824.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
8,800.00	91.05	359.72	8,071.93	924.76	-4.59	924.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
8,900.00	91.05	359.72	8,070.08	1,024.74	-5.09	1,024.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,000.00	91.05	359.72	8,068.24	1,124.73	-5.59	1,124.74	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,100.00	91.05	359.72	8,066.40	1,224.71	-6.08	1,224.72	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,200.00	91.05	359.72	8,064.56	1,324.69	-6.58	1,324.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,300.00	91.05	359.72	8,062.72	1,424.67	-7.08	1,424.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,400.00	91.05	359.72	8,060.88	1,524.65	-7.57	1,524.67	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,500.00	91.05	359.72	8,059.04	1,624.64	-8.07	1,624.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,600.00	91.05	359.72	8,057.20	1,724.62	-8.57	1,724.64	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,700.00	91.05	359.72	8,055.36	1,824.60	-9.06	1,824.62	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,800.00	91.05	359.72	8,053.52	1,924.58	-9.56	1,924.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
9,900.00	91.05	359.72	8,051.67	2,024.56	-10.06	2,024.59	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,000.00	91.05	359.72	8,049.83	2,124.54	-10.55	2,124.57	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,100.00	91.05	359.72	8,047.99	2,224.53	-11.05	2,224.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,200.00	91.05	359.72	8,046.15	2,324.51	-11.55	2,324.54	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,300.00	91.05	359.72	8,044.31	2,424.49	-12.04	2,424.52	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,400.00	91.05	359.72	8,042.47	2,524.47	-12.54	2,524.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,500.00	91.05	359.72	8,040.63	2,624.45	-13.04	2,624.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,600.00	91.05	359.72	8,038.79	2,724.44	-13.54	2,724.47	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,700.00	91.05	359.72	8,036.95	2,824.42	-14.03	2,824.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,800.00	91.05	359.72	8,035.11	2,924.40	-14.53	2,924.43	0.00	0.00	0.00
10,900.00	91.05	359.72	8,033.26	3,024.38	-15.03	3,024.42	0.00	0.00	0.00
11,000.00	91.05	359.72	8,031.42	3,124.36	-15.52	3,124.40	0.00	0.00	0.00
11,100.00	91.05	359.72	8,029.58	3,224.34	-16.02	3,224.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
11,200.00	91.05	359.72	8,027.74	3,324.33	-16.52	3,324.37	0.00	0.00	0.00
11,300.00	91.05	359.72	8,025.90	3,424.31	-17.01	3,424.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
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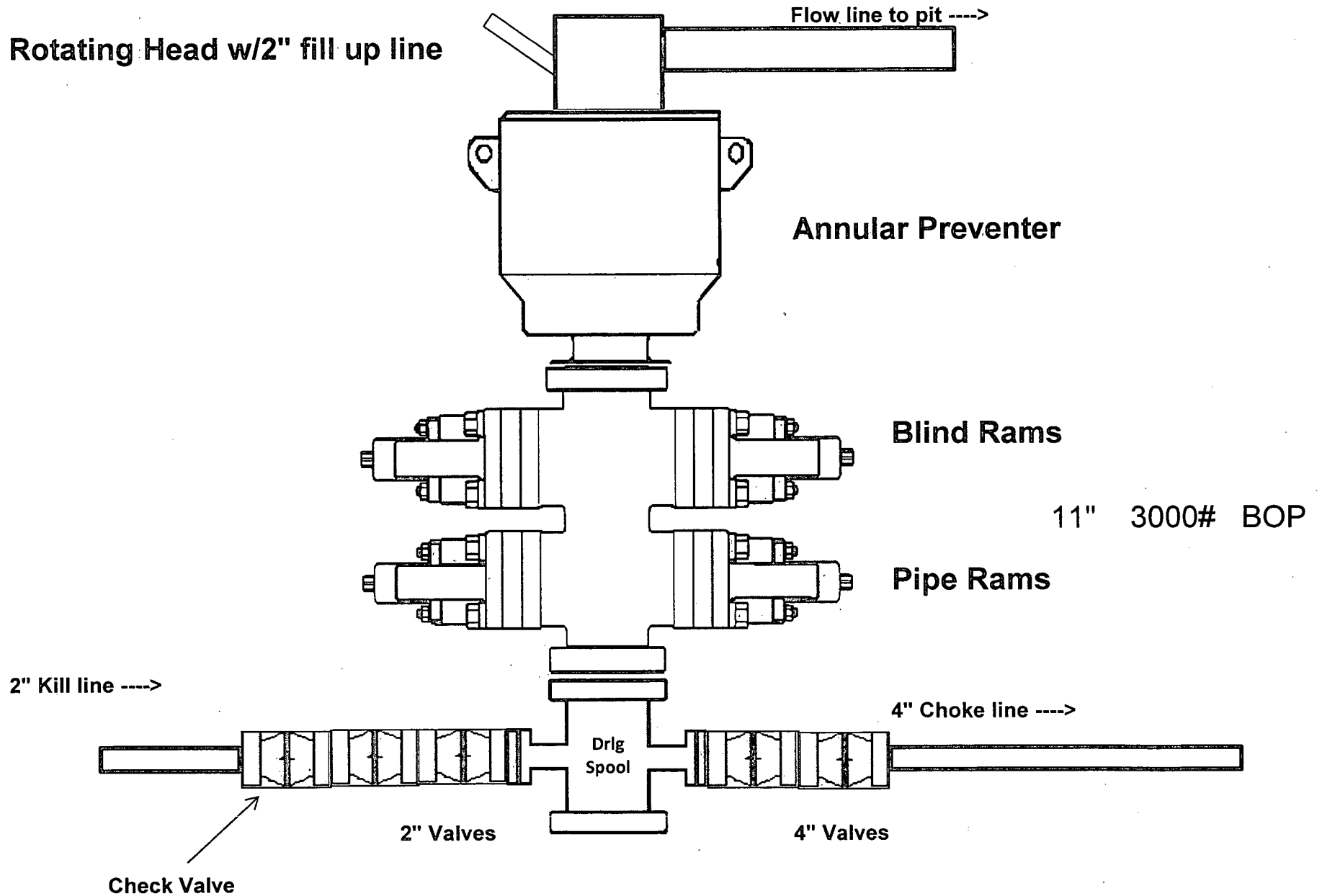
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- Point									

Plan Annotations				
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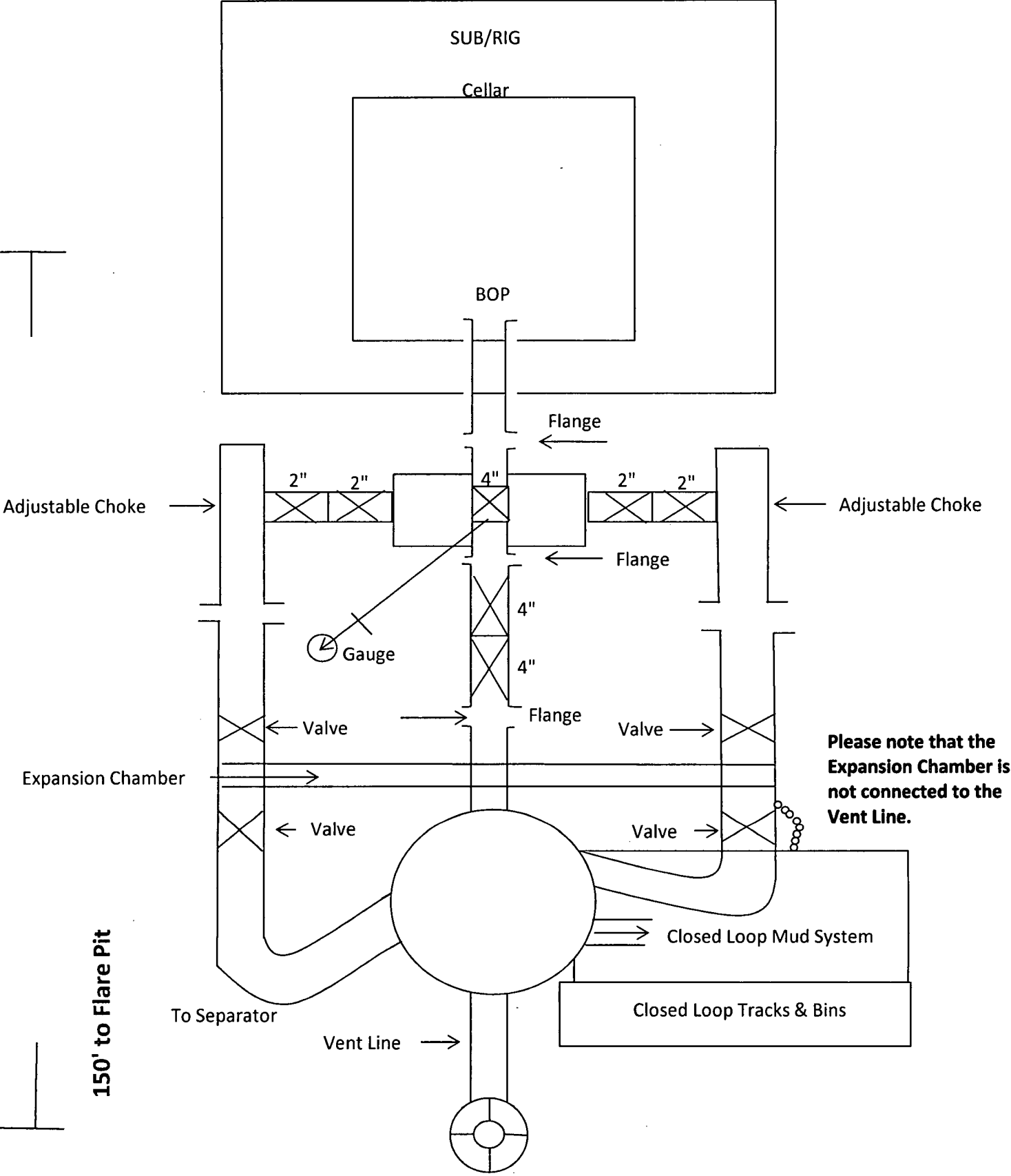
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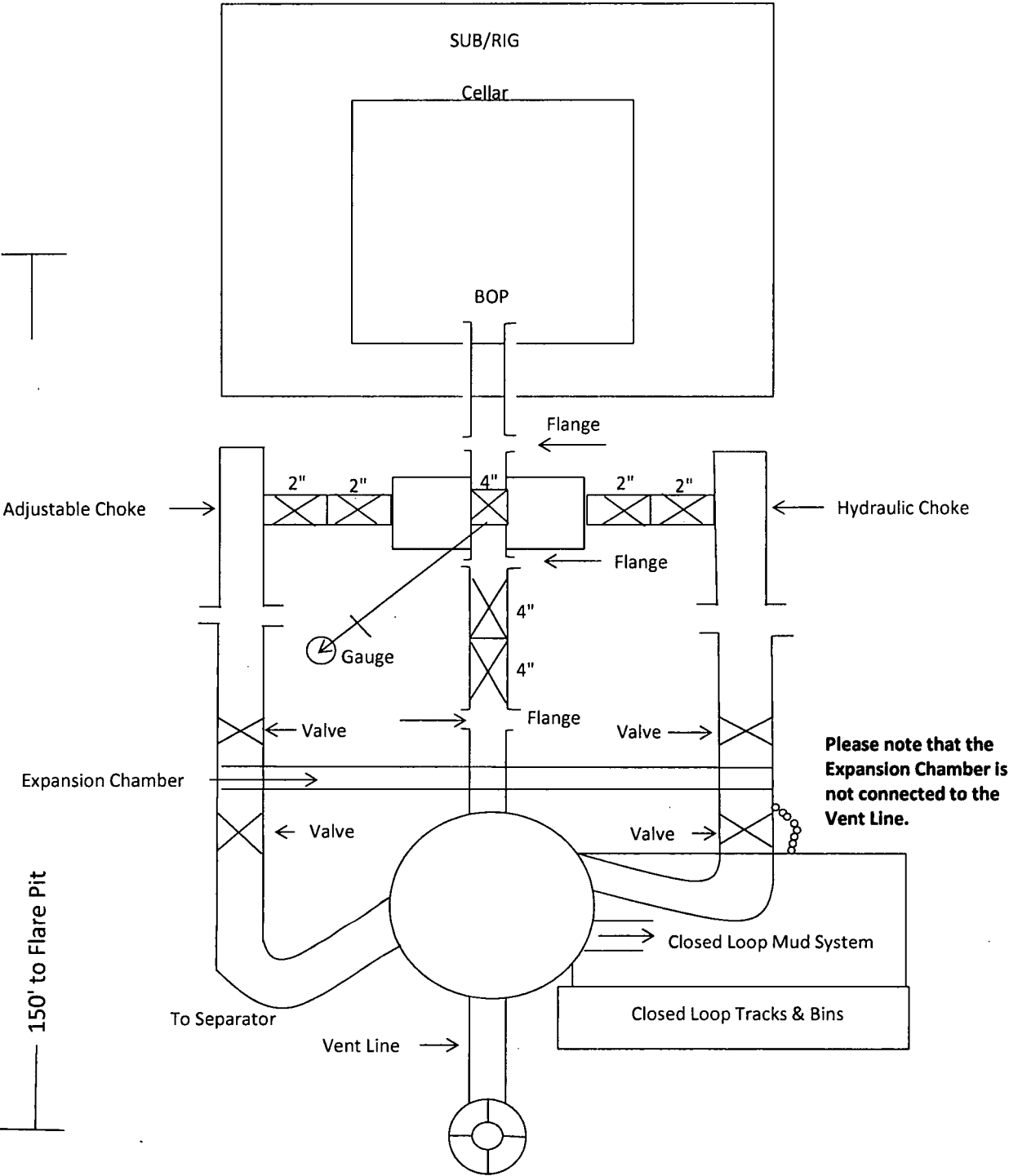
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# 2M Choke Manifold Equipment



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COG Operating LLC

Rig Plat & Closed Loop Equipment Diagram

Well pad will be 340' X 340'  
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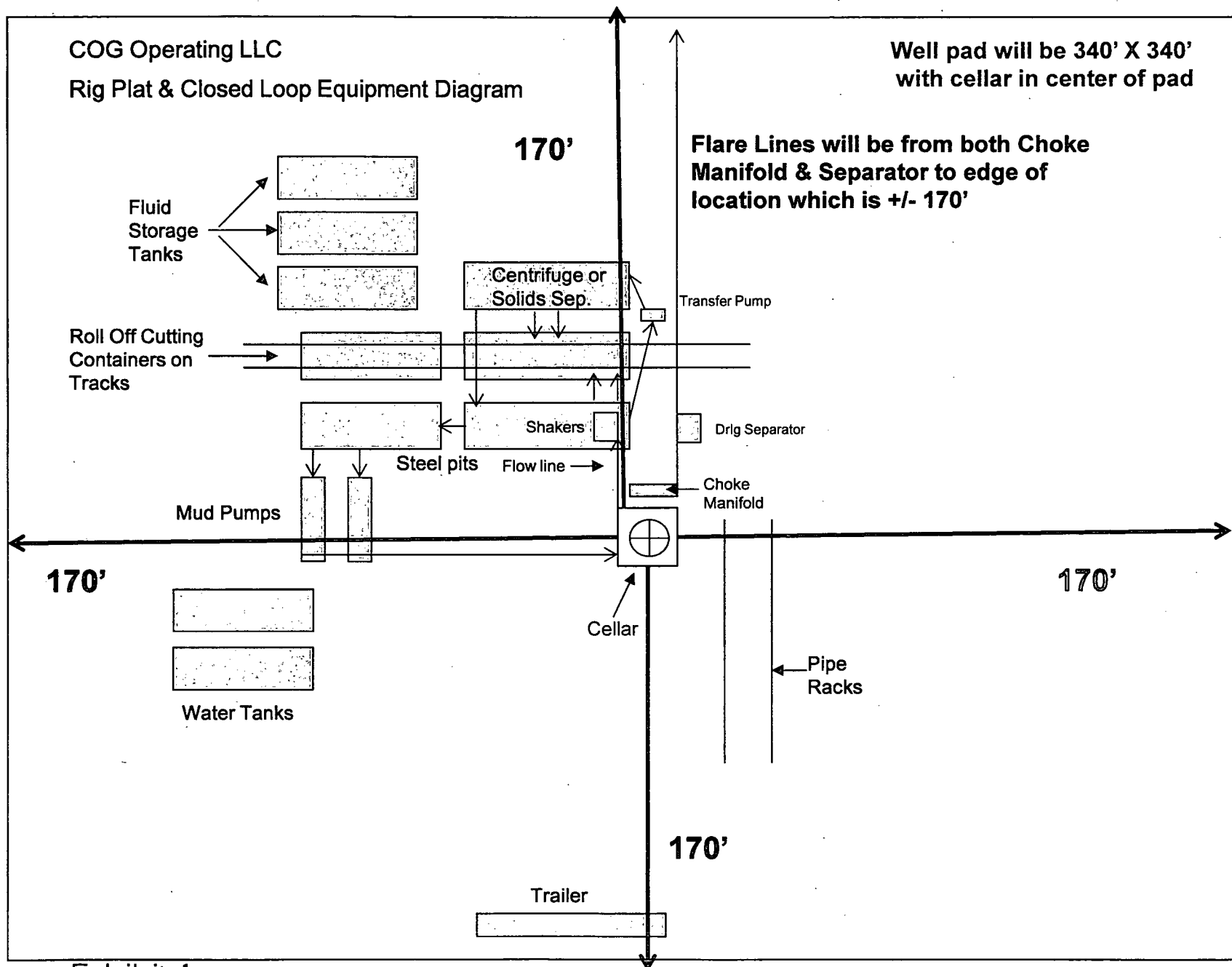


Exhibit 1

**Design Plan  
Operating and Maintenance Plan  
Closure Plan**

**Really Scary Federal Com 2H  
SHL: 190' FSL & 1683' FWL  
BHL: 330' FNL & 1683' FWL  
Section 33 T24S R28E  
Eddy County, New Mexico**

COG Operating LLC will be using all above ground steel pits for fluid and cuttings while drilling. If any tank develops a leak we will have immediate visual discovery, we would then transfer the fluid to another tank then remove any contaminated soil and dispose of it in the cuttings bins for transportation. All leaks should be kept to less than 5 barrels. Rig crews will monitor the tanks at all times.

Equipment List:

- 2- Mongoose Shale Shakers
- 1- 414 Centrifuge
- 1- 518 Centrifuge
- 2- Roll Off Bins w/ Tracks
- 2- 500 BBL Frac Tanks

During drilling operations all liquids, drilling fluids and cuttings will be hauled off via CRI (Controlled Recovery Inc.) Permit R-9166 or any other approved facility.

**COG OPERATING LLC**  
**HYDROGEN SULFIDE DRILLING OPERATIONS PLAN**

**1. HYDROGEN SULFIDE TRAINING**

All personnel, whether regularly assigned, contracted, or employed on an unscheduled basis, will receive training from a qualified instructor in the following areas prior to commencing drilling operations on this well:

- a. The hazards and characteristics of hydrogen sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S).
- b. The proper use and maintenance of personal protective equipment and life support systems.
- c. The proper use of H<sub>2</sub>S detectors, alarms, warning systems, briefing areas, evacuation procedures, and prevailing winds.
- d. The proper techniques for first aid and rescue procedures.

In addition, supervisory personnel will be trained in the following areas:

- a. The effects of H<sub>2</sub>S on metal components. If high tensile tubulars are to be used, personnel will be trained in their special maintenance requirements.
- b. Corrective action and shut-in procedures when drilling or reworking a well and blowout prevention and well control procedures.
- c. The contents and requirements of the H<sub>2</sub>S Drilling Operations Plan and the Public Protection Plan.

There will be an initial training session just prior to encountering a known or probable H<sub>2</sub>S zone (within 3 days or 500 feet) and weekly H<sub>2</sub>S and well control drills for all personnel in each crew. The initial training session shall include a review of the site specific H<sub>2</sub>S Drilling Operations Plan and the Public Protection Plan. This plan shall be available at the well site. All personnel will be required to carry documentation that they have received the proper training.

**2. H<sub>2</sub>S SAFETY EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS**

Note: All H<sub>2</sub>S safety equipment and systems will be installed, tested, and operational when drilling reaches a depth of 500 feet above, or three days prior to penetrating the first zone containing or reasonably expected to contain H<sub>2</sub>S.

- a. Well Control Equipment:
  - Flare line.
  - Choke manifold with remotely operated choke.
  - Blind rams and pipe rams to accommodate all pipe sizes with properly sized closing unit.
  - Auxiliary equipment to include: annular preventer, mud-gas separator, rotating head.

- b. Protective equipment for essential personnel:  
Mark II Surviveair 30-minute units located in the dog house and at briefing areas.
- c. H2S detection and monitoring equipment:  
2 - portable H2S monitor positioned on location for best coverage and response. These units have warning lights and audible sirens when H2S levels of 20 ppm are reached.
- d. Visual warning systems:  
Caution/Danger signs shall be posted on roads providing direct access to location. Signs will be painted a high visibility yellow with black lettering of sufficient size to be readable at a reasonable distance from the immediate location. Bilingual signs will be used, when appropriate. See example attached.
- e. Mud Program:  
The mud program has been designed to minimize the volume of H2S circulated to the surface.
- f. Metallurgy:  
All drill strings, casings, tubing, wellhead, blowout preventers, drilling spool, kill lines, choke manifold and lines, and valves shall be suitable for H2S service.
- g. Communication:  
Company vehicles equipped with cellular telephone.

COG OPERATING LLC has conducted a review to determine if an H2S contingency plan is required for the above referenced well. We were able to conclude that any potential hazardous volume would be minimal. H2S concentrations of wells in this area from surface to TD are low enough; therefore, we do not believe that an H2S contingency plan is necessary.

# **W A R N I N G**

**YOU ARE ENTERING AN H<sub>2</sub>S AREA  
AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL ONLY**

- 1. BEARDS OR CONTACT LENSES NOT ALLOWED***
- 2. HARD HATS REQUIRED***
- 3. SMOKING IN DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY***
- 4. BE WIND CONSCIOUS AT ALL TIMES***
- 5. CK WITH COG OPERATING LLC FOREMAN AT MAIN OFFICE***

**COG OPERATING LLC**

**1-575-748-6940**

## **EMERGENCY CALL LIST**

	<b><u>OFFICE</u></b>	<b><u>MOBILE</u></b>
COG OPERATING LLC OFFICE	575-748-6940	
SHERYL BAKER	575-748-6940	432-934-1873
KENT GREENWAY	575-746-2010	432-557-1694
SETH WILD	575-748-6940	432-528-3633
WALTER ROYE	575-748-6940	432-934-1886

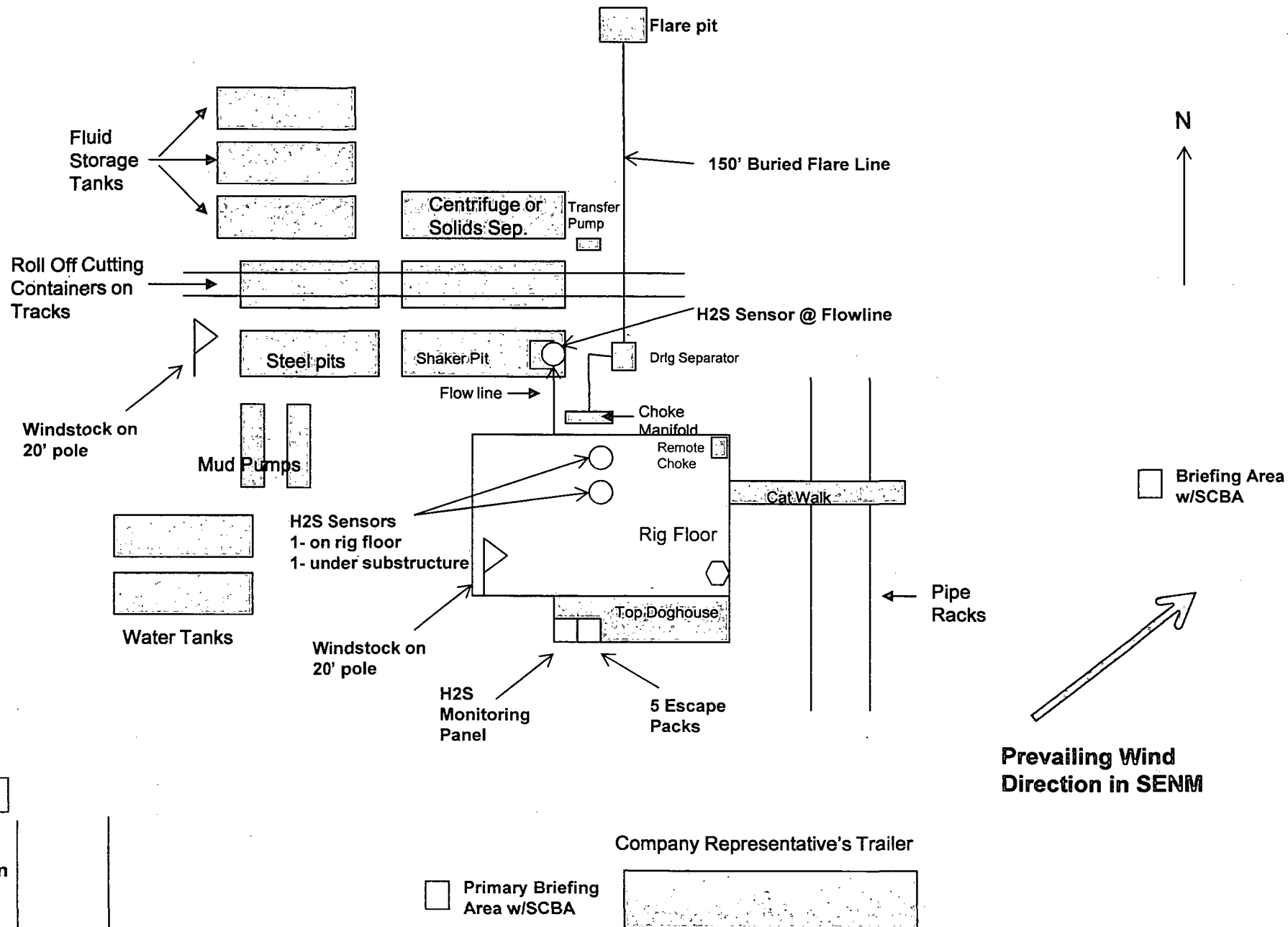
## **EMERGENCY RESPONSE NUMBERS**

	<b><u>OFFICE</u></b>
STATE POLICE	575-748-9718
EDDY COUNTY SHERIFF	575-746-2701
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (AMBULANCE)	911 or 575-746-2701
EDDY COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (HARRY BURGESS)	575-887-9511
STATE EMERGENCY RESPONSE CENTER (SERC)	575-476-9620
CARLSBAD POLICE DEPARTMENT	575-885-2111
CARLSBAD FIRE DEPARTMENT	575-885-3125
NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	575-748-1283
INDIAN FIRE & SAFETY	800-530-8693
HALLIBURTON SERVICES	800-844-8451

COG Operating LLC  
H<sub>2</sub>S Equipment Schematic  
Terrain: Mesquite/ Shinnery sandhills

Well pad will be 340' X 340'  
with cellar in center of pad

Secondary egress





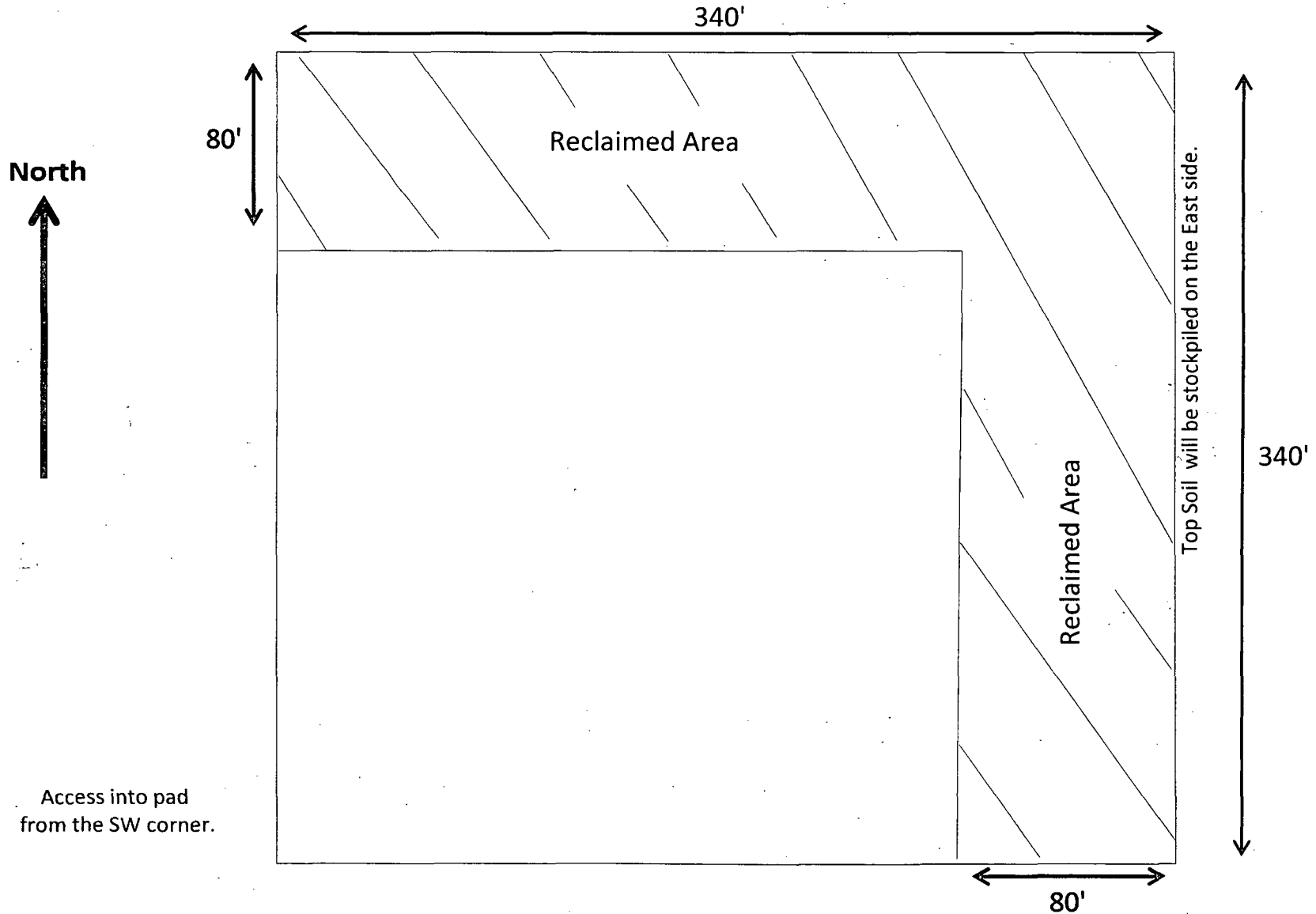
COG Operating LLC  
2208 West Main  
Artesia, NM 88210

# EXHIBIT 3

## Production Facility Layout

Really Scary Federal #2H

Section 33-T24S-R28E



**COG OPERATING LLC**  
**MULTI-POINT SURFACE USE AND OPERATIONS PLAN**

**Really Scary Federal Com 2H**  
**SHL: 190' FSL & 1683' FWL**  
**BHL: 330' FNL & 1683' FWL**  
**Section 33 T24S R28E**  
**Eddy County, New Mexico**

This plan is submitted with Form 3160-3, Application for Permit to Drill, covering the above described well. The purpose of this plan is to describe the location of the proposed well, the proposed construction activities and operations plan, the magnitude of the surface disturbance involved and the procedures to be followed in rehabilitating the surface after completion of the operations, so that a complete appraisal can be made of the environmental effect associated with the operations.

**1. EXISTING ROADS:**

- a. The well site and elevation plat for the proposed well are reflected on the well site layout; Form C-102. The well was staked by Harcrow Surveying.
- b. Exhibit 2 is a portion of a topo map showing the well and roads in the vicinity of the location. The wellsite is indicated in green on Exhibit 2. No new access road is necessary. Right of way using this proposed route is being requested if necessary.
- c. Routine grading and maintenance of existing roads will be conducted as necessary to maintain their condition as long as any operations continue on this lease.

**DIRECTIONS:**

Heading south on highway 285, take a right on NM 11 onto caliche road that goes to an existing well pad. Take a right on existing pad and take caliche road leaving pad to the north and travel 2.1 miles on caliche road. Proposed well is approximately 200 feet north.

**2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD:**

COG will be using an existing caliche road to access the well. Width of road is 14' wide, crown design, the road is crowned and ditched with a 2% slope from the tip of the crown to the edge of the driving surface. The ditches are 3 feet wide with 3:1 slopes.

**3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS:**

The 1-mile Map shows all existing wells within a one-mile radius of this well. As shown on this plat there are wells producing from the Willow Lake; Bone Spring formation, Malaga Morrow formation, Salt Draw; Atoka formation, Salt Draw; Wolfcamp formation, Willow Lake; Delaware formation, and Malaga Morrow, West formations.

**4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED FACILITIES:**

- a. In the event the well is found productive, a tank battery will not be constructed, the existing facility at the Really Scary Federal Com #3H will be utilized.

- b. Exhibit 4 shows the proposed flow line route (in red) to the Really Scary Federal Com #3H facility. The proposed route is 1,054' and will follow the existing lease road.
- c. A surface flow line is proposed and will be 1,054' of 2 7/8" steel J-55 tubing carrying oil, gas and water with under 125 psi.
- d. All flowlines will adhere to API standards
- e. If electricity is needed, power will be obtained from Xcel Energy. Xcel Energy will apply for ROW for their power lines.
- f. If the well is productive, rehabilitation plans are as follows:
  - 1. The original topsoil from the well site will be returned to the location. The drill site will then be contoured as close as possible to the original state.

**5. LOCATION AND TYPES OF WATER SUPPLY:**

This well will be drilled using a combination of water mud systems (outlined in the Drilling Program). The water will be obtained from commercial water stations in the area and hauled to location by transport truck using the existing and proposed roads shown in Exhibit #2. On occasion, water will be obtained from a pre-existing water well, running a pump directly to the drill rig. In these cases where a poly pipeline is used to transport water for drilling purposes, the existing and proposed road shown in Exhibit "2" will be utilized.

**6. CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS:**

All Caliche utilized for the drilling pad and proposed access road will be obtained from an existing BLM approved pit or from prevailing deposits found under the location. All roads will be constructed of 6" rolled and compacted caliche. Will use BLM recommended use of extra caliche from other locations close by for roads, if available.

**7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE MATERIAL:**

- a. All trash, junk and other waste material will be removed from the wellsite within 30 days after finishing drilling and/or completion operations. All waste material will be contained in trash cages or trash bins to prevent scattering. When the job is completed, all contents will be removed and disposed of in an approved sanitary landfill.
- b. The supplier, including broken sacks, will pick up slats remaining after completion of well.
- c. A porto-john will be provided for the rig crews. This equipment will be properly maintained during the drilling and completion operations and will be removed when all operations are complete.
- d. Disposal of fluids to be transported by an approved disposal company.

**8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES:**

No campsite or other facilities will be constructed as a result of this well.

**9. WELLSITE LAYOUT:**

- a. Exhibit 1 shows the proposed well site layout with dimensions of the pad layout.
- b. This exhibit indicates proposed location of reserve and sump pits if utilized and living facilities.
- c. Mud pits in the active circulating system will be steel pits and a closed loop system will be utilized.

**10. PLANS FOR SURFACE RECLAMATION:**

- a. After finishing drilling and/or completion operations, if the well is found non commercial, the caliche will be removed from the pad and transported to the original caliche pit or used for other drilling locations. The road will be reclaimed as directed by the BLM. The original top soil will again be returned to the pad and contoured, as close as possible, to the original state.
- b. The location and road will be rehabilitated as recommended by the BLM.
- c. Caliche from areas of the pad site not required for operations will be reclaimed. The original top soil will be returned to the area of the drill pad not necessary to operate the well. These unused areas of the drill pad will be contoured, as close as possible, to match the original topography.

**11. SURFACE OWNERSHIP:**

The surface is owned by Pardue Limited. PO Box 2018 (126 N Canyon) Carlsbad, NM 88220. Phone 575-887-9525. A Surface Use Agreement between Pardue Limited and COG Operating LLC has been executed.

A copy of this Multi-Point Surface Use and Operations Plan has been mailed to Pardue Limited.

**12. OTHER INFORMATION:**

- a. The area surrounding the well site is grassland. The vegetation is moderately sparse with native prairie grass and mesquite bushes. No wildlife was observed but it is likely that deer, rabbits, coyotes, and rodents traverse the area.
- b. There is no permanent or live water in the general proximity of the location.
- c. If the well is deemed commercially productive, caliche from areas of the pad site not required for operations will be reclaimed. The original top soil will be returned to the area of the drill pad not necessary to operate the well. These unused areas of the drill pad will be contoured, as close as possible, to match the original topography. Reserve pit will not be used on this location therefore no reclamation is needed.
- d. Topsoil will be stockpiled on the EAST SIDE of the location until it is needed for interim reclamation described in paragraph above.

**11. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE:**

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| a. Through A.P.D. Approval:<br>Melanie Parker, Regulatory Coordinator<br>COG OPERATING LLC<br>Artesia, NM 88210<br>Phone (575)748-6940<br>Cell (432) 553-9834 | b. Through Drilling Operations<br>Sheryl Baker, Drilling Supervisor<br>COG OPERATING LLC<br>Artesia, NM 88210<br>Phone (575)748-6940<br>Cell (432)934-7873 |
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# PECOS DISTRICT CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

<b>OPERATOR'S NAME:</b>	<b>COG Operating LLC</b>
<b>LEASE NO.:</b>	<b>NMM-115411</b>
<b>WELL NAME &amp; NO.:</b>	<b>Really Scary Federal Com 2H</b>
<b>SURFACE HOLE FOOTAGE:</b>	<b>0190' FSL &amp; 1683' FWL</b>
<b>BOTTOM HOLE FOOTAGE:</b>	<b>0330' FNL &amp; 1683' FWL</b>
<b>LOCATION:</b>	<b>Section 33, T. 24 S., R 28 E., NMPM</b>
<b>COUNTY:</b>	<b>Eddy County, New Mexico</b>

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## **I. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

The approval of the Application For Permit To Drill (APD) is in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations: 43 Code of Federal Regulations 3160, the lease terms, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, Notices To Lessees, New Mexico Oil Conservation Division (NMOCD) Rules, National Historical Preservation Act As Amended, and instructions and orders of the Authorized Officer. Any request for a variance shall be submitted to the Authorized Officer on Form 3160-5, Sundry Notices and Report on Wells.

## **II. PERMIT EXPIRATION**

If the permit terminates prior to drilling and drilling cannot be commenced within 60 days after expiration, an operator is required to submit Form 3160-5, Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells, requesting surface reclamation requirements for any surface disturbance. However, if the operator will be able to initiate drilling within 60 days after the expiration of the permit, the operator must have set the conductor pipe in order to allow for an extension of 60 days beyond the expiration date of the APD. (Filing of a Sundry Notice is required for this 60 day extension.)

## **III. ARCHAEOLOGICAL, PALEONTOLOGY & HISTORICAL SITES**

Any cultural and/or paleontological resource discovered by the operator or by any person working on the operator's behalf shall immediately report such findings to the Authorized Officer. The operator is fully accountable for the actions of their contractors and subcontractors. The operator shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the Authorized Officer. An evaluation of the discovery shall be made by the Authorized Officer to determine the appropriate actions that shall be required to prevent the loss of significant cultural or scientific values of the discovery. The operator shall be held responsible for the cost of the proper mitigation measures that the Authorized Officer assesses after consultation with the operator on the evaluation and decisions of the discovery. Any unauthorized collection or disturbance of cultural or paleontological resources may result in a shutdown order by the Authorized Officer.

## **IV. NOXIOUS WEEDS**

The operator shall be held responsible if noxious weeds become established within the areas of operations. Weed control shall be required on the disturbed land where noxious weeds exist, which includes the roads, pads, associated pipeline corridor, and adjacent land affected by the establishment of weeds due to this action. The operator shall consult with the Authorized Officer for acceptable weed control methods, which include following EPA and BLM requirements and policies.

## **V. SPECIAL REQUIREMENT(S)**

### **Watershed Protection**

Any water erosion that may occur due to the construction of the well pad during the life of the well will be quickly corrected and proper measures will be taken to prevent future erosion.

Stockpiling of topsoil is required. The top soil shall be stockpiled in an appropriate location to prevent loss of soil due to water or wind erosion and not used for berming or erosion control.

### **Cave/Karst**

### **Conditions of Approval Cave and Karst**

\*\* Depending on location, additional Drilling, Casing, and Cementing procedures may be required by engineering to protect critical karst groundwater recharge areas.

### **Cave/Karst Surface Mitigation**

The following stipulations will be applied to minimize impacts during construction, drilling and production.

#### **Construction:**

In the advent that any underground voids are opened up during construction activities, construction activities will be halted and the BLM will be notified immediately.

#### **No Blasting:**

No blasting will be utilized for pad construction. The pad will be constructed and leveled by adding the necessary fill and caliche.

#### **Pad Berming:**

The pad will be bermed to prevent oil, salt, and other chemical contaminants from leaving the pad. All sides will be bermed.

#### **Tank Battery Liners and Berms:**

Tank battery locations will be lined and bermed. A 20 mil permanent liner will be installed with a 4 oz. felt backing to prevent tears or punctures. Tank battery berms must be large enough to contain 1 ½ times the content of the largest tank.

#### **Leak Detection System:**

A method of detecting leaks is required. The method could incorporate gauges to measure loss, siting valves and lines so they can be visually inspected, or installing electronic sensors to alarm when a leak is present. Leak detection plan will be submitted to BLM for approval.

**Automatic Shut-off Systems:**

Automatic shut off, check valves, or similar systems will be installed for pipelines and tanks to minimize the effects of catastrophic line failures used in production or drilling.

**Cave/Karst Subsurface Mitigation**

The following stipulations will be applied to protect cave/karst and ground water concerns:

**Rotary Drilling with Fresh Water:**

Fresh water will be used as a circulating medium in zones where caves or karst features are expected. SEE ALSO: Drilling COAs for this well.

**Directional Drilling:**

Kick off for directional drilling will occur at least 100 feet below the bottom of the cave occurrence zone. SEE ALSO: Drilling COAs for this well.

**Lost Circulation:**

ALL lost circulation zones from the surface to the base of the cave occurrence zone will be logged and reported in the drilling report.

Regardless of the type of drilling machinery used, if a void of four feet or more and circulation losses greater than 70 percent occur simultaneously while drilling in any cave-bearing zone, the BLM will be notified immediately by the operator. The BLM will assess the situation and work with the operator on corrective actions to resolve the problem.

**Abandonment Cementing:**

Upon well abandonment in high cave karst areas additional plugging conditions of approval may be required. The BLM will assess the situation and work with the operator to ensure proper plugging of the wellbore.

**Pressure Testing:**

Annual pressure monitoring will be performed by the operator on all casing annuli and reported in a sundry notice. If the test results indicated a casing failure has occurred, remedial action will be undertaken to correct the problem to the BLM's approval.

**Drilling:****Communitization Agreement**

A Communitization Agreement covering the acreage dedicated to this well must be filed for approval with the BLM. The effective date of the agreement shall be prior to any sales. In addition, the well sign shall include the surface and bottom hole lease numbers.

If the Communitization Agreement number is known, it shall also be on the sign. If not, it shall be placed on the sign when the sign is replaced.

## **VI. CONSTRUCTION**

### **A. NOTIFICATION**

The BLM shall administer compliance and monitor construction of the access road and well pad. Notify the Carlsbad Field Office at (575) 234-5909 at least 3 working days prior to commencing construction of the access road and/or well pad.

When construction operations are being conducted on this well, the operator shall have the approved APD and Conditions of Approval (COA) on the well site and they shall be made available upon request by the Authorized Officer.

### **B. TOPSOIL**

The operator shall stockpile the topsoil in a low profile manner in order to prevent wind/water erosion of the topsoil. The topsoil to be stripped is approximately 6 inches in depth. The topsoil will be used for interim and final reclamation.

### **C. CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM**

Tanks are required for drilling operations: No Pits.

The operator shall properly dispose of drilling contents at an authorized disposal site.

### **D. FEDERAL MINERAL MATERIALS PIT**

Payment shall be made to the BLM prior to removal of any federal mineral materials. Call the Carlsbad Field Office at (575) 234-5972.

### **E. WELL PAD SURFACING**

Surfacing of the well pad is not required.

If the operator elects to surface the well pad, the surfacing material may be required to be removed at the time of reclamation.

The well pad shall be constructed in a manner which creates the smallest possible surface disturbance, consistent with safety and operational needs.

### **F. ON LEASE ACCESS ROADS**

#### **Road Width**

The access road shall have a driving surface that creates the smallest possible surface disturbance and does not exceed fourteen (14) feet in width. The maximum width of surface disturbance, when constructing the access road, shall not exceed twenty-five (25) feet.

### **Surfacing**

Surfacing material is not required on the new access road driving surface. If the operator elects to surface the new access road or pad, the surfacing material may be required to be removed at the time of reclamation.

Where possible, no improvements should be made on the unsurfaced access road other than to remove vegetation as necessary, road irregularities, safety issues, or to fill low areas that may sustain standing water.

The Authorized Officer reserves the right to require surfacing of any portion of the access road at any time deemed necessary. Surfacing may be required in the event the road deteriorates, erodes, road traffic increases, or it is determined to be beneficial for future field development. The surfacing depth and type of material will be determined at the time of notification.

### **Crowning**

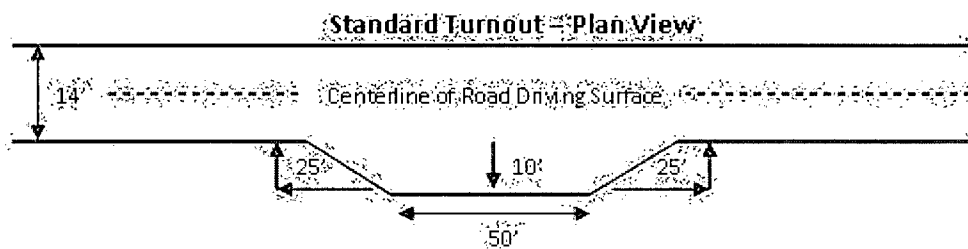
Crowning shall be done on the access road driving surface. The road crown shall have a grade of approximately 2% (i.e., a 1" crown on a 14' wide road). The road shall conform to Figure 1; cross section and plans for typical road construction.

### **Ditching**

Ditching shall be required on both sides of the road.

### **Turnouts**

Vehicle turnouts shall be constructed on the road. Turnouts shall be intervisible with interval spacing distance less than 1000 feet. Turnouts shall be constructed on all blind curves. Turnouts shall conform to the following diagram:

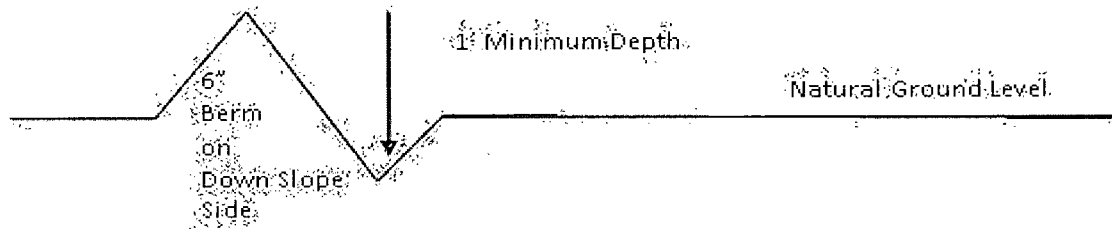


### **Drainage**

Drainage control systems shall be constructed on the entire length of road (e.g. ditches, sidehill outslowing and insloping, lead-off ditches, culvert installation, and low water crossings).

A typical lead-off ditch has a minimum depth of 1 foot below and a berm of 6 inches above natural ground level. The berm shall be on the down-slope side of the lead-off ditch.

### **Cross Section of a Typical Lead-off Ditch**



All lead-off ditches shall be graded to drain water with a 1 percent minimum to 3 percent maximum ditch slope. The spacing interval are variable for lead-off ditches and shall be determined according to the formula for spacing intervals of lead-off ditches, but may be amended depending upon existing soil types and centerline road slope (in %);

#### **Formula for Spacing Interval of Lead-off Ditches**

Example - On a 4% road slope that is 400 feet long, the water flow shall drain water into a lead-off ditch. Spacing interval shall be determined by the following formula:

$$400 \text{ foot road with } 4\% \text{ road slope: } \frac{400'}{4\%} + 100' = 200' \text{ lead-off ditch interval}$$

#### **Culvert Installations**

Appropriately sized culvert(s) shall be installed at the deep waterway channel flow crossing.

#### **Cattleguards**

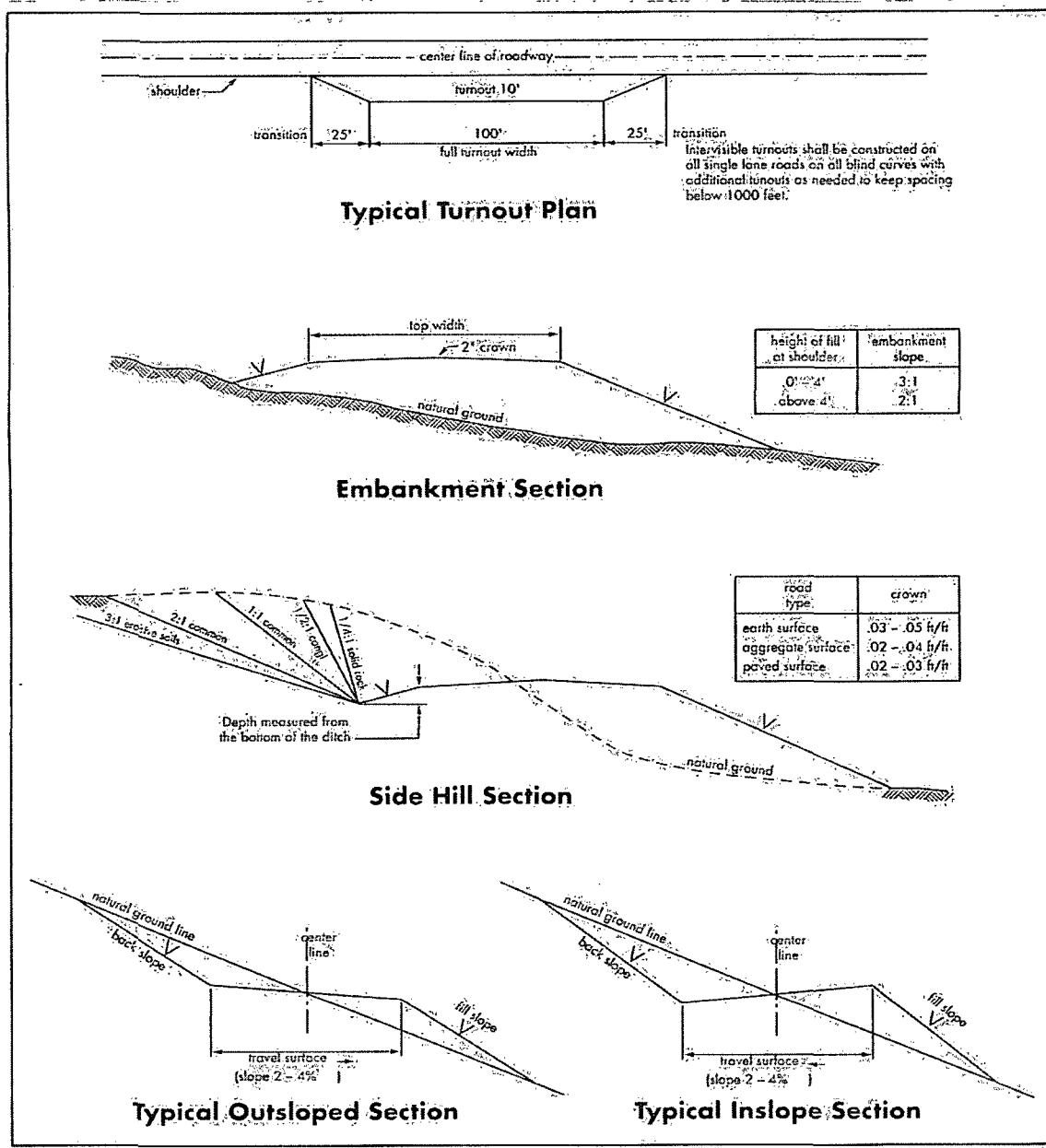
An appropriately sized cattleguard(s) sufficient to carry out the project shall be installed and maintained at fence crossing(s).

Any existing cattleguard(s) on the access road shall be repaired or replaced if they are damaged or have deteriorated beyond practical use. The operator shall be responsible for the condition of the existing cattleguard(s) that are in place and are utilized during lease operations.

#### **Public Access**

Public access on this road shall not be restricted by the operator without specific written approval granted by the Authorized Officer.

Figure 1 – Cross Sections and Plans For Typical Road Sections



## VII. DRILLING

### A. DRILLING OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS

The BLM is to be notified in advance for a representative to witness:

- a. Spudding well (minimum of 24 hours)
- b. Setting and/or Cementing of all casing strings (minimum of 4 hours)
- c. BOPE tests (minimum of 4 hours)

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1. **Although there are no measured amounts of Hydrogen Sulfide reported, it is always a potential hazard. Operator has stated that they will have monitoring equipment in place prior to drilling out of the surface shoe. If Hydrogen Sulfide is encountered, please report measurements and formations to the BLM.**
2. Unless the production casing has been run and cemented or the well has been properly plugged, the drilling rig shall not be removed from over the hole without prior approval. **If the drilling rig is removed without approval – an Incident of Non-Compliance will be written and will be a “Major” violation.**
3. Floor controls are required for 3M or Greater systems. These controls will be on the rig floor, unobstructed, readily accessible to the driller and will be operational at all times during drilling and/or completion activities. Rig floor is defined as the area immediately around the rotary table; the area immediately above the substructure on which the draw works is located, this does not include the dog house or stairway area.
4. **The record of the drilling rate along with the GR/N well log run from TD to surface (horizontal well – vertical portion of hole) shall be submitted to the BLM office as well as all other logs run on the borehole 30 days from completion. If available, a digital copy of the logs is to be submitted in addition to the paper copies. The Rustler top and top and bottom of Salt are to be recorded on the Completion Report.**

### B. CASING

Changes to the approved APD casing program need prior approval if the items substituted are of lesser grade or different casing size. The Operator can exchange the components of the proposal with that of superior strength (i.e. changing from J-55 to N-80, or from 36# to 40#). Changes to the approved cement program need prior approval if the altered cement plan has less volume or strength or if the changes are substantial (i.e. Multistage tool, ECP, etc.).

**Centralizers required on surface casing per Onshore Order 2.III.B.1.f.**

**Wait on cement (WOC) time prior to drilling out for a primary cement job will be a minimum 18 hours for a water basin, 24 hours in the potash area, or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater for all casing strings. DURING THIS WOC TIME, NO DRILL PIPE, ETC. SHALL BE RUN IN THE HOLE. Provide compressive strengths including hours to reach required 500 pounds compressive strength prior to cementing each casing string. See individual casing strings for details regarding lead cement slurry requirements.**

**No pea gravel permitted for remedial or fall back remedial without prior authorization from the BLM engineer.**

**CRITICAL CAVE/KARST – A MINIMUM OF THREE CASING STRINGS CEMENTED TO SURFACE IS REQUIRED IN CRITICAL CAVE/KARST AREAS. THE CEMENT MUST BE IN A SOLID SHEATH THEREFORE, ONE INCH OPERATIONS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED. CONTACT BLM WITH MODIFICATIONS TO CEMENT PROGRAM AS NEEDED.**

**Possibility of lost circulation in the Triassic Redbeds and in the Castile Group.**

1. The **13-3/8** inch surface casing shall be set at approximately **442** feet (a minimum of 25 feet into the Rustler Anhydrite and above the salt) and cemented to the surface.  
**If salt is encountered, set casing at least 25 feet above the salt.**
  - a. If cement does not circulate to the surface, the appropriate BLM office shall be notified and a temperature survey utilizing an electronic type temperature survey with surface log readout will be used or a cement bond log shall be run to verify the top of the cement. Temperature survey will be run a minimum of six hours after pumping cement and ideally between 8-10 hours after completing the cement job.
  - b. **Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job is to include the lead cement slurry.**
  - c. Wait on cement (WOC) time for a remedial job will be a minimum of 4 hours after bringing cement to surface or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater.
  - d. If cement falls back, remedial cementing will be done prior to drilling out that string.

2. The minimum required fill of cement behind the **9-5/8** inch intermediate casing is:

- ☒ Cement to surface. If cement does not circulate see B.1.a, c-d above. **Wait on cement (WOC) time for a primary cement job is to include the lead cement slurry due to cave/karst.**

**If 75% or greater lost circulation occurs while drilling the intermediate casing hole, the cement on the production casing must come to surface.**

**Centralizers required on horizontal leg, must be type for horizontal service and a minimum of one every other joint.**

3. The minimum required fill of cement behind the **5-1/2** inch production casing is:

- ☒ Cement should tie-back at least 500 feet into previous casing string. Operator shall provide method of verification.

4. If hardband drill pipe is rotated inside casing, returns will be monitored for metal. If metal is found in samples, drill pipe will be pulled and rubber protectors which have a larger diameter than the tool joints of the drill pipe will be installed prior to continuing drilling operations.

### **C. PRESSURE CONTROL**

1. All blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) shall comply with well control requirements as described in Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 and API RP 53 Sec. 17.
2. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the surface casing shoe shall be **2000 (2M)** psi.
  - a. **For surface casing only:** If the BOP/BOPE is to be tested against casing, the wait on cement (WOC) time for that casing is to be met (see WOC statement at start of casing section). Independent service company required.
3. Minimum working pressure of the blowout preventer (BOP) and related equipment (BOPE) required for drilling below the **9-5/8** intermediate casing shoe shall be **3000 (3M)** psi.

4. The appropriate BLM office shall be notified a minimum of 4 hours in advance for a representative to witness the tests.
- a. In a water basin, for all casing strings utilizing slips, these are to be set as soon as the crew and rig are ready and any fallback cement remediation has been done. The casing cut-off and BOP installation can be initiated four hours after installing the slips, which will be approximately six hours after bumping the plug. For those casing strings not using slips, the minimum wait time before cut-off is eight hours after bumping the plug. BOP/BOPE testing can begin after cut-off or once cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified), whichever is greater. However, if the float does not hold, cut-off cannot be initiated until cement reaches 500 psi compressive strength (including lead when specified).
  - b. The tests shall be done by an independent service company utilizing a test plug **not a cup or J-packer**. The operator also has the option of utilizing an independent tester to test without a plug (i.e. against the casing) pursuant to Onshore Order 2 with the pressure not to exceed 70% of the burst rating for the casing. Any test against the casing must meet the WOC time for water basin (18 hours) or potash (24 hours) or 500 pounds compressive strength, whichever is greater, prior to initiating the test (see casing segment as lead cement may be critical item).
  - c. The test shall be run on a 5000 psi chart for a 2-3M BOP/BOP, on a 10000 psi chart for a 5M BOP/BOPE and on a 15000 psi chart for a 10M BOP/BOPE. If a linear chart is used, it shall be a one hour chart. A circular chart shall have a maximum 2 hour clock.
  - d. The results of the test shall be reported to the appropriate BLM office.
  - e. All tests are required to be recorded on a calibrated test chart. **A copy of the BOP/BOPE test chart and a copy of independent service company test will be submitted to the appropriate BLM office.**
  - f. The BOP/BOPE test shall include a low pressure test from 250 to 300 psi. The test will be held for a minimum of 10 minutes if test is done with a test plug and 30 minutes without a test plug. This test shall be performed prior to the test at full stack pressure.

#### **D. DRILL STEM TEST**

If drill stem tests are performed, Onshore Order 2.III.D shall be followed.

## **E. WASTE MATERIAL AND FLUIDS**

All waste (i.e. drilling fluids, trash, salts, chemicals, sewage, gray water, etc.) created as a result of drilling operations and completion operations shall be safely contained and disposed of properly at a waste disposal facility. No waste material or fluid shall be disposed of on the well location or surrounding area.

Porto-johns and trash containers will be on-location during fracturing operations or any other crew-intensive operations.

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## **VIII. PRODUCTION (POST DRILLING)**

### **A. WELL STRUCTURES & FACILITIES**

#### **Placement of Production Facilities**

Production facilities should be placed on the well pad to allow for maximum interim recontouring and revegetation of the well location.

#### **Containment Structures**

The containment structure shall be constructed to hold the capacity of the entire contents of the largest tank, plus 24 hour production, unless more stringent protective requirements are deemed necessary by the Authorized Officer.

#### **Painting Requirement**

All above-ground structures including meter housing that are not subject to safety requirements shall be painted a flat non-reflective paint color, Shale Green from the BLM Standard Environmental Color Chart (CC-001: June 2008).

### **B. PIPELINES**

#### **STANDARD STIPULATIONS FOR SURFACE INSTALLED PIPELINES**

**A copy of the application (Grant, Sundry Notice, APD) and attachments, including stipulations, survey plat and/or map, will be on location during construction. BLM personnel may request to you a copy of your permit during construction to ensure compliance with all stipulations.**

Holder agrees to comply with the following stipulations to the satisfaction of the Authorized Officer:

1. The holder shall indemnify the United States against any liability for damage to life or property arising from the occupancy or use of public lands under this grant.
2. The holder shall comply with all applicable Federal laws and regulations existing or hereafter enacted or promulgated. In any event, the holder shall comply with the Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976 as amended, 15 USC 2601 et seq. (1982) with regards to any toxic substances that are used, generated by or stored on the right-of-way or on facilities authorized under this right-of-way grant. (See 40 CFR, Part 702-799 and especially, provisions on polychlorinated biphenyls, 40 CFR 761.1-761.193.) Additionally, any release of toxic substances (leaks, spills, etc.) in excess of the reportable quantity established by 40 CFR, Part 117 shall be reported as required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, section 102b. A copy of any report required or requested by any Federal agency or State government as a result of a reportable release or spill of any toxic substances shall be furnished to the authorized officer concurrent with the filing of the reports to the involved Federal agency or State government.

3. The holder agrees to indemnify the United States against any liability arising from the release of any hazardous substance or hazardous waste (as these terms are defined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. 9601, et seq. or the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. 6901, et seq.) on the Right-of-Way (unless the release or threatened release is wholly unrelated to activity of the Right-of-Way holder's activity on the Right-of-Way), or resulting from the activity of the Right-of-Way holder on the Right-of-Way. This agreement applies without regard to whether a release is caused by the holder, its agent, or unrelated third parties.

4. The holder shall be liable for damage or injury to the United States to the extent provided by 43 CFR Sec. 2883.1-4. The holder shall be held to a standard of strict liability for damage or injury to the United States resulting from pipe rupture, fire, or spills caused or substantially aggravated by any of the following within the right-of-way or permit area:

- a. Activities of the holder including, but not limited to construction, operation, maintenance, and termination of the facility.
- b. Activities of other parties including, but not limited to:
  - (1) Land clearing.
  - (2) Earth-disturbing and earth-moving work.
  - (3) Blasting.
  - (4) Vandalism and sabotage.
- c. Acts of God.

The maximum limitation for such strict liability damages shall not exceed one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for any one event, and any liability in excess of such amount shall be determined by the ordinary rules of negligence of the jurisdiction in which the damage or injury occurred.

This section shall not impose strict liability for damage or injury resulting primarily from an act of war or from the negligent acts or omissions of the United States.

5. If, during any phase of the construction, operation, maintenance, or termination of the pipeline, any oil, salt water, or other pollutant should be discharged from the pipeline system, impacting Federal lands, the control and total removal, disposal, and cleaning up of such oil, salt water, or other pollutant, wherever found, shall be the responsibility of the holder, regardless of fault. Upon failure of the holder to control, dispose of, or clean up such discharge on or affecting Federal lands, or to repair all damages resulting therefrom, on the Federal lands, the Authorized Officer may take such measures as he deems necessary to control and clean up the discharge and restore the area, including, where appropriate, the aquatic environment and fish and wildlife habitats, at the full expense of the holder. Such action by the Authorized Officer shall not relieve the holder of any responsibility as provided herein.

6. All construction and maintenance activity will be confined to the authorized right-of-way width of 20 feet. If the pipeline route follows an existing road or buried pipeline right-of-way, the surface pipeline must be installed no farther than 10 feet from the edge of the road or buried pipeline right-of-way. If existing surface pipelines prevent this distance, the proposed surface pipeline must be installed immediately adjacent to the outer surface pipeline. All construction and maintenance activity will be confined to existing roads or right-of-ways.

7. No blading or clearing of any vegetation will be allowed unless approved in writing by the Authorized Officer.

8. The holder shall install the pipeline on the surface in such a manner that will minimize suspension of the pipeline across low areas in the terrain. In hummocky or dune areas, the pipeline will be "snaked" around hummocks and dunes rather than suspended across these features.

9. The pipeline shall be buried with a minimum of 24 inches under all roads, "two-tracks," and trails. Burial of the pipe will continue for 20 feet on each side of each crossing. The condition of the road, upon completion of construction, shall be returned to at least its former state with no bumps or dips remaining in the road surface.

10. The holder shall minimize disturbance to existing fences and other improvements on public lands. The holder is required to promptly repair improvements to at least their former state. Functional use of these improvements will be maintained at all times. The holder will contact the owner of any improvements prior to disturbing them. When necessary to pass through a fence line, the fence shall be braced on both sides of the passageway prior to cutting of the fence. No permanent gates will be allowed unless approved by the Authorized Officer.

11. In those areas where erosion control structures are required to stabilize soil conditions, the holder will install such structures as are suitable for the specific soil conditions being encountered and which are in accordance with sound resource management practices.

12. Excluding the pipe, all above-ground structures not subject to safety requirement shall be painted by the holder to blend with the natural color of the landscape. The paint used shall be a color which simulates "Standard Environmental Colors" – **Shale Green**, Munsell Soil Color No. 5Y 4/2; designated by the Rocky Mountain Five State Interagency Committee.

13. The pipeline will be identified by signs at the point of origin and completion of the right-of-way and at all road crossings. At a minimum, signs will state the holder's name, BLM serial number, and the product being transported. Signs will be maintained in a legible condition for the life of the pipeline.

14. The holder shall not use the pipeline route as a road for purposes other than routine

maintenance as determined necessary by the Authorized Officer in consultation with the holder. The holder will take whatever steps are necessary to ensure that the pipeline route is not used as a roadway.

15. Any cultural and/or paleontological resource (historic or prehistoric site or object) discovered by the holder, or any person working on his behalf, on public or Federal land shall be immediately reported to the authorized officer. Holder shall suspend all operations in the immediate area of such discovery until written authorization to proceed is issued by the authorized officer. An evaluation of the discovery will be made by the authorized officer to determine appropriate cultural or scientific values. The holder will be responsible for the cost of evaluation and any decision as to proper mitigation measures will be made by the authorized officer after consulting with the holder.

16. The operator shall be held responsible if noxious weeds become established within the areas of operations. Weed control shall be required on the disturbed land where noxious weeds exist, which includes the roads, powerline corridor, and adjacent land affected by the establishment of weeds due to this action. The operator shall consult with the Authorized Officer for acceptable weed control methods, which include following EPA and BLM requirements and policies.

17. Surface pipelines must be less than or equal to 4 inches and a working pressure below 125 psi.

## **IX. INTERIM RECLAMATION**

During the life of the development, all disturbed areas not needed for active support of production operations should undergo interim reclamation in order to minimize the environmental impacts of development on other resources and uses.

Within six (6) months of well completion, operators should work with BLM surface management specialists (Jim Amos: 575-234-5909) to devise the best strategies to reduce the size of the location. Interim reclamation should allow for remedial well operations, as well as safe and efficient removal of oil and gas.

During reclamation, the removal of caliche is important to increasing the success of revegetating the site. Removed caliche that is free of contaminants may be used for road repairs, fire walls or for building other roads and locations. In order to operate the well or complete workover operations, it may be necessary to drive, park and operate on restored interim vegetation within the previously disturbed area. Disturbing revegetated areas for production or workover operations will be allowed. If there is significant disturbance and loss of vegetation, the area will need to be revegetated. Communicate with the appropriate BLM office for any exceptions/exemptions if needed.

All disturbed areas after they have been satisfactorily prepared need to be reseeded with the seed mixture provided below.

Upon completion of interim reclamation, the operator shall submit a Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells, Subsequent Report of Reclamation (Form 3160-5).

## **X. FINAL ABANDONMENT & RECLAMATION**

At final abandonment, well locations, production facilities, and access roads must undergo "final" reclamation so that the character and productivity of the land are restored.

Earthwork for final reclamation must be completed within six (6) months of well plugging. All pads, pits, facility locations and roads must be reclaimed to a satisfactory revegetated, safe, and stable condition, unless an agreement is made with the landowner or BLM to keep the road and/or pad intact.

After all disturbed areas have been satisfactorily prepared, these areas need to be revegetated with the seed mixture provided below. Seeding should be accomplished by drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other approved methods. Seeding may need to be repeated until revegetation is successful, as determined by the BLM.

Operators shall contact a BLM surface protection specialist prior to surface abandonment operations for site specific objectives (Jim Amos: 575-234-5909).

## Seed Mixture 1, for Loamy Sites

The holder shall seed all disturbed areas with the seed mixture listed below. The seed mixture shall be planted in the amounts specified in pounds of pure live seed (PLS)\* per acre. There shall be no primary or secondary noxious weeds in the seed mixture. Seed will be tested and the viability testing of seed will be done in accordance with State law(s) and within nine (9) months prior to purchase. Commercial seed will be either certified or registered seed. The seed container will be tagged in accordance with State law(s) and available for inspection by the authorized officer.

Seed will be planted using a drill equipped with a depth regulator to ensure proper depth regulator to ensure proper depth of planting where drilling is possible. The seed mixture will be evenly and uniformly planted over the disturbed area (small/heavier seeds have a tendency to drop the bottom of the drill and are planted first). The holder shall take appropriate measures to ensure this does not occur. Where drilling is not possible, seed will be broadcast and the area shall be raked or chained to cover the seed. When broadcasting the seed, the pounds per acre are to be doubled. The seeding will be repeated until a satisfactory stand is established as determined by the authorized officer. Evaluation of growth will not be made before completion of at least one full growing season after seeding.

Species to be planted in pounds of pure live seed\* per acre:

<u>Species</u>	<u>lb/acre</u>
Plains lovegrass ( <i>Eragrostis intermedia</i> )	0.5
Sand dropseed ( <i>Sporobolus cryptandrus</i> )	1.0
Sideoats grama ( <i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i> )	5.0
Plains bristlegrass ( <i>Setaria macrostachya</i> )	2.0

\*Pounds of pure live seed:

Pounds of seed x percent purity x percent germination = pounds pure live seed