

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

OCD Artesia

FORM APPROVED  
OMB NO. 1004-0135  
Expires: July 31, 2010**SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS**  
*Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.***SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.**

1. Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. NMNM98120
2. Name of Operator LINN OPERATING INC		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
3a. Address 600 TRAVIS STREET, SUITE 5100 HOUSTON, TX 77002		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 281-840-4272		8. Well Name and No. SKELLY UNIT 78
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 23 T17S R31E Mer NMP SWSW 1278FSL 600FWL 32.816368 N Lat, 103.846948 W Lon		9. API Well No. 30-015-05366
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory GRAYBURG JACKSON;SR-Q-G-S
		11. County or Parish, and State EDDY COUNTY COUNTY, NM

**12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA**

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	Venting and/or Flaring
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recompleat horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

LINN WAS GRANTED AUTHORIZATION TO FLARE ON THE NMNM71030A. AS A CONDITION OF APPROVAL, LINN WAS REQUESTED TO REPORT MONTHLY FLARE GAS VOLUMES.

SEPTEMBER 2013 - 40 MCF

OCTOBER 2013 - 0 MCF

RD 2/13/15  
Accepted for record  
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NM OIL CONSERVATION  
ARTESIA DISTRICT

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Electronic Submission #226036 verified by the BLM Well Information System For LINN OPERATING INC, sent to the Carlsbad Committed to AFMSS for processing by JOHNNY DICKERSON on 11/26/2013 ()	
Name (Printed/Typed) TERRY B CALLAHAN	Title REG COMPLIANCE SPECIALIST-III
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 11/07/2013
THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE	
Approved By _____	Title _____
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice 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.	Office _____
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.	

**\*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\* OPERATOR-SUBMITTED \*\***