

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210 ✓  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-144  
June 1, 2004

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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appropriate NMOCD District Office.  
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office

**Pit or Below-Grade Tank Registration or Closure**

Is pit or below-grade tank covered by a "general plan"? Yes ☐ No ☒

Type of action: Registration of a pit or below-grade tank ☒ Closure of a pit or below-grade tank ☐

Operator: David H. Arrington Oil & Gas, Inc. Telephone: 432 684-6381 e-mail address: ann.ritchie@wtor.net  
Address: Box 2071, Midland, TX 79702  
Facility or well name: Colt Midge Fed 6, Well #1H API #: 30-015-34507 U/L or Qtr/Qtr (B) 6 Sec 6 T T19S R 24E  
County: Eddy Latitude N32.6943234 Longitude W104.6238084 NAD: 1927 X 1983 ☐  
Surface Owner: Federal ☒ State ☐ Private ☐ Indian ☐

<b>Pit</b>	<b>Below-grade tank</b>	
Type: Drilling <input type="checkbox"/> Production <input type="checkbox"/> Disposal <input type="checkbox"/> Workover <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> Lined <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unlined <input type="checkbox"/> Liner type: Synthetic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thickness <u>20</u> mil Clay <input type="checkbox"/> Pit Volume <u>25,000</u>	Volume: <u>      </u> bbl Type of fluid: <u>      </u> Construction material: <u>      </u> Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> If not, explain why not. <u>      </u>	
Depth to ground water (vertical distance from bottom of pit to seasonal high water elevation of ground water.)	Less than 50 feet	(20 points)
	50 feet or more, but less than 100 feet	(10 points)
	100 feet or more <span style="float: right;">X</span>	( 0 points)
Wellhead protection area: (Less than 200 feet from a private domestic water source, or less than 1000 feet from all other water sources.)	Yes	(20 points)
	No <span style="float: right;">X</span>	( 0 points)
Distance to surface water: (horizontal distance to all wetlands, playas, irrigation canals, ditches, and perennial and ephemeral watercourses.)	Less than 200 feet	(20 points)
	200 feet or more, but less than 1000 feet	(10 points)
	1000 feet or more <span style="float: right;">X</span>	( 0 points)
<b>Ranking Score (Total Points)</b>		<b>0</b>

If this is a pit closure: (1) Attach a diagram of the facility showing the pit's relationship to other equipment and tanks. (2) Indicate disposal location: (check the onsite box if you are burying in place) onsite ☐ offsite ☐ If offsite, name of facility       . (3) Attach a general description of remedial action taken including remediation start date and end date. (4) Groundwater encountered: No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, show depth below ground surface        ft. and attach sample results. (5) Attach soil sample results and a diagram of sample locations and excavations.

**Additional Comments:**

This frac pit was built to utilize for frac job (please see C-144 attached). Frac job performed and well is flowing back 200 bbls per hour, faster than can be hauled off. As per copy of C-144 permitted

As per copy of C-144 permitted Pit for Parallel Petroleum Corporation, we propose to utilize this pit for flow back/workover pit. Current projection is 16,000 bbls flow back.

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I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that the above-described pit or below-grade tank has been/will be constructed or closed according to NMOCD guidelines ☒, a general permit ☐, or an (attached) alternative OCD-approved plan ☐.

Date: 4-10-06 ✓

Printed Name/Title Ann E. Ritchie Signature 

Your certification and NMOCD approval of this application/closure does not relieve the operator of liability should the contents of the pit or tank contaminate ground water or otherwise endanger public health or the environment. Nor does it relieve the operator of its responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Approval: **Gerry Guye**  
Deputy Field Inspector  
Printed Name/Title **District II - Artesia**

Signature 

Date: APR 17 2006

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Address: <u>P.O. Box 2071, Midland, TX 79702</u>			FEB 13 2006
Facility or well name: <u>East Midge Fed 6 #1H</u> API #: <u>30-015-34507</u> U/L or Qtr/Qtr: <u>NW of NE</u> Sec <u>6</u> T <u>19S</u> R <u>24E</u>			OCU-ARTESIA
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<b>Pit</b> Type: Drilling <input type="checkbox"/> Production <input type="checkbox"/> Disposal <input type="checkbox"/> Workover <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency <input type="checkbox"/> FRAC PIT Lined <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unlined <input type="checkbox"/> Liner type: Synthetic <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thickness <u>20</u> mil Clay <input type="checkbox"/> Pit Volume <u>30,500</u> bbl: FRESH WATER FOR FRAC JOB		<b>Below-grade tank</b> Volume: <u>      </u> bbl Type of fluid: <u>      </u> Construction material: <u>      </u> Double-walled, with leak detection? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> If not, explain why not: <u>      </u>	
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Date: 2-8-06

Printed Name/Title Ann E. Ritchie, Regulatory Agent

Signature [Signature]

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Approval:

Gerry Guy  
Compliance Officer

Printed Name/Title

Signature [Signature]

Date: 2-16-02