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# State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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

Date: 02/02/2018	GAS CAPTURE PLAN
✓ Original Reason for Amendment:	Operator & OGRID No.: RKI Exploration and Production, LLC #246289

This Gas Capture Plan outlines actions to be taken by the RKI Exploration & Production, LLC to reduce well/production facility flaring/venting for new completion (new drill, recomplete to new zone, re-frac) activity.

Note: Form C-129 must be submitted and approved prior to exceeding 60 days allowed by Rule (Subsection A of 19.15.18.12 NMAC).

### Well(s)/Production Facility - Name of facility

The well(s) that will be located at the production facility are shown in the table below.

Well Name	API	Well Location (ULSTR)	Footages	Expected MCF/D	Flared or Vented	Comments
RDX FEDERAL COM 17-46H	30-15-4441 0		SHL: 75' FNL 2510' FWL	~4,000 MCF/D	0% FLARED 0 MCF/D	

<u>Gathering</u>	System an	d Pipeline	Not	tification

Well(s) will be connected to a production fa	cility after flowback operations ar	e complete, if Stateline Ga	thering, LLC
system is in place. The gas produced from	production facility is dedicated to	DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink	and will be
connected to Stateline Gathering, LLC	low/high pressure gathering	system located in Eddy	County, New Mexico .
It will require 50 ' of pipeline to connect	the facility to low/high pressure g	athering system. RKI Ex	xploration and
Production, LLC provides (periodically) to	DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink	a drilling, completion and	l estimated first
production date for wells that are scheduled	to be drilled in the foreseeable future	e. In addition, RKI Explo	oration and Production,
LLC and DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink	have periodic conference calls to d	liscuss changes to drilling	and completion
schedules. Gas from these wells will be proc	cessed at DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink	Processing Plant	located: See Below.
The actual flow of the gas will be based on co	ompression operating parameters and	d gathering system pressu	res.

#### Flowback Strategy

After the fracture treatment/completion operations, well(s) will be produced to temporary production tanks and gas will be flared or vented. During flowback, the fluids and sand content will be monitored. When the produced fluids contain minimal sand, the wells will be turned to production facilities. Gas sales should start as soon as the wells start flowing through the production facilities, unless there are operational issues on <a href="DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink">DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink</a> system at that time. Based on current information, it is RKI Exploration and Production, LLC belief the system can take this gas upon completion of the well(s).

Safety requirements during cleanout operations from the use of underbalanced air cleanout systems may necessitate that sand and non-pipeline quality gas be vented and/or flared rather than sold on a temporary basis.

### Alternatives to Reduce Flaring

Below are alternatives considered from a conceptual standpoint to reduce the amount of gas flared.

- Power Generation On lease
  - Only a portion of gas is consumed operating the generator, remainder of gas will be flared
- Compressed Natural Gas On lease
  - o Gas flared would be minimal, but might be uneconomical to operate when gas volume declines
- NGL Removal On lease
  - o Plants are expensive, residue gas is still flared, and uneconomical to operate when gas volume declines

## GAS CAPTURE PLAN, Cont.

## **RKI Exploration and Production, LLC:**

Gas Capture Plan: DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink Processing Plant Information RK1 Exploration and Production, LLC has the ability to deliver to the below listed Gas Processing Plants.

DBM/ETC/Medallion/Enlink Block 58-T1S-Section 36 Reeves County, Texas