

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
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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.

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1. Type of Well

☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

Richardson Operating Company

3a. Address

3100 La Plata Highway Farmington, NM 87401

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

505-564-3100

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T, R., M., or Survey Description)

835' FNL & 860' FEL
Sec. 9, T29N, R14W NMPM

5. Lease Serial No.

NMSE-079968

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

070 Farmington, NM

8. Well Name and No.

Ropco 9 #1

9. API Well No.

30-045-30383

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Basin Fruit. Coal & Twin Mounds PC

11. County or Parish, State

San Juan, NM

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

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

TYPE OF ACTION

- ☐ Notice of Intent
☒ Subsequent Report
☐ Final Abandonment Notice

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Acidize | <input type="checkbox"/> Deepen | <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume) | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing | <input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat | <input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation | <input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair | <input type="checkbox"/> New Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon | <input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal | |

3. 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.)

This well produces water from the Fruitland Coal & Pictured Cliffs Formations. Daily water production totals approximately 85 Bbl/day.

The produced water is primarily transported by pipeline to a Richardson Operating Company disposal well and alternatively stored on location in an above ground water tank. When the water is stored on location, Richardson Operating Co. trucks the water to the disposal well unless workload dictates that a third-party trucking company is needed to keep up with water. When water production exceeds the capacity of the Richardson injection wells, water is disposed of by Key Energy Services in their disposal facility.

Richardson Operating Company operates two active salt water disposal wells in the area: Salty Dog #1 (WDW-NW/NE Sec. 1, T29N, R15W) and Salty Dog #2 (WDW-NW/SE Sec. 5, T29N, R14W).

Copies of the NMOCD Injection Orders for each injection well should be on file.

ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct
Name (Printed/Typed)

Drew Carnes

Title Operations Manager

FARMINGTON, NM

Signature

Date 01/22/03

BY [Signature]

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by (Signature)

Name
(Printed/Typed)

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

Date

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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