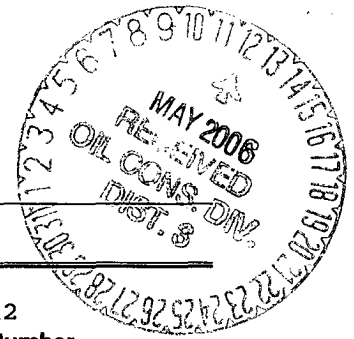


UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT



APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, DEEPEN, OR PLUG BACK

1a. Type of Work DRILL	2006 APR 6 PM 12:57 RECEIVED OTD FARMINGTON NM	5. Lease Number SF-078212 Unit Reporting Number
1b. Type of Well GAS		6. If Indian, All. or Tribe
2. Operator <b>BURLINGTON</b> RESOURCES Oil & Gas Company		7. Unit Agreement Name
3. Address & Phone No. of Operator PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499  (505) 326-9700		8. Farm or Lease Name McCord 9. Well Number #1F
4. Location of Well 1790' FSL, 970' FWL  Latitude 36° 48.6509'N, Longitude 108° 11.8629'W		10. Field, Pool, Wildcat Basin Dakota 11. Sec., Twn, Rge, Mer. (NMPM) Sec. 15, T30N, R13W API # 30-045-33687
14. Distance in Miles from Nearest Town 8 miles to Farmington, NM	12. County San Juan	13. State NM
15. Distance from Proposed Location to Nearest Property or Lease Line 970'		
16. Acres in Lease	17. Acres Assigned to Well W/2 320 acres	
18. Distance from Proposed Location to Nearest Well, Drig, Compl, or Applied for on this Lease 895'		
19. Proposed Depth 6358'	20. Rotary or Cable Tools Rotary	
21. Elevations (DF, FT, GR, Etc.) 5660' GR	22. Approx. Date Work will Start	
23. Proposed Casing and Cementing Program See Operations Plan attached		
24. Authorized by: <u>Joni Clark</u> Regulatory Specialist	<u>4/6/06</u> Date	

PERMIT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVAL DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
APPROVED BY [Signature] TITLE AGEN DATE 5/9/06

Archaeological Report attached

Threatened and Endangered Species Report attached

NOTE: This format is issued in lieu of U.S. BLM Form 3160-3

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, makes 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 presentations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

This action is subject to the BLM  
procedures review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.3  
and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4

DRILLING OPERATIONS AUTHORIZED AND  
SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH ATTACHED  
'GENERAL REQUIREMENTS'.

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State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

Form C-102  
Revised August 15, 2000

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DISTRICT III  
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Copies  
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number 30-045- 33087	<sup>2</sup> Pool Code 71599	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name Basin Dakota
<sup>4</sup> Property Code 7300	<sup>5</sup> Property Name MCCORD	<sup>6</sup> Well Number 1F
<sup>7</sup> GRID No. 14538	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL AND GAS COMPANY LP	<sup>9</sup> Elevation 5660'

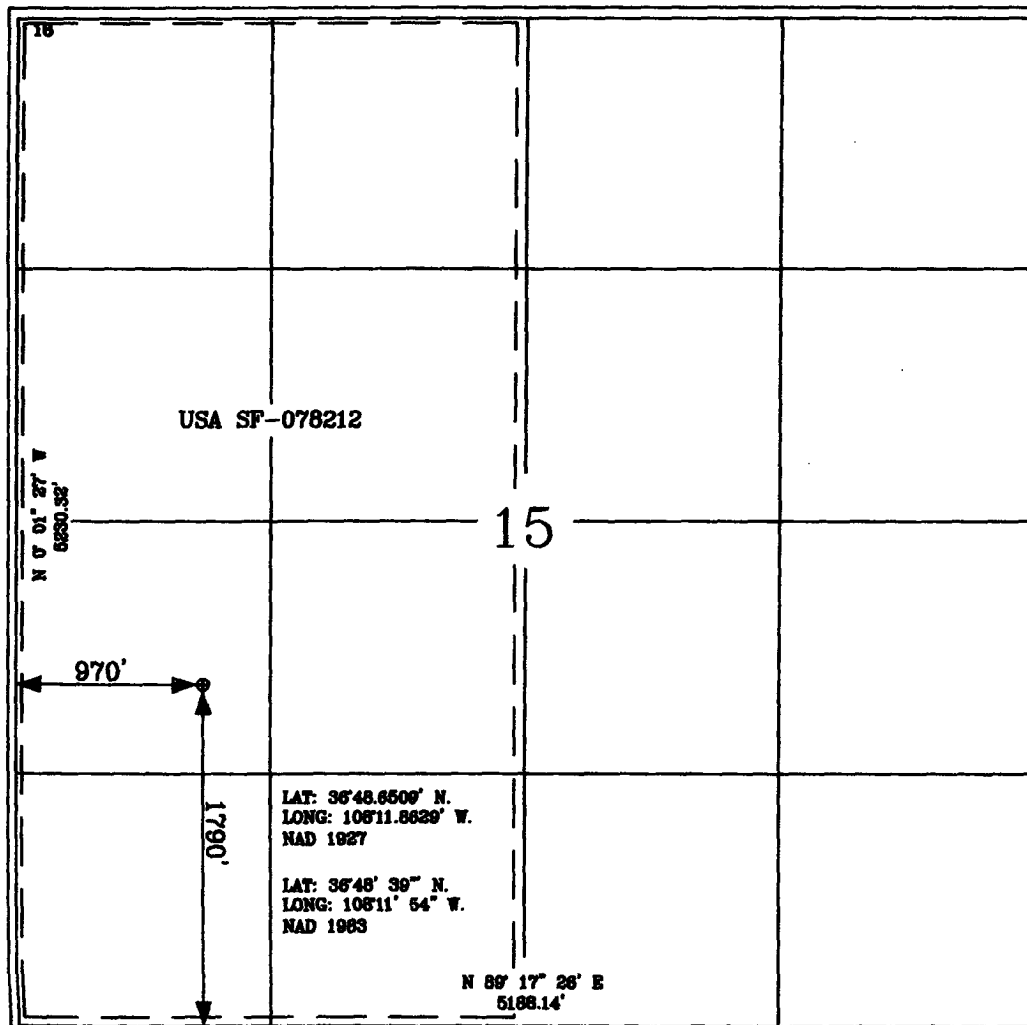
<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
L	15	30-N	13-W		1790'	SOUTH	970'	WEST	SAN JUAN

<sup>11</sup> 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
L									
<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres DK 320.0 ac W2			<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill		<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code		<sup>15</sup> Order No.		

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



17 OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein  
is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and  
belief

*Philana Thompson*  
Signature  
Philana Thompson  
Printed Name  
Regulatory Assistant III.  
Title  
3/20/2006  
Date

18 SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat  
was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by  
me or under my supervision, and that the same is true  
and correct to the best of my belief.

Date of Survey  
3/20/06  
Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor

*G. W. Russell*  
Certificate Number  
15703

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Santa Fe, NM 87505

WELL API NO.	30-045- 33687
5. Indicate Type of Lease	STATE <input type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/>
6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.	
7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name	McCord
8. Well Number	1F
9. OGRID Number	14538
10. Pool name or Wildcat	Basin Dakota
11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.) 5660' GL	
Pit or Below-grade Tank Application <input type="checkbox"/> or Closure <input type="checkbox"/>	
Pit type New Drill Depth to Groundwater <100' Distance from nearest fresh water well >1000' Distance from nearest surface water <1000'	
Pit Liner Thickness: 12 mil Below-Grade Tank: Volume bbls; Construction Material	

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS  
(DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)

1. Type of Well:  
Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☒ Other

2. Name of Operator  
BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY LP

3. Address of Operator  
3401 E. 30TH STREET, FARMINGTON, NM 87402

4. Well Location  
Unit Letter L : 1790 feet from the South line and 970 feet from the West line  
Section 15 Township 30N Range 13W NMPM County San Juan

11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)  
5660' GL

Pit or Below-grade Tank Application ☐ or Closure ☐

Pit type New Drill Depth to Groundwater <100' Distance from nearest fresh water well >1000' Distance from nearest surface water <1000'

Pit Liner Thickness: 12 mil Below-Grade Tank: Volume bbls; Construction Material

12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:

PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK ☐ PLUG AND ABANDON ☐  
TEMPORARILY ABANDON ☐ CHANGE PLANS ☐  
PULL OR ALTER CASING ☐ MULTIPLE COMPL ☐

OTHER: New Drill ☒

SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:

REMEDIAL WORK ☐ ALTERING CASING ☐  
COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. ☐ P AND A ☐  
CASING/CEMENT JOB ☐

OTHER: ☐

13. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 1103. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion.

New Drill, Lined:

Burlington Resources proposes to construct a new drilling pit and an associated vent/flare pit. Based on Burlington's interpretation of the Ecosphere's risk ranking criteria, the new drilling pit will be a lined pit as detailed in Burlington's Revised Drilling / Workover Pit Construction / Operation Procedures dated November 11, 2004 on file at the NMOCD office. A portion of the vent/flare pit will be designed to manage fluids and that portion will be lined as per the risk ranking criteria. Burlington Resources anticipates closing these pits according to the Drilling / Workover Pit Closure Procedure dated August 2, 2004 on file at the NMOCD office

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that any 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 ☐.

SIGNATURE Joni Clark TITLE Sr. Staff Regulatory Specialist DATE 4/6/2006

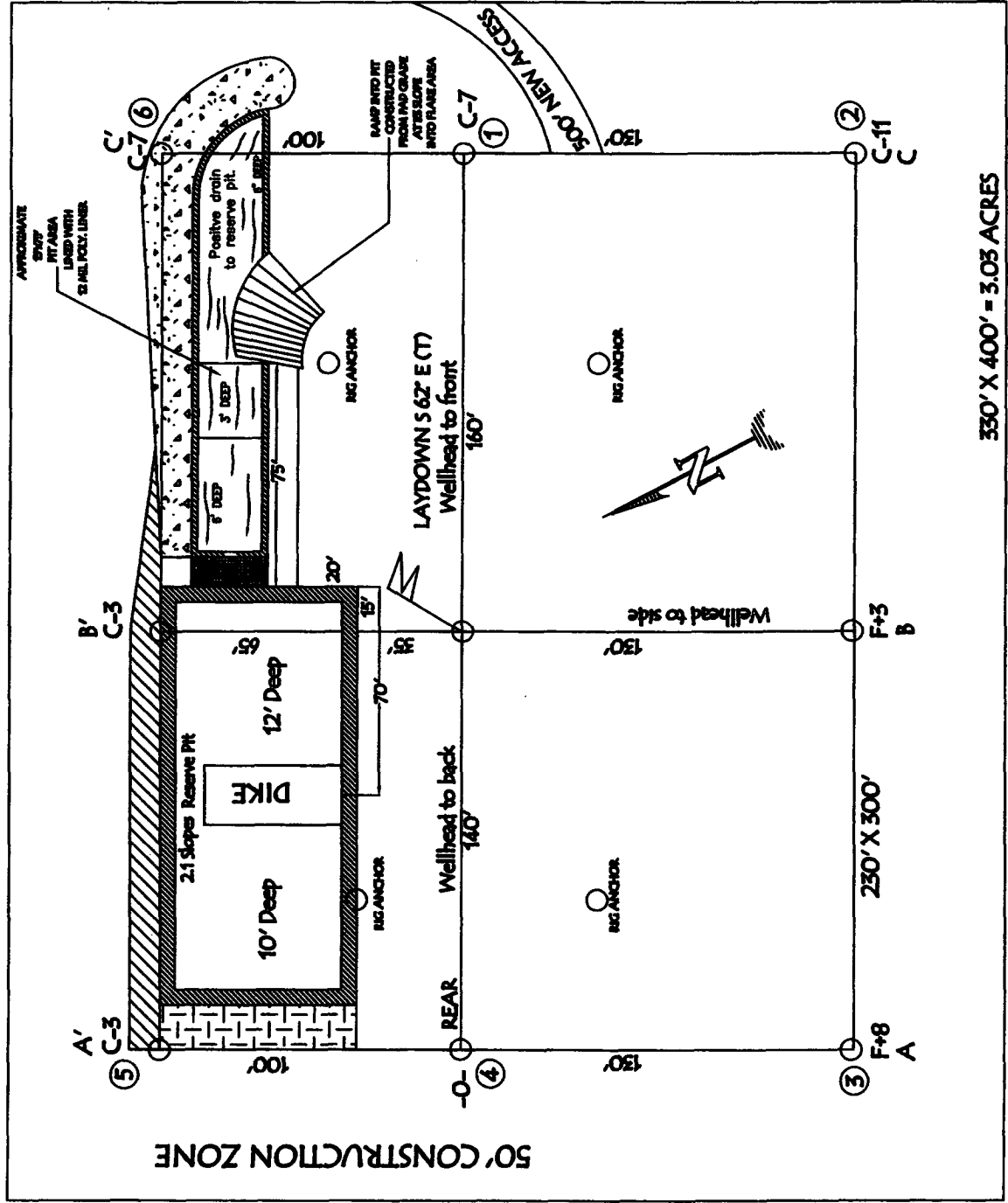
Type or print name Joni Clark E-mail address: jclark@br-inc.com Telephone No. 505-326-9701

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APPROVED BY [Signature] TITLE DEPUTY OIL & GAS INSPECTOR, DIST. 4 DATE MAY 12 2006

Conditions of Approval (if any):

# BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY LP MCCORD 1F, 1790' FSL & 970' FWL SECTION 15, T-30-N, R-13-W, NMPM, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NM GROUND ELEVATION: 5660', DATE: MARCH 6, 2006



RESERVE PIT DIKE: TO BE 8' ABOVE DEEP SIDE (OVERFLOW - 3' WIDE AND 1' ABOVE SHALLOW SIDE).  
BLOW PTT: OVERFLOW PIPE 4' ABOVE BOTTOM OF BLOW PTT.

NOTE: VECTOR SURVEYS IS NOT LIABLE FOR UNDERGROUND UTILITIES OR PIPELINES.  
CONTRACTOR SHOULD CALL ONE-CALL FOR LOCATION OF ANY MARKED OR UNMARKED BURIED  
PIPELINES OR CABLES ON WELL PAD AND OR ACCESS ROAD AT LEAST TWO (2) WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.

LAT: 36° 48.6509' N LONG: 108° 11.8629' W NAD27

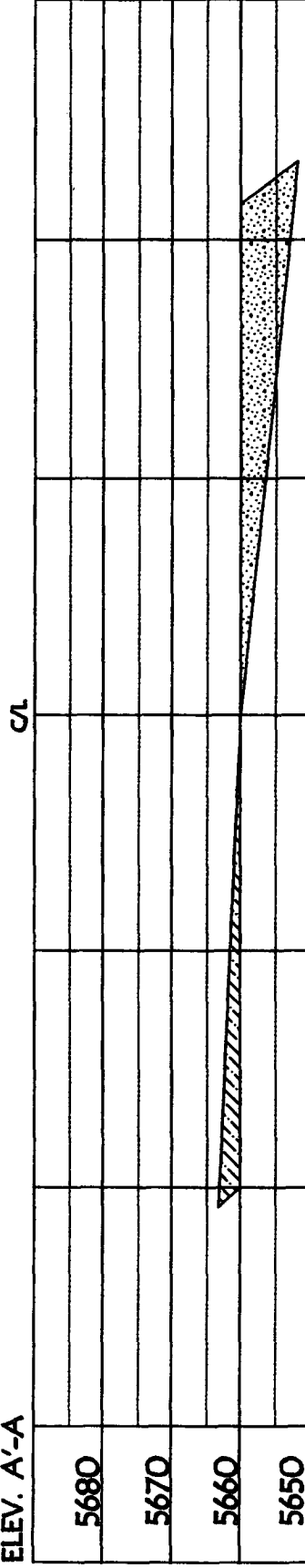
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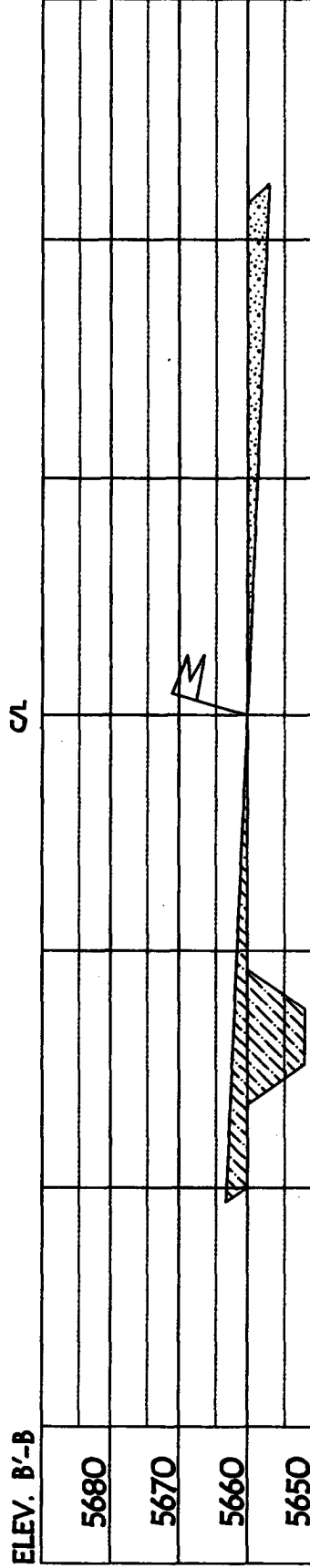
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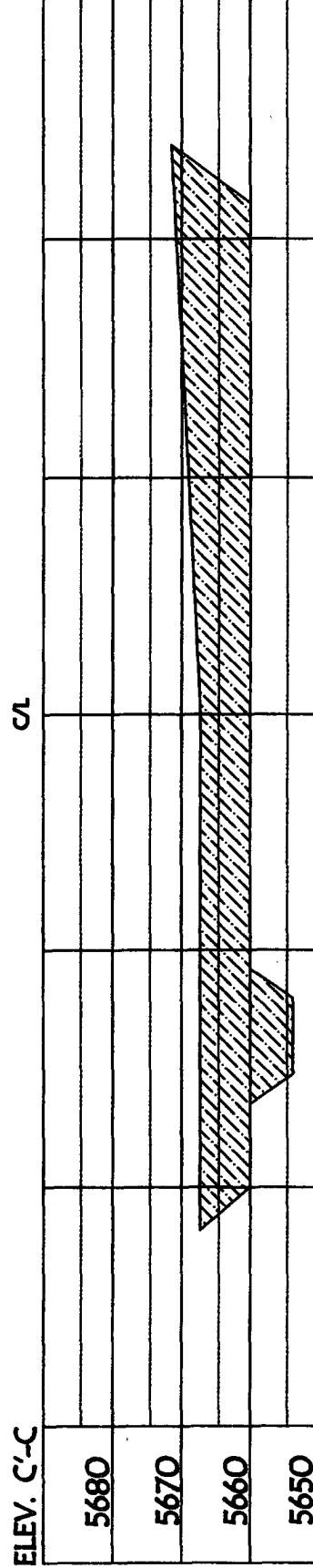
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ELEV. B'-B



ELEV. C'-C



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## OPERATIONS PLAN

**Well Name:** McCord #1F  
**Location:** 1790' FSL, 970' FWL, Section 15, T-30-N, R-13-W  
San Juan County, New Mexico  
Latitude 36° 48.6509', Longitude 108° 11.8629'  
**Formation:** Basin Dakota  
**Elevation:** 5660' GL

<u>Formation Tops:</u>	<u>Top</u>	<u>Bottom</u>	<u>Contents</u>
Surface	San Jose	259'	
Ojo Alamo	259'	297'	aquifer
Kirtland	297'	1302'	gas
Fruitland	1302'	1664'	
Pictured Cliffs	1664'	1822'	gas
Lewis	1822'	2395'	gas
Huerfanito Bentonite	2395'	2695'	gas
Chacra	2695'	3227'	gas
Cliff House	3227'	3349'	
Menefee	3349'	4012'	gas
Point Lookout	4012'	4434'	gas
Mancos	4434'	5342'	gas
Gallup	5342'	6096'	gas
Greenhorn	6096'	6156'	gas
Graneros	6156'	6207'	gas
Two Wells	6207'	6273'	
Paguate	6273'	6324'	
Cubero	6324'	6358'	
Encinal	6358'	6358'	gas
TD	6358'		

### Logging Program:

Mud Logs/Coring/DST -  
Mud logs - none  
Coring - none  
DST - none  
Open hole - none  
Cased hole - Gamma Ray - surface to TD

### Mud Program:

<u>Interval</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Weight</u>	<u>Vis.</u>	<u>Fluid Loss</u>
0 - <del>300</del> 320'	Spud MUD	8.4-9.0	40-50	no control
300' - 6358'	LSND	8.4-9.0	30-60	no control

### Casing Program (as listed, the equivalent, or better):

<u>Hole Size</u>	<u>Depth Interval</u>	<u>Csg. Size</u>	<u>Wt.</u>	<u>Grade</u>
12 1/4"	0' - <del>300</del> 320'	8 5/8"	24.0#	J-55
7 7/8"	0' - 6358'	4 1/2"	10.5#	J-55

**Tubing Program:** 0' - 6358' 2 3/8" 4.7# J-55

### BOP Specifications, Wellhead and Tests:

#### Surface to Intermediate TD -

11" 2000 psi minimum double gate BOP stack (Reference Figure #1). After nipple-up prior to drilling out surface casing, ~~rams~~ and casing will be tested to 600 psi for 30 minutes.   
BOP

#### Intermediate TD to Total Depth -

11" 2000 psi minimum double gate BOP stack (Reference Figure #1). After nipple-up prior to drilling out intermediate casing, ~~rams~~ and casing will be tested to 1500 psi for 30 minutes.   
BOP

**Surface to Total Depth -**

2" nominal, 2000 psi minimum choke manifold (Reference Figure #3).

**Completion Operations -**

7 1/16" 2000 psi double gate BOP stack (Reference Figure #2). After nipple-up prior to completion, pipe rams, casing and liner top will be tested to 2000 psi for 15 minutes.

**Wellhead -**

8 5/8" x 4 1/2" x 2 3/8" x 2000 psi tree assembly.

**General -**

- Pipe rams will be actuated once each day and blind rams will be actuated once each trip to test proper functioning.
- An upper kelly cock valve with handle available and drill string valves to fit each drill string will be available on the rig floors at all times.
- BOP pit level drill will be conducted weekly for each drill crew.
- All BOP tests & drills will be recorded in daily drilling reports.
- Blind and pipe rams will be equipped with extension hand wheels.

**Cementing:**

8 5/8" surface casing conventionally drilled -

Cement with 290 sacks Type III cement with 0.25 pps Celloflake, 3% calcium chloride. (200% excess, bring cement to surface). Wait on cement appropriate time until cement achieves 250 psi compressive strength at 60 degrees F. prior to nipple up of BOPE. Wait on cement for 8 hrs for conventionally set holes before pressure testing or drilling out from under surface.

Saw tooth guide shoe on bottom. Bowspring centralizers will be run in accordance with Onshore Order #2.

**4 1/2" Production Casing Two Stage -**

Stage collar set @ 3862'. First Stage: Lead with w/275 sacks Premium Lite HS FM cmt w/0.25 pps celloflake, 0.3% CD-32, 6.25 pps LCM-1 and 1% FL-52. Second Stage: 416 sacks Premium Lite cmt w/3% calcium chloride, 0.4% metasilicate, 0.25 pps celloflake, 5 pps LCM-1 and 0.4% FL-52. (2142 cu ft - 50% excess, circulate to surface, run CBL/temperature survey if cement is not circulated to surface.)

Cement nose guide shoe on bottom with float collar spaced on top of shoe joint. Bowspring centralizers spaced every fourth joint off bottom, to the base of the Ojo Alamo @ 297'. Two turbolating centralizers at the base of the Ojo Alamo 297'. Bowspring centralizers spaced every fourth joint from the base of the Ojo Alamo to the base of the surface casing.

Note: If open hole logs are run, cement volumes will be based on 25% excess over caliper volumes.

If hole conditions permit, an adequate water spacer will be pumped ahead of each cement job to prevent cement/ mud contamination or cement hydration.

**Special Drilling Operations (Air/Mist Drilling):**

The following equipment will be operational while air/mist drilling:

- An anchored blooie line will be utilized to discharge all cuttings and circulating medium to the blow pit a minimum of 100' from the wellhead.
- The blooie line will be equipped with an automatic igniter or pilot light.
- Compressors will be located a minimum of 100' from the wellhead in the opposite direction from the blooie line.
- Engines will have spark arresters or water cooled exhaust.

**Special Drilling Operations (Air/Mist Drilling):**

- The rotating head will be properly lubricated and maintained.
- A float valve will be utilized above the bit.
- Mud circulating equipment, water, and mud materials will be sufficient to maintain control of the well.

**Additional Information:**

- The Dakota formation will be completed.
- No abnormal temperatures or hazards are anticipated.
- Anticipated pore pressures are as follows:

Fruitland Coal	300 psi
Pictured Cliffs	600 psi
Mesa Verde	700 psi
Dakota	2500 psi
- Sufficient LCM will be added to the mud system to maintain well control, if lost circulation is encountered below the top of the Pictured Cliffs.
- The west half of Section 15 is dedicated to the Dakota formation.
- This gas is dedicated.

  
Drilling Engineer

Date

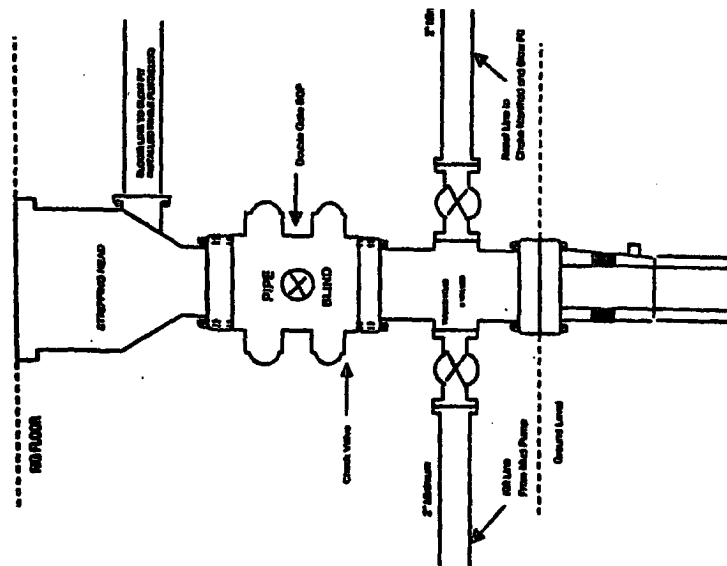
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Blowout preventor equipment (BOPE) tests must be performed using an appropriately sized test plug. The BOPE test must be performed and recorded using a test pump, calibrated test gauges and a properly calibrated strip or chart recorder. The test must be recorded in the driller's log and will include a low pressure test requirement of 250 psig held for five minutes and a high pressure test requirement held for ten minutes as described in Onshore Order No. 2 or otherwise authorized in the Application for Permit to Drill (APD). A successful BOPE test using a test plug is considered when no pressure drop occurs over the duration of the test. Test gauges and recorders must be of the proper range and resolution commensurate with the authorized test pressure. Where intermediate casing strings are used, only one BOPE test will be necessary contingent upon the test being conducted to the highest approved test pressure to which the BOPE will be exposed. Casing pressure tests must be held for 30 minutes with no more than a 10 percent pressure drop during the duration of the test.

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Completion/Workover Rig  
BOP Configuration  
2,000 psi System



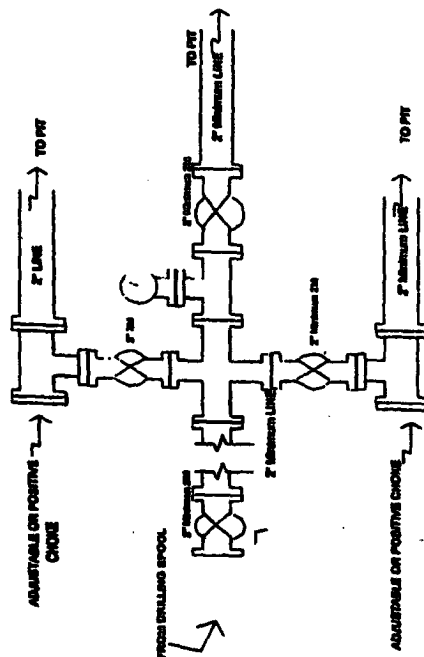
Minimum BOP Installation for all Completion/Workover Operations. 7-1/16" bore, 2000 psi minimum working pressure double gate BOP to be equipped with blind and pipe rams. A stripping head to be installed on the top of the BOP. All BOP equipment is 2000 psi working pressure or greater excluding 600 psi stripping head.

Figure #2

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# BURLINGTON RESOURCES

Drilling Rig  
Choke Manifold Configuration  
2000 psi System



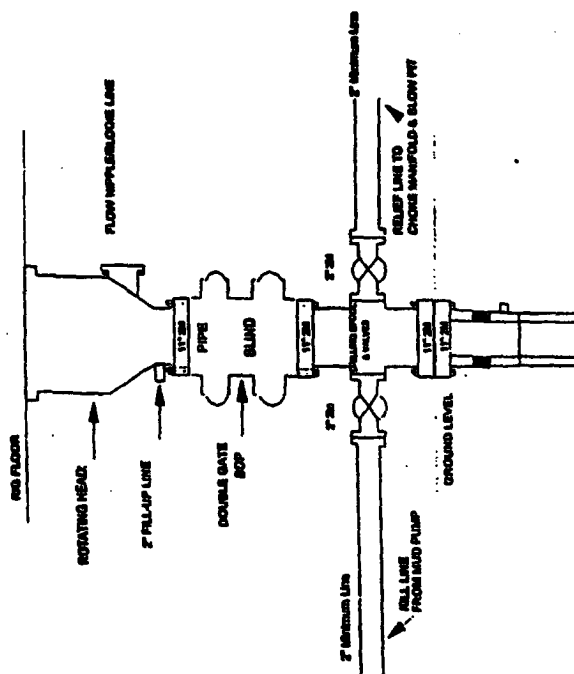
Choke manifold installation from Surface Casing Point to Total Depth. 2,000psi working pressure equipment with two chokes.

Figure #3

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# Burlington Resources

Drilling Rig  
2000 psi System



BOP Installation from Surface Casing Point to Total Depth. 11" Bore 10" Nominal, 2000 psi working pressure double gate BOP to be equipped with blind rams and pipe rams. 2000 psi working head on top of ram preventers. All BOP equipment is 2,000 psi working pressure.

Figure #1