

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or reenter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0135  
Expires July 31, 1996

5. Lease Serial No.

NMNM-18463

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side**

1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

Elm Ridge Resources, Inc.

3a. Address

312 West La Plata Street Farmington, NM 87401

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

505-326-7099

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

900' FNL & 900' FEL Sec. 15-T23N-R8W

8. Well Name and No.

Federal 15 #41

9. API Well No.

30-045-24578

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area

Nageezi Gallup

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

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations (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 recomple 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 recomple 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.)

Elm Ridge Resources, Inc. proposes to recomple the Fruitland Coal on the Federal 15 #41 as follows: TOH w/5-1/2" packer, 14# to 1800'. Test casing - if good TOO H w/packer. If casing does not test - we will consider plugging the well. Notify BLM. TIH w/5-1/2 scrapper to 4900'. Set CIBP @ 4754' top of Gallup. Spot 50' cement plug on top of CIBP. Spot 100' balanced plug from 2930' to 3030' top of Mesa Verde @ 2980' Perforate well @ 1780' Set a cement retainer @ 1740'. We will attempt to spot a 300' cement plug outside of 5-1/2 casing. Spot 50' cement plug on top of retainer. Ready well for Fruitland Completion.

Certified Return Receipt # 7001 0320 0002 6707 0098

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct

Name (Printed/Typed)

Trudy Grubelnik

Title

Production Technician

Signature

Date

August 22, 2002

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by

Original Signed: Stephen Mason

Title

Date

8/28/02

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, 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 representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on reverse)