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#### **State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Oil Conservation Division** 1220 S. St Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-101 August 1, 2011

Permit 347923

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL, RE-ENTER, DEEPEN, PLUGBACK, OR ADD A ZONE

A 1 E 0	A THORY ON ENGINE TO BRIDE, THE LIVE BELL LIVE LOOP AND CONTROL	ALONE
Operator Name and Address		2. OGRID Number
AMEREDEV OPERATING, LLC		372224
2901 Via Fortuna		3. API Number
Austin, TX 78746		30-025-51891
4. Property Code	5. Property Name	6. Well No.
320055	AMEN CORNER 26 36 27 STATE COM	181H

7 Surface Location

UL - Lot	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet From	N/S Line	Feet From	E/W Line	County
M	22	26S	36E	M	230	S	1120	W	Lea

8. Proposed Bottom Hole Location

UL - Lot	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet From	N/S Line	Feet From	E/W Line	County
E	34	26S	36E	4	52	S	990	W	Lea

9. Pool Information

WC-025 G-08 S263620C;LWR BONE SPRIN 98150

Additional Well Information

11. Work Type	12. Well Type	13. Cable/Rotary	14. Lease Type	15. Ground Level Elevation
New Well	OIL		State	2909
16. Multiple	17. Proposed Depth	18. Formation	19. Contractor	20. Spud Date
N	18242	2nd Bone Spring Carbonate		11/1/2024
Depth to Ground water		Distance from nearest fresh water well Distance to nearest surf		Distance to nearest surface water
				·

☑ We will be using a closed-loop system in lieu of lined pits

21. Proposed Casing and Cement Program

Type	Hole Size	Casing Size	Casing Weight/ft	Setting Depth	Sacks of Cement	Estimated TOC
Surf	17.5	13.375	54.5	1745	1373	0
Int1	12.25	10.75	45.5	5106	1352	0
Prod	8.75	5.5	17	18242	5883	0

**Casing/Cement Program: Additional Comments** 

22. Proposed Blowout Prevention Program

Туре	Working Pressure	Test Pressure	Manufacturer
Double Ram	5000	5000	TBD

23. I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best knowledge and belief.  I further certify I have complied with 19.15.14.9 (A) NMAC ⋈ and/or 19.15.14.9 (E ⋈, if applicable.  Signature:  Printed Name: Electronically filed by Christie Hanna  Title: Regulatory  Email Address: channa@ameredev.com				OIL CONSERVA	TION DIVISION	
	Electronically filed by Christie Ha	ınna	Approved By:	Paul F Kautz		
Title:	Regulatory		Title:	Geologist		
Email Address:	Email Address: channa@ameredev.com			8/25/2023 Expiration Date: 8/25/2025		
Date:	8/22/2023	Phone: 737-300-4723	Conditions of Appr	oval Attached		

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FORM C-102
Revised August 1, 2011
Submit one copy to appropriate
District Office

AMENDED REPORT

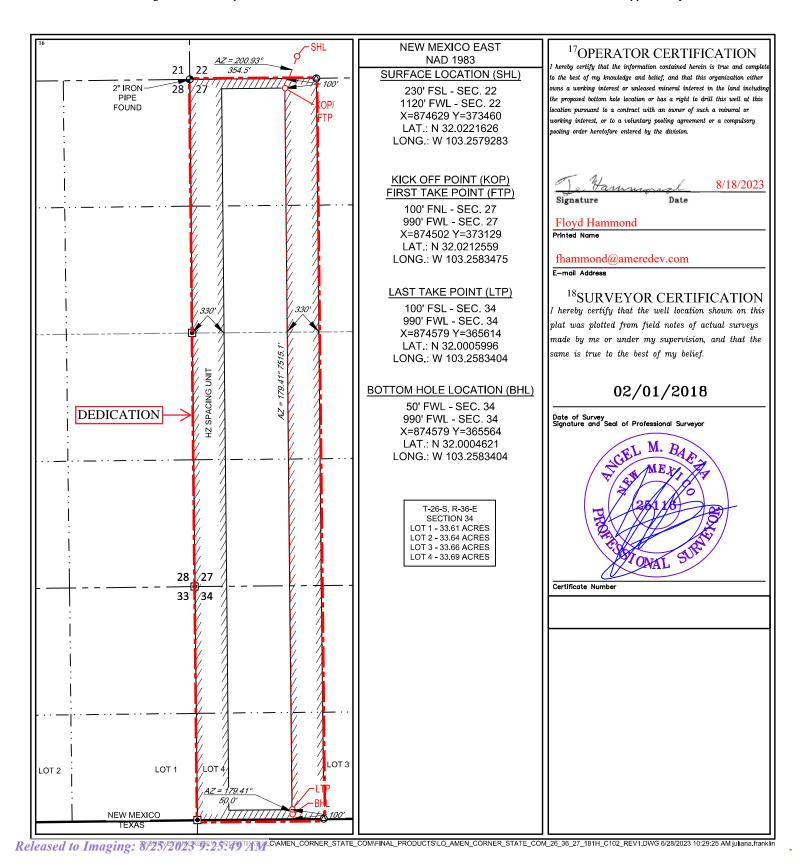
WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Numbe	er	<sup>2</sup> Pool Code	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name						
30-025-		98150	WC-025 G-08 S263620C; LWR I	BONE SPRING					
<sup>4</sup> Property Code		<sup>5</sup> Pr	operty Name	<sup>6</sup> Well Number					
320055		AMEN CORNER	26 36 27 STATE COM	181H					
<sup>7</sup> OGRID N₀.		<sup>8</sup> Op	erator Name	<sup>9</sup> Elevation					
372224		<b>AMEREDEV</b>	OPERATING, LLC.	2909'					

<sup>10</sup>Surface Location

UL or lot no.  M	Section 22	Township 26-S	36-E	Lot Idn —	Feet from the 230'	North/South line SOUTH	Feet from the 1120'	WEST	LEA
			11]	Bottom Ho	le Location If D	Different From Su	rface		
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
4	34	26-S	36-E	-	50'	SOUTH	990'	WEST	LEA
<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres	<sup>13</sup> Joint or 1	nfill 14Co	nsolidation Cod	ie <sup>15</sup> Ord	er No.				
233.69			C						

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.



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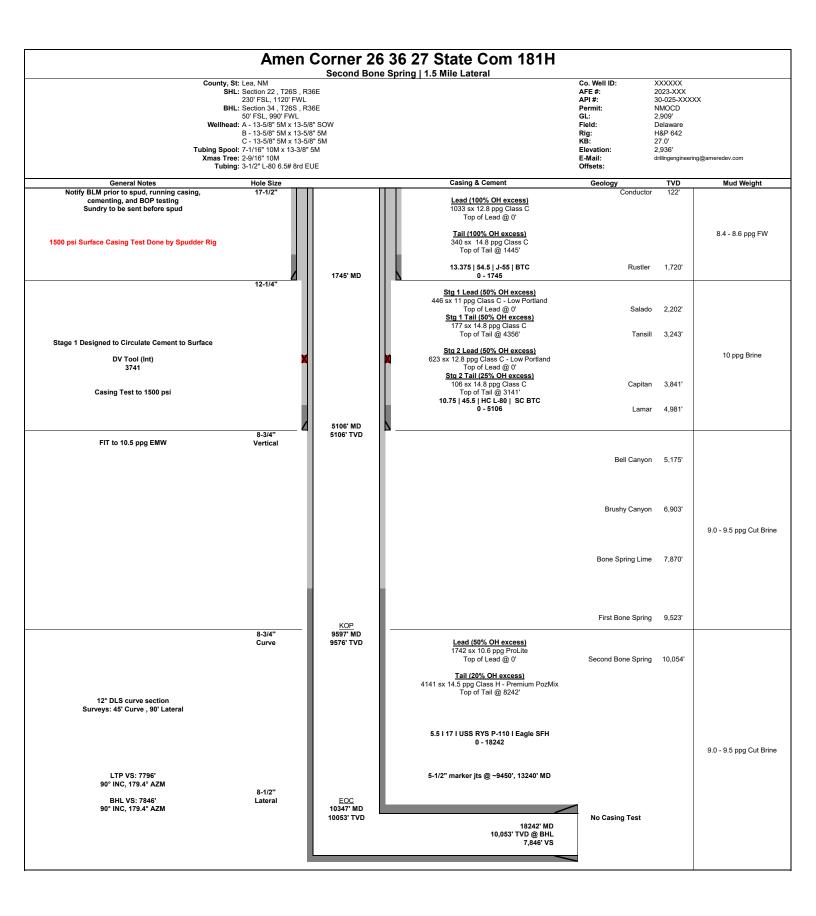
Form APD Conditions

Permit 347923

#### PERMIT CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Operator Name and Address:	API Number:
AMEREDEV OPERATING, LLC [372224]	30-025-51891
2901 Via Fortuna	Well:
Austin, TX 78746	AMEN CORNER 26 36 27 STATE COM #181H

OCD Reviewer	Condition
pkautz	Notify OCD 24 hours prior to casing & cement
pkautz	Will require a File As Drilled C-102 and a Directional Survey with the C-104
pkautz	Once the well is spud, to prevent ground water contamination through whole or partial conduits from the surface, the operator shall drill without interruption through the fresh water zone or zones and shall immediately set in cement the water protection string
pkautz	Oil base muds are not to be used until fresh water zones are cased and cemented providing isolation from the oil or diesel. This includes synthetic oils. Oil based mud, drilling fluids and solids must be contained in a steel closed loop system
pkautz	Cement is required to circulate on both surface and intermediate1 strings of casing
pkautz	The Operator is to notify NMOCD by sundry (Form C-103) within ten (10) days of the well being spud
pkautz	IF ON ANY STRING CEMENT DOES NOT CIRCULATE, A RCBL MUST BE RUN ON THAT STRING OF CASING.





### **Ameredev Operating**

Lea County, NM (N83-NME)

AMEN CORNER ST COM PROJECT

AMEN CORNER ST COM 26 36 27 #181H

**OWB** 

Plan: PWP

## **Standard Planning Report - Geographic**

15 June, 2023



#### Planning Report - Geographic

**TVD Reference:** 

MD Reference:

North Reference:

Database: AUS-COMPASS - EDM\_15 - 32bit

Company: Ameredev Operating
Project: Lea County, NM (N83-NME)

Site: AMEN CORNER ST COM PROJECT
Well: AMEN CORNER ST COM 26 36 27 #181H

Wellbore: OWB Design: PWP Local Co-ordinate Reference:

**Survey Calculation Method:** 

Well AMEN CORNER ST COM 26 36 27

#181H

KB=25' @ 2934.0usft KB=25' @ 2934.0usft

Grid

Minimum Curvature

Project Lea County, NM (N83-NME)

Map System: US State Plane 1983
Geo Datum: North American Datum 1983
Map Zone: New Mexico Eastern Zone

System Datum:

Mean Sea Level

Site AMEN CORNER ST COM PROJECT

 Site Position:
 Northing:
 373,452.33 usft
 Latitude:
 32.0221652

 From:
 Lat/Long
 Easting:
 873,738.68 usft
 Longitude:
 -103.2607997

Position Uncertainty: 0.0 usft Slot Radius: 13-3/16 "

Well AMEN CORNER ST COM 26 36 27 #181H

 Well Position
 +N/-S
 0.0 usft
 Northing:
 373,460.22 usft
 Latitude:
 32.0221626

 +E/-W
 0.0 usft
 Easting:
 874,628.65 usft
 Longitude:
 -103.2579283

Position Uncertainty 3.0 usft Wellhead Elevation: usft Ground Level: 2,909.0 usft 2,909.0 usft

Grid Convergence: 0.57 °

Wellbore OWB

 Magnetics
 Model Name
 Sample Date (°)
 Declination (°)
 Dip Angle (°)
 Field Strength (nT)

 IGRF2020
 6/14/2023
 6.15
 59.69
 47,200.76707797

**Design** PWP

**Audit Notes:** 

Version: PROTOTYPE Tie On Depth: 0.0

 Vertical Section:
 Depth From (TVD) (usft)
 +N/-S (usft)
 +E/-W (usft)
 Direction (°)

 0.0
 0.0
 0.0
 179.40

Plan Survey Tool Program Date 6/15/2023

Depth From Depth To

(usft) (usft) Survey (Wellbore) Tool Name Remarks

1 0.0 18,242.4 PWP (OWB) MWD

OWSG MWD - Standard



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Grid

Minimum Curvature

Plan Section	s									
Measured Depth (usft)	Inclination (°)	Azimuth (°)	Vertical Depth (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Dogleg Rate (°/100usft)	Build Rate (°/100usft)	Turn Rate (°/100usft)	TFO (°)	Target
0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,500.0	0.00	0.00	1,500.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
1,750.0	5.00	343.97	1,749.7	10.5	-3.0	2.00	2.00	0.00	343.97	
7,067.9	5.00	343.97	7,047.3	455.9	-131.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
7,567.9	0.00	0.00	7,546.7	476.9	-137.0	1.00	-1.00	0.00	180.00	
9,596.7	0.00	0.00	9,575.5	476.9	-137.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
10,346.7	90.00	179.40	10,053.0	-0.5	-132.0	12.00	12.00	23.92	179.40	
18,242.4	90.00	179.40	10,053.0	-7,895.8	-49.2	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00 B	HL (ACSC 181H)

nned Surv	rey								
Measured Depth (usft)	Inclination (°)	Azimuth (°)	Vertical Depth (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Map Northing (usft)	Map Easting (usft)	Latitude	Longitude
0.0 1,500.0	0.00	0.00 0.00	0.0 1,500.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	373,460.22 373,460.22	874,628.65 874,628.65	32.0221626 32.0221626	-103.257928 -103.257928
1,720.2		343.97	1,720.0	8.1	-2.3	373,468.35	874,626.31	32.0221850	-103.257935
<b>Rustle</b> 1,750.0	5.00	343.97	1,749.7	10.5	-3.0	373,470.70	874,625.64	32.0221915	-103.25793
2,204.0		t <b>1750.0 MD</b> 343.97	2,202.0	48.5	-13.9	373,508.73	874,614.71	32.0222963	-103.25797
<b>Salado</b> 2,938.8	5.00	343.97	2,934.0	110.1	-31.6	373,570.28	874,597.03	32.0224660	-103.258026
3,249.0	5.00	343.97	3,243.0	136.0	-39.1	373,596.27	874,589.57	32.0225376	-103.258050
<b>Tansill</b> 3,849.3	5.00	343.97	3,841.0	186.3	-53.5	373,646.55	874,575.12	32.0226762	-103.25809
<b>Capita</b> i 4,993.7		343.97	4,981.0	282.2	-81.1	373,742.41	874,547.58	32.0229404	-103.25818
<b>Lamar</b> 5,188.4		343.97	5,175.0	298.5	-85.8	373,758.72	874,542.90	32.0229854	-103.25819
<b>Bell Ca</b> 6,923.0	5.00	343.97	6,903.0	443.8	-127.5	373,904.03	874,501.16	32.0233859	-103.25832
7,067.9		343.97	7,047.3	455.9	-131.0	373,916.16	874,497.67	32.0234193	-103.25833
7,567.9		0.00	7,546.7	476.9	-137.0	373,937.12	874,491.65	32.0234771	-103.25835
7,891.2		0.00	7,870.0	476.9	-137.0	373,937.12	874,491.65	32.0234771	-103.25835
9,544.2		0.00	9,523.0	476.9	-137.0	373,937.12	874,491.65	32.0234771	-103.25835
9,596.7		0.00	9,575.5	476.9	-137.0	373,937.12	874,491.65	32.0234771	-103.25835
10,346.7	tart DLS 12.0 90.00 rt 7895.7 hol	179.40	10,053.0	-0.5	-132.0	373,459.68	874,496.66	32.0221647	-103.25835
18,242.4 TD at 1	90.00	179.40	10,053.0	-7,895.8	-49.2	365,564.39	874,579.44	32.0004621	-103.25834
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Wellbore: OWB Design: PWP **Local Co-ordinate Reference:** 

TVD Reference: MD Reference: North Reference:

**Survey Calculation Method:** 

Well AMEN CORNER ST COM 26 36 27

#181H

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Grid

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Design Targets									
Target Name - hit/miss target - Shape	Dip Angle (°)	Dip Dir. (°)	TVD (usft)	+N/-S (usft)	+E/-W (usft)	Northing (usft)	Easting (usft)	Latitude	Longitude
LTP (ACSC 181H) - plan hits target co - Point	0.00 enter	0.00	10,053.0	-7,845.8	-49.7	365,614.41	874,578.95	32.0005996	-103.2583404
FTP (ACSC 181H) - plan misses targe - Point	0.00 et center by	0.00 330.6usft a	10,053.0 t 10346.7u	-331.1 sft MD (1005	-126.6 3.0 TVD, -0.	373,129.09 5 N, -132.0 E)	874,502.00	32.0212559	-103.2583475
BHL (ACSC 181H) - plan hits target co - Point	0.00 enter	0.00	10,053.0	-7,895.8	-49.2	365,564.39	874,579.44	32.0004621	-103.2583404

Formations							
	Measured Depth (usft)	Vertical Depth (usft)	Name	Lithology	Dip (°)	Dip Direction (°)	
	1,720.2	1,720.0	Rustler				
	2,204.0	2,202.0	Salado				
	2,938.8	2,934.0	Dewey Lake				
	3,249.0	3,243.0	Tansill				
	3,849.3	3,841.0	Capitan				
	4,993.7	4,981.0	Lamar				
	5,188.4	5,175.0	Bell Canyon				
	6,923.0	6,903.0	Brushy Canyon				
	7,891.2	7,870.0	Bone Spring Lime				
	9,544.2	9,523.0	First Bone Spring				

Plan Annotations				
Measured Depth (usft)	Vertical Depth (usft)	Local Coor +N/-S (usft)	dinates +E/-W (usft)	Comment
1,500.0	1,500.0	0.0	0.0	Start Build 2.00
1,750.0	1,749.7	10.5	-3.0	Start 5317.9 hold at 1750.0 MD
7,067.9	7,047.3	455.9	-131.0	Start Drop -1.00
7,567.9	7,546.7	476.9	-137.0	Start 2028.8 hold at 7567.9 MD
9,596.7	9,575.5	476.9	-137.0	KOP-Start DLS 12.00 TFO 179.40
10,346.7	10,053.0	-0.5	-132.0	LP-Start 7895.7 hold at 10346.7 MD
18,242.4	10,053.0	-7,895.8	-49.2	TD at 18242.4

State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Submit Electronically Via E-permitting

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

#### NATURAL GAS MANAGEMENT PLAN

This Natural Gas Management Plan must be submitted with each Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for a new or recompleted well.

#### Section 1 – Plan Description Effective May 25, 2021

Operator:	_Ameredev II,	LLC	OGRID: _	372224	4Date	<u>0</u> 6/21/2023 _
<b>Type:</b> ⊠ Original □ A	Amendment due	to □ 19.15.27.	9.D(6)(a) NMAC	□ 19.15.27.9.1	D(6)(b) NMAC □ O	ther.
ther, please describe: _						
Well(s): Provide the forecompleted from a sing					of wells proposed to	be drilled or propo
Well Name	API	ULSTR	Footages	Anticipated Oil BBL/D	Anticipated Gas MCF/D	Anticipated Produced Water BBL/D
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 181H	30025-		230' FSL & 1120' FWL	680	3,412	2,610
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 184H	30025-		200' FNL & 230' FEL	680	3,412	2,610
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 261H	30025-		230' FSL & 290' FWL	680	3,412	2,610
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 264H	30025-		230' FSL & 955' FEL	680	3,412	2,610
. Central Delivery Poin	nt Name:				[See 19.15.27.9(	D)(1) NMAC]

**V. Anticipated Schedule:** Provide the following information for each new or recompleted well or set of wells proposed to be drilled or proposed to be recompleted from a single well pad or connected to a central delivery point.

Well Name	API	Spud Date	TD Reached Date	Completion Commencement Date	Initial Flow Back Date	First Production Date
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 181H	30025-	11/01/2024	12/15/2024	01/15/2025	02/01/2025	02/04/2025
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 184H	30025-	11/01/2024	12/15/2024	01/15/2025	02/01/2025	02/04/2025
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 261H	30025-	11/01/2024	12/15/2024	01/15/2025	02/01/2025	02/04/2025
Amen Corner 26 36 27 State Com 264H	30025-	11/01/2024	12/15/2024	01/15/2025	02/01/2025	02/04/2025

VI. Separation Equipment: 
☐ Attach a complete description of how Operator will size separation equipment to optimize gas capture.

VII. Operational Practices: ⊠ Attach a complete description of the actions Operator will take to comply with the requirements of Subsection A through F of 19.15.27.8 NMAC.

#### Section 2 – Enhanced Plan <u>EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2022</u>

Beginning April 1, 2022, an operator that is not in compliance with its statewide natural gas capture requirement for the applicable reporting area must complete this section.

☑ Operator certifies that it is not required to complete this section because Operator is in compliance with its statewide natural gas capture requirement for the applicable reporting area.

IX. Anticipated Natural (	Gas Production:
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Well	API	Anticipated Average Natural Gas Rate MCF/D	Anticipated Volume of Natural Gas for the First Year MCF

#### X. Natural Gas Gathering System (NGGS):

Operator	System	ULSTR of Tie-in	Anticipated Gathering Start Date	Available Maximum Daily Capacity of System Segment Tie-in
			Start Date	or system segment tie-in

XI. Map. $\square$ Attach an accurate and legible map depicting the location of the well(s), the anticipated pipeline route(s) connecting the
production operations to the existing or planned interconnect of the natural gas gathering system(s), and the maximum daily capacity of
the segment or portion of the natural gas gathering system(s) to which the well(s) will be connected.

<b>XII. Line Capacity.</b> The natural gas gathering system $\square$ will $\square$ will not	ot have capacity to gather 100% of the anticipated natural gas
production volume from the well prior to the date of first production.	

XIII.	<b>Line Pressure.</b> Operator $\square$ does $\square$ does not anticipate that its existing well(s) confidence of the confidence of th	nected to the same segment, or portion,	of the
natura	al gas gathering system(s) described above will continue to meet anticipated increase	s in line pressure caused by the new wo	ell(s).

Attach O	perator's	plan to	manage	production	in resp	ponse to	the	increased	line	pressure

XIV. C	Confidentiality: $\square$	Operator asserts	confidentiality	pursuant to	Section '	71-2-8 NMS	A 1978 for the	information	provided in
Section	2 as provided in Pa	ragraph (2) of Su	bsection D of 19	9.15.27.9 NM	IAC, and	l attaches a ful	l description of	f the specific	information
for which	ch confidentiality is	asserted and the	basis for such as	ssertion.					

(i)

## Section 3 - Certifications Effective May 25, 2021

Operator certifies that, a	fter reasonable inquiry and based on the available information at the time of submittal:
one hundred percent of	e to connect the well(s) to a natural gas gathering system in the general area with sufficient capacity to transport the anticipated volume of natural gas produced from the well(s) commencing on the date of first production, current and anticipated volumes of produced natural gas from other wells connected to the pipeline gathering
hundred percent of the a into account the current	able to connect to a natural gas gathering system in the general area with sufficient capacity to transport one anticipated volume of natural gas produced from the well(s) commencing on the date of first production, taking and anticipated volumes of produced natural gas from other wells connected to the pipeline gathering system. box, Operator will select one of the following:
Well Shut-In. ☐ Opera D of 19.15.27.9 NMAC	tor will shut-in and not produce the well until it submits the certification required by Paragraph (4) of Subsection C; or
	Plan. ☐ Operator has attached a venting and flaring plan that evaluates and selects one or more of the potential
	ses for the natural gas until a natural gas gathering system is available, including:
(a)	power generation on lease;
( <b>b</b> )	power generation for grid;
(c)	compression on lease;
(d)	liquids removal on lease;
(e)	reinjection for underground storage;
(f)	reinjection for temporary storage;
(g) (h)	reinjection for enhanced oil recovery; fuel cell production; and
(11)	TUCI COII PIOUUCHOII, AHU

#### Section 4 - Notices

1. If, at any time after Operator submits this Natural Gas Management Plan and before the well is spud:

other alternative beneficial uses approved by the division.

- (a) Operator becomes aware that the natural gas gathering system it planned to connect the well(s) to has become unavailable or will not have capacity to transport one hundred percent of the production from the well(s), no later than 20 days after becoming aware of such information, Operator shall submit for OCD's approval a new or revised venting and flaring plan containing the information specified in Paragraph (5) of Subsection D of 19.15.27.9 NMAC; or
- (b) Operator becomes aware that it has, cumulatively for the year, become out of compliance with its baseline natural gas capture rate or natural gas capture requirement, no later than 20 days after becoming aware of such information, Operator shall submit for OCD's approval a new or revised Natural Gas Management Plan for each well it plans to spud during the next 90 days containing the information specified in Paragraph (2) of Subsection D of 19.15.27.9 NMAC, and shall file an update for each Natural Gas Management Plan until Operator is back in compliance with its baseline natural gas capture rate or natural gas capture requirement.
- 2. OCD may deny or conditionally approve an APD if Operator does not make a certification, fails to submit an adequate venting and flaring plan which includes alternative beneficial uses for the anticipated volume of natural gas produced, or if OCD determines that Operator will not have adequate natural gas takeaway capacity at the time a well will be spud.

I certify that, after reasonable inquiry, the statements in and attached to this Natural Gas Management Plan are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and acknowledge that a false statement may be subject to civil and criminal penalties under the Oil and Gas Act.

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## VI. Separation Equipment: Attach a complete description of how Operator will size separation equipment to optimize gas capture.

- Separation equipment is sized to allow for retention time and velocity to adequately separate oil, gas, and water at anticipated peak rates.
- All central tank battery equipment is designed to efficiently capture the remaining gas from the liquid phase.
- Valves and meters are designed to service without flow interruption or venting of gas.

## VII. <u>Operational Practices: Attach a complete description of the actions Operator will</u> take to comply with the requirements of Subsection A through F 19.15.27.8 NMAC.

#### 19.15.27.8 (A)

Ameredev's field operations are designed with the goal of minimizing flaring and preventing venting of natural gas. If capturing the gas is not possible then the gas is combusted/flared using properly sized flares or combustors in accordance with state air permit rules.

#### 19.15.27.8 (B) Venting and Flaring during drilling operations

- A properly-sized flare stack will be located at a minimum 100' from the nearest surface hole location on the pad.
- All natural gas produced during drilling operations will be flared. Venting will only occur if there is an equipment malfunction and/or to avoid risk of an immediate and substantial adverse impact on safety, public health, or the environment.

#### 19.15.27.8 (C) Venting and Flaring during completions or recompletions operations.

- During all phases of flowback, wells will flow through a sand separator, or other appropriate flowback separation equipment, and the well stream will be directed to a central tank battery (CTB) through properly sized flowlines
- The CTB will have properly sized separation equipment for maximum anticipated flowrates
- Multiple stages of separation will be used to separate gas from liquids. All gas will be routed to a sales outlet. Fluids will be routed to tanks equipped with a closed loop system that will recover any residual gas from the tanks and route such gas to a sales outlet.

#### 19.15.27.8 (D) Venting and Flaring during production operations.

• During production, the well stream will be routed to the CTB where multiple stages of separation will separate gas from liquids. All gas will be routed to a sales outlet. Fluids will be routed to tanks with a closed

loop system that will recover any residual gas from the tanks and route such gas to a sales outlet, minimizing tank emissions.

- Flares are equipped with auto-ignition systems and continuous pilot operations.
- Automatic gauging equipment is installed on all tanks.

#### 19.15.27.8 (E) Performance Standards

- Production equipment will be designed to handle maximum anticipated rates and pressure.
- Automatic gauging equipment is installed on all tanks to minimize venting
- All flared gas will be combusted in a flare stack that is properly sized and designed to ensure proper combustion.
- •Flares are equipped with continuous pilots and auto-ignitors along with remote monitoring of the pilot status
- Weekly AVOs and monthly LDAR inspections will be performed on all wells and facilities that produce more than 60 Mcfd.
- Gas/H2S detectors will be installed throughout the facilities and wellheads to detect leaks and enable timely repairs.

#### 19.15.27.8 (F) Measurement or estimation of vented and flared natural gas

- All high pressure flared gas is measured by equipment conforming to API 14.10.
- No meter bypasses are installed.
- When metering is not practical due to low pressure/low rate, the vented or flared volume will be estimated through flare flow curves with the assistance of air emissions consultants, as necessary.

# VIII. <u>Best Management Practices: Attach a complete description of Operator's best management practices to minimize venting during active and planned maintenance.</u>

- Ameredev will use best management practices to vent as minimally as possible during well intervention operations and downhole well maintenance
- All natural gas is routed into the gas gathering system and directed to one of Ameredev's multiple gas sales outlets.
- All venting events will be recorded and all start-up, shutdown, maintenance logs will be kept for control equipment
- All control equipment will be maintained to provide highest run-time possible
- All procedures are drafted to keep venting and flaring to the absolute minimum