

Well Name: FEDERAL I	Well Location: T29N / R14W / SEC 1 / SWNE / 36.75838 / -108.25754	County or Parish/State: SAN JUAN / NM
Well Number: 6	Type of Well: CONVENTIONAL GAS WELL	Allottee or Tribe Name:
Lease Number: NMSF078110	Unit or CA Name:	Unit or CA Number:
US Well Number: 300452320700S1	Well Status: Abandoned	Operator: DUGAN PRODUCTION CORPORATION

Notice of Intent

Sundry ID: 2771104

Type of Submission: Notice of Intent	Type of Action: Plug and Abandonment
Date Sundry Submitted: 01/22/2024	Time Sundry Submitted: 04:14
Date proposed operation will begin: 01/23/2024	

**Procedure Description:** During a routine internal pipeline inspection Dugan Production detected a very feeble signal for Methane presence at 18 LEL on 01/19/2024. On further inspection and tracing, the signal increased towards the P & A'ed Federal # 006 well location. The signal showed 28 LEL around the wellhead, approximately 1.2-1.5% Methane. The well Federal I # 006 was previously P & A'ed 10/03/2000 and a subsequent sundry of P & A dated 10/25/2000 was submitted. We suspect the gas signal may be coming from this well. We request permission to cut the dry hole marker, re-enter the well, drill out the cement and re-plug the well per the following procedure: 1) MI&RU Aztec rig 481. 2) Remove cement around wellhead, remove dry hole marker. Install wellhead flange. NU BOP. 3) RIH w/ 2" drill pipe and bit and start drilling out cement plugs to 1093'. Pictured Cliff & perforations are at 1143'-1148' & 1233'-1243'. 4) RIH w/ wireline & set 2-7/8" BP @ 1093. Load hole and circulate. Attempt to pressure test casing to 650 psi for 30 minutes. Run CBL from 1093' to surface. Once the top behind the casing is determined will make necessary changes to the plugs. Will make sure all formation tops are covered inside/outside with required cement with excess as required. 5) Fill up 2-7/8" casing to 200'. 6) Perforate and establish circulation to surface from 200' and circulate cement to surface. 7) Cut wellhead off. Tag TOC @ surface inside 2-7/8" casing and in 7"-2-7/8" annulus. Top off cement if needed and install dry hole marker. Fill up cellar with cement. 8) Clean location and move.

Surface Disturbance

Is any additional surface disturbance proposed?: No

NOI Attachments

Procedure Description

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Federal\_I\_6\_PA\_Planned\_wellbore\_schematic\_1\_22\_24\_20240122160805.pdf

Federal\_I\_6\_PA\_Current\_wellbore\_PAd\_schematic\_1\_22\_24\_20240122160754.pdf

Conditions of Approval

Specialist Review

General\_Requirement\_PxA\_20240123091952.pdf

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Operator

I certify that the foregoing is true and correct. 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. Electronic submission of Sundry Notices through this system satisfies regulations requiring a

Operator Electronic Signature: TYRA FEIL

Signed on: JAN 22, 2024 04:01 PM

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Title: Authorized Representative

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BLM Point of Contact

BLM POC Name: MATTHEW H KADE

BLM POC Title: Petroleum Engineer

BLM POC Phone: 5055647736

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Disposition: Approved

Disposition Date: 01/23/2024

Signature: Matthew Kade

**Current Wellbore P & A'ed Schematic**

Federal I # 006

API: 30-045-23207

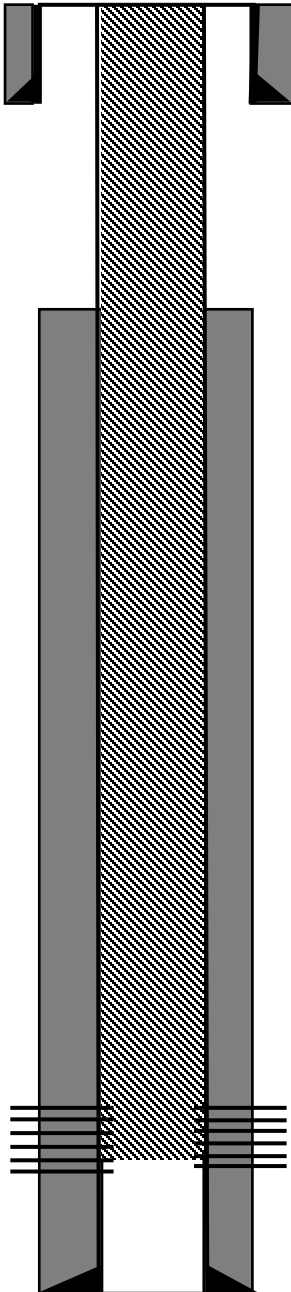
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1590' FNL & 1800' FEL

Unit G, Sec 1, T29N R14W

San Juan County, NM

Lat:36.7583389 Long:-108.2580795



7", 26# Surface Casing Set @ 46'.  
Cemented w/ 5 sks cement. Hole size 8-3/4"

Well P & Aed on 10/03/2000 w/ 59 cu.ft Class H cement from surface.

2-7/8" 6.4# Casing Set @ 1409'  
Cemented w/ 50 sks 65-35-12 sks and 75 sks Class B. Hole size: 4-3/4"

Pictured Cliffs Perforated from 1143'-1148' & 1233'-1243'

TD @ 1415', PBTD @ 1389'

**Planned Wellbore P & A Schematic**

Federal I # 006

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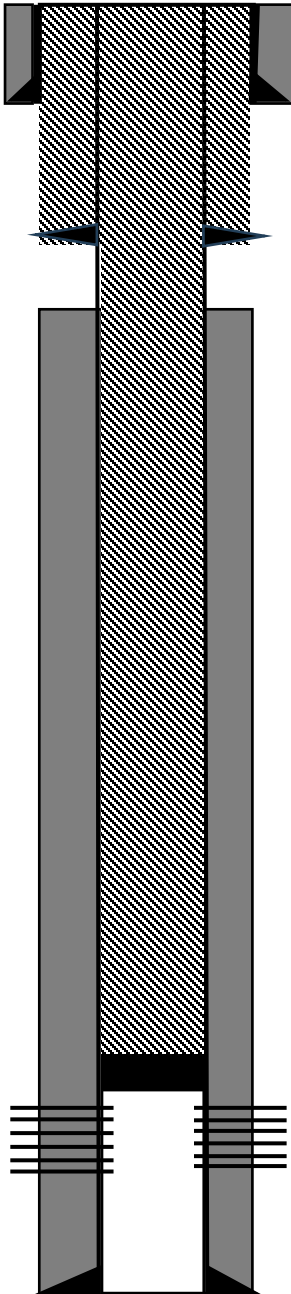
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Set BP @ 1093'. Spot Plug I from above BP @ 1093' to 200' inside 2-7/8" casing.  
Perforate and circulate cement to surface from TOC behind surface from 200'. Plug I, Pictured Cliffs-Fruitland-Kirtland, Inside/Outside 0-1093'

2-7/8" 6.4# Casing Set @ 1409'  
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**Formation Tops**

- Kirtland – Surface
- Fruitland – 880'
- Pictured Cliffs – 1231'

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
FARMINGTON DISTRICT OFFICE  
6251 COLLEGE BLVD.  
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87402**

AFMSS 2 Sundry ID 2771104

Attachment to Notice of Intention to Plug and Abandon

Operator: Dugan Production Company  
Well: Federal I 6 (API # 30-039-22468)

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

1. Plugging operations authorized are subject to the attached "General Requirements for Permanent Abandonment of Wells on Federal and Indian Lease."
2. Farmington Office is to be notified at least 24 hours before the plugging operations commence at (505) 564-7750.

**NOTE: Basic geology report was completed using Operator's submitted estimated formation tops since the plan is a full wellbore fill-up.**

You are also required to place cement excesses per 4.2 and 4.4 of the attached General Requirements.

Office Hours: 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

M. Kade 1/23/2024 (mkade@blm.gov/505-564-7736)

**GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR  
PERMANENT ABANDONMENT OF WELLS ON FEDERAL AND INDIAN LEASES  
FARMINGTON FIELD OFFICE**

1.0 The approved plugging plans may contain variances from the following minimum general requirements.

1.1 Modification of the approved plugging procedure is allowed only with the prior approval of the Authorized Officer, Farmington Field Office.

1.2 Requirements may be added to address specific well conditions.

2.0 Materials used must be accurately measured. (densometer/scales)

3.0 A tank or lined pit must be used for containment of any fluids from the wellbore during plugging operations and all pits are to be fenced with woven wire. These pits will be fenced on three sides and once the rig leaves location, the fourth side will be fenced.

3.1 Pits are not to be used for disposal of any hydrocarbons. If hydrocarbons are present in the pit, the fluids must be removed prior to filling in.

4.0 All cement plugs are to be placed through a work string. Cement may be bull-headed down the casing with prior approval. Cement caps on top of bridge plugs or cement retainers may be placed by dump bailer.

4.1 The cement shall be as specified in the approved plugging plan.

4.2 All cement plugs placed inside casing shall have sufficient volume to fill a minimum of 100' of the casing, or annular void(s) between casings, plus an excess volume sufficient to provide for 50 linear feet of fill above the plug.

4.3 Surface plugs may be no less than 50' in length.

4.4 All cement plugs placed to fill annular void(s) between casing and the formation shall be of sufficient volume to fill a minimum of 100' of the annular space plus 100% excess, calculated using the bit size, or 100' of annular capacity, determined from a caliper log, plus an excess volume sufficient to provide for 50 linear feet of fill above the plug.

4.5 All cement plugs placed to fill an open hole shall be of sufficient volume to fill a minimum of 100' of hole, as calculated from a caliper log, plus an excess volume sufficient to provide for 50 linear feet of fill above the plug. In the absence of a caliper log, an excess of 100% shall be required.

4.6 **A cement bond log or other accepted cement evaluation tool is required to be run if one had not been previously ran or cement did not circulate to surface during the original casing cementing job or subsequent cementing jobs.**

5.0 All cement plugs spotted across, or above, any exposed zone(s), when; the wellbore is not full of fluid or the fluid level will not remain static, and in the case of lost circulation or partial returns during cement placement, shall be tested by tagging with the work string.

- 5.1 The top of any cement plug verified by tagging must be at or above the depth specified in the approved plan, without regard to any excess.
- 5.2 Testing will not be required for any cement plug that is mechanically contained by use of a bridge plug and/or cement retainer, if casing integrity has been established.
- 5.3 Any cement plug which is the only isolating medium, for a fresh water interval or a zone containing a prospectively valuable deposit of minerals, shall be tested by tagging.
- 5.4 If perforations are required below the surface casing shoe, a 30 minute minimum wait time will be required to determine if gas and/or water flows are present. If flow is present, the well will be shut-in for a minimum of one hour and the pressure recorded. Short or long term venting may be necessary to evacuate trapped gas. **If only a water flow occurs with no associated gas, shut well in and record the pressures. Contact the Engineer as it may be necessary to change the cement weight and additives.**

6.0 Before setting any cement plugs the hole needs to be rolled. All wells are to be controlled by means of a fluid that is to be of a weight and consistency necessary to stabilize the wellbore. This fluid shall be left in place as filler between all plugs.

- 6.1 Drilling mud may be used as the wellbore fluid in open hole plugging operations.
- 6.2 The wellbore fluid used in cased holes shall be of sufficient weight to balance known pore pressures in all exposed formations.

7.0 A blowout preventer and related equipment (BOPE) shall be installed and tested prior to working in a wellbore with any exposed zone(s); (1) that are over pressured, (2) where the pressures are unknown, or (3) known to contain H<sub>2</sub>S.

8.0 Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file a Sundry Notice, Subsequent Report of Abandonment (Form 3160-5), through the Automated Fluid Minerals Support System (AFMSS) with the Field Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 6251 College Blvd., Suite A, Farmington, NM 87402. The report should show the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent, by depth(s), of cement plugs placed, and the size and location, by depth(s), of casing left in the well. Show date well was plugged.

9.0 All permanently abandoned wells are to be marked with a permanent monument as specified in 43 CFR 3162.6(d) and 43 CFR 3172.12(a)(10). Unless otherwise approved.

10.0 If this well is located in a Specially Designated Area (SDA), compliance with the appropriate seasonal closure requirements will be necessary.

All of the above are minimum requirements. Failure to comply with the above conditions of approval may result in an assessment for noncompliance and/or a Shut-in Order being issued pursuant to 43 CFR 3163.1. You are further advised that any instructions, orders or decisions issued by the Bureau of Land Management are subject to administrative review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.3 and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4 and 43 CFR 4.700.



# BLM FLUID MINERALS P&A Geologic Report

**Date Completed:** 01/23/2024

Well No.: Federal I #6 (API 30-045-23207)		Location:	SWNE				
Lease No.: NMSF 078110		Sec. 1	T29N			R14W	
Operator: Dugan Production Corporation		County:	San Juan		State	New Mexico	
Total Depth: 1415' (TD)	0' (PB)	Formation: Pictured Cliffs					
Elevation (GL): 5563'							

Geologic Formations	Est. Top	Est. Bottom	Log Top	Log Bottom	Remarks
San Jose Fm					Surface/freshwater sands
Nacimiento Fm					Possible freshwater sands
Ojo Alamo Ss					Aquifer (possible freshwater)
Kirtland Shale	Surface				
Fruitland Fm	880'				Coal/Gas/Possible water
Pictured Cliffs Ss	1231'				Gas
Lewis Shale					
Chacra					Gas
Cliff House Ss					Water/Possible gas
Menefee Fm					Coal/Ss/Water/Possible O&G
Point Lookout Ss					Probable water/Possible O&G
Mancos Shale					
Gallup					O&G/Water
Greenhorn					
Graneros Shale					
Dakota Ss					O&G/Water

Remarks:

- Well was previously plugged on 10/3/2000. Dugan believes the well is now leaking gas.
- Full wellbore fill-up, BLM agrees with estimated tops provided by operator

Reference Well:

**Prepared by: Matthew Kade**

**Tyra Feil**

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BLM gives verbal/email approval to start drilling out the cement and replugging the well. Please get the NOI submitted through AFMSS within 5 days.

Also make sure to give the BLM Inspection and Enforcement phone (505-564-7750) a call to let them know Dugan has moved in on the well if you haven't already.

Thanks,  
**Matthew Kade**  
Petroleum Engineer  
BLM - Farmington Field Office  
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NMOCD verbal approval is given with prior approval from the BLM.

Please let me know action id when noi is submitted through e-permitting

Thank you

Monica Kuehling  
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***A complete NOI on the AFMSS system will be submitted asap. We have Rig Aztec 481 moved on location and spotted equipments as of 3:00 PM, 01/22/2024. We will begin drilling out cement & re-entry once a verbal/email approval is given from BLM & OCD. Please see draft of NOI, Schematic & formation tops attached.***

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Engineering Supervisor

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CONDITIONS  
  
Action 306688

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Operator: DUGAN PRODUCTION CORP PO Box 420 Farmington, NM 87499	OGRID: 6515
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mkuehling	Contact NMOCD after CBL ran for discussion on plan forward	1/23/2024