

U.S. Department of the Interior BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Sundry Print Repor

Well Name: AXI APACHE A Well Location: T23N / R5W / SEC 10 / County or Parish/State: RIO

> NENE / 36.243888 / -107.344467 ARRIBA / NM

Well Number: 9 Type of Well: CONVENTIONAL GAS Allottee or Tribe Name:

JICARILLA APACHE

Lease Number: JIC77 **Unit or CA Name: Unit or CA Number:** 

**US Well Number: 3003905109** Operator: DJR OPERATING LLC Well Status: Producing Gas Well

#### **Notice of Intent**

**Sundry ID: 2653802** 

Type of Submission: Notice of Intent Type of Action: Plug and Abandonment

Date Sundry Submitted: 01/24/2022 Time Sundry Submitted: 09:40

Date proposed operation will begin: 01/24/2022

Procedure Description: This NOI to P&A is being submitted for engineering & geological review per Dave M. of the BLM prior to onsite inspection. A Reclamation Plan will be submitted on a subsequent sundry at a later date. DJR Operating, LLC requests permission to Plug & Abandon the subject well according to the attached Procedure, Current & Proposed Wellbore Diagram.

## **Surface Disturbance**

Is any additional surface disturbance proposed?: No

### **NOI Attachments**

# **Procedure Description**

AXI\_Apache\_A\_9\_Current\_WBD\_20220124094002.pdf

AXI\_Apache\_A\_9\_Proposed\_WBD\_20220124094001.pdf

PXA\_Procedure\_AXI\_Apache\_A\_9\_20220124094001.pdf

AXI\_Apache\_A\_9\_BIA\_Rationale\_Form\_20220124094001.pdf

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# **Conditions of Approval**

#### **Additional Reviews**

General\_Requirement\_PxA\_20220210153650.pdf

 $2653802\_NOIA\_A\_9\_3003905109\_KR\_02102022\_20220210153629.pdf$ 

23N05W10\_AXI\_Apache\_A\_9\_KGR\_20220210095215.pdf

# **Operator Certification**

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 submission of Form 3160-5 or a Sundry Notice.

Operator Electronic Signature: SHAW-MARIE FORD Signed on: JAN 24, 2022 09:40 AM

Name: DJR OPERATING LLC

Title: Regulatory Specialist

Street Address: 1 Road 3263

City: Aztec State: NM

Phone: (505) 632-3476

Email address: sford@djrllc.com

# **Field Representative**

**Representative Name:** 

City: State: Zip:

Phone:

Email address:

**Street Address:** 

## **BLM Point of Contact**

Signature: Kenneth Rennick

BLM POC Name: KENNETH G RENNICK BLM POC Title: Petroleum Engineer

BLM POC Phone: 5055647742 BLM POC Email Address: krennick@blm.gov

**Disposition:** Approved **Disposition Date:** 02/10/2022

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### **Plug and Abandonment Procedure**

for

DJR Operating, LLC
AXI Apache A 9
API # 30-039-05109

NE/NE, Unit A, Sec. 10, T23N, R5W Rio Arriba County, NM

#### I.

- 1. Hold Pre job meeting, comply with all NMOCD, BLM and environmental regulations.
- 2. MIRU rig.
- 3. Check and record tubing, casing and bradenhead pressures.
- 4. Remove existing piping from casing valve, RU blow lines from casing valves and blow down casing pressure. Kill well as necessary. Ensure that well is dead or on a vacuum.
- 5. ND WH, NU BOP, function test BOP.
- 6. Trip out of hole with 1-1/2" tubing. LD tubing to be sent in for storage/salvage.

#### II.

- 7. PU bit and 4-1/2" casing scraper on workstring and make sure it will go past 2230'. TOOH.
- 8. PU and TIH with 4-1/2" CR. Set the CR at +/- 2230'. Pressure test tubing to 1000 psi, sting out of CR, roll hole, test casing to 600 psi. If casing does not test, contact engineering. TOOH.
- 9. MIRU logging truck. Run CBL log from CR to surface. Hold 600 psi on casing if possible. Electronic copy of CBL to be sent to Ken Rennick <a href="krennick@blm.gov">krennick@blm.gov</a>, Monica Kueling <a href="mailto:monica.kueling@state.nm.us">monica.kueling@state.nm.us</a>, Loren Diede <a href="mailto:ldiede@djrllc.com">ldiede@djrllc.com</a>, and <a href="mailto:slindsay@djrllc.com">slindsay@djrllc.com</a>. **Plugs may be adjusted per log results.**
- 10. RU cement equipment.

- 11. Plug 1. Pictured Cliffs perforations: Establish rate. Mix and attempt to squeeze 10 sx cement through CR. If zone pressures up, sting back out of CR. Spot sufficient cement on top of CR to bring TOC to 2038' inside casing. Pump water to ensure tubing is clear. TOOH.
- 12. Plug 2: Kirtland and Ojo Alamo tops: Based on CBL if required, perforate holes as directed by BLM/OCD. PU and TIH with CR to depth determined from CBL. Mix and squeeze sufficient cement to bring TOC to 1680' inside and outside. Depending on CBL results, it is possible that an inside balanced plug will be sufficient.
- 13. Plug 3. Nacimiento: Perforate holes at 475', or as directed by BLM Geologic Report. PU and TIH with 4-1/2" CR. Set CR at 425'. Mix and pump cement through CR inside and outside from 475-375'. Spot 50' on top of CR. Pump water to ensure tubing is clear. TOOH. If circulation is established through bradenhead, combining Plugs 3 and 4 (after consultation with BLM/NMOCD) may be considered.
- 14. Plug 4. Surface casing shoe, surface plug: Perforate holes at 253'. Tie on to 4 ½" casing and mix and pump cement inside and outside from 253' to surface.
- 15. RD cementing equipment. Cut off wellhead, fill any exposed annulus with cement, as necessary. **Install surface P&A marker as per BIA requirements.** Record GPS coordinates for P&A marker and the Final P&A Report. Photograph the P&A marker and attach to the report.
- 16. RD and MO all rig and cement equipment. Assure that location is free of trash and contamination before moving off.
- 17. Send all reports and attachments to DJR Aztec office for regulatory filings.

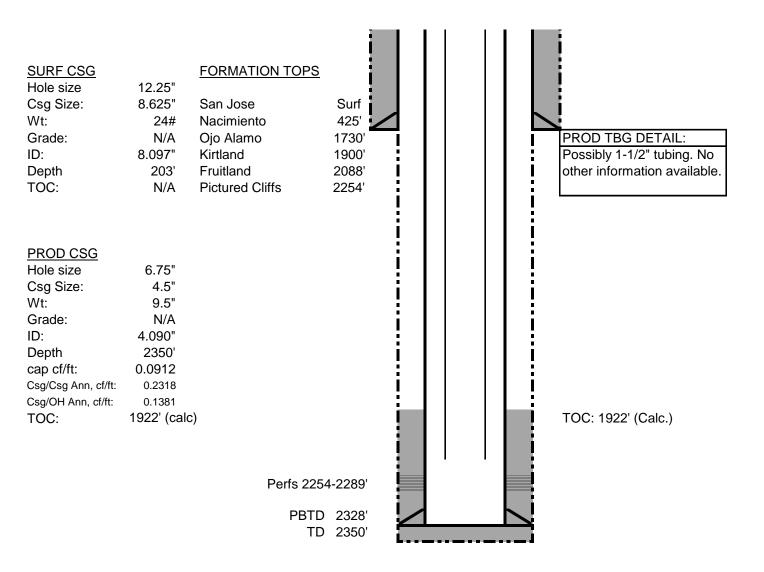
Note: All cement is to be Class G mixed at 15.8 ppg, yield 1.15 cu ft / sx. Cement volumes are based on inside capacities + 50' excess and outside capacities + 100% excess.

Surface PxA marker it to be installed at surface, 12"x18", and exposed at the reclaimed GL surface.

Current Wellbore Diagram
DJR Operating, LLC
AXI Apache A 9
API # 30-039-05109
NE/NE, Unit A, Sec 10, T23N, R5W

Rio Arriba County, NM

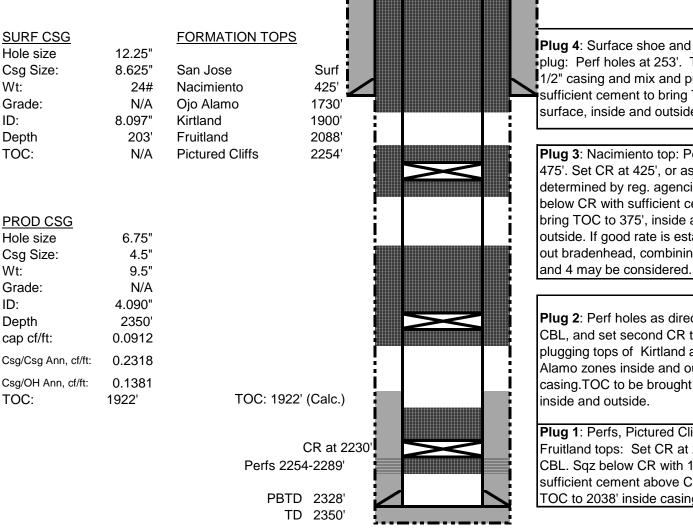
GL 6723' KB 6734' Spud Date 8/15/1965



# **Current Wellbore Diagram DJR Operating, LLC** AXI Apache A 9

API # 30-039-05109 NE/NE, Unit A, Sec 10, T23N, R5W **Rio Arriba County, NM** 

> GL 6723' ΚB 6734' Spud Date 8/15/1965



Plug 4: Surface shoe and surface plug: Perf holes at 253'. Tie onto 4-1/2" casing and mix and pump sufficient cement to bring TOC to surface, inside and outside.

Plug 3: Nacimiento top: Perf holes at 475'. Set CR at 425', or as determined by reg. agencies.. Sqz below CR with sufficient cement to bring TOC to 375', inside and outside. If good rate is established out bradenhead, combining Plugs 3

Plug 2: Perf holes as directed after CBL, and set second CR to enable plugging tops of Kirtland and Ojo Alamo zones inside and outside casing.TOC to be brought to 1680'

Plug 1: Perfs, Pictured Cliffs, and Fruitland tops: Set CR at 2230'. Run CBL. Sqz below CR with 10 sx. Spot sufficient cement above CR to bring TOC to 2038' inside casing.

# 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 <u>minimum general</u> 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.

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- 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  $H_2S$ .
- 8.0 Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file a Sundry Notice, Subsequent Report of Abandonment (Form 3160-5), five copies, 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). 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.

(October 2012 Revision)

# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT FARMINGTON DISTRICT OFFICE

6251 COLLEGE BLVD. FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO 87402

AFMSS 2 Sundry ID 2653802

Attachment to notice of Intention to Abandon

Well: Axi Apache A 9

#### **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.

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.

K. Rennick 2/10/2022

# BLM FLUID MINERALS P&A Geologic Report

**Date Completed:** 02/09/2022

Vell No. AXI Apache A #9 (API# 30-039-05109)		Location	990	FSL	&	990	FEL
Lease No. JIC77	Sec. 10	T23	T23N		R05W		
Operator DJR Operating, LLC		County	Rio Arriba		State	New Mexico	
Total Depth 2328'	PBTD 2350'	Formation	Pictured Cliffs (Producing)				
Elevation (GL) 6723'	Elevation (KE	Elevation (KB) 6734'					

<b>Geologic Formations</b>	Est. Top	Est. Bottom	Log Top	Log Bottom	Remarks
San Jose Fm	Surface	425			Surface/freshwater sands
Nacimiento Fm	425	1730			Possible freshwater sands
Ojo Alamo Ss	1730	1900			Aquifer (possible freshwater)
Kirtland Shale	1900	2088			
Fruitland Fm	2088	2254			Coal/Gas/Possible water
Pictured Cliffs Ss	2254	PBTD			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: P & A

Reference Well:

- The plugs proposed in the P&A procedure will adequately protect any freshwater sands in this well bore.
- No raster logs to pick depths. Went with the operator tops. Appropriate for this area.
- Pictured Cliffs perfs 2254' 2289'.

Prepared by: Kenneth Rennick

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Phone: (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720 District II

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1220 S. St Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505 Phone:(505) 476-3470 Fax:(505) 476-3462

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

CONDITIONS

Action 80844

#### **CONDITIONS**

Operator:	OGRID:
DJR OPERATING, LLC	371838
1 Road 3263	Action Number:
Aztec, NM 87410	80844
	Action Type:
	[C-103] NOI Plug & Abandon (C-103F)

#### CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
kpickford	CBL required	2/15/2022
kpickford	Adhere to BLM approved COAs and plugs. See GEO report.	2/15/2022
kpickford	Notify NMOCD 24 Hours Prior to beginning operations	2/15/2022