



U.S. Department of the Interior  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

## Sundry Print Report

09/03/2024

**Well Name:** FEDERAL E**Well Location:** T27N / R8W / SEC  
25 / NWNW / 36.549647 /  
-107.642193**County or Parish/State:**  
SAN JUAN / NM**Well Number:** 4**Type of Well:** CONVENTIONAL GAS  
WELL**Allottee or Tribe Name:****Lease Number:** NMSF078480**Unit or CA Name:****Unit or CA Number:****US Well Number:**  
300452346600S1**Operator:** EPIC ENERGY LLC

### Notice of Intent

**Sundry ID:** 2808250**Type of Submission:** Notice of Intent**Type of Action:** Plug and Abandonment**Date Sundry Submitted:** 08/23/2024**Time Sundry Submitted:** 12:01**Date proposed operation will begin:**  
08/23/2024**Procedure Description:** Please see attached P&A Procedure. Reclamation Plan is attached. On-site was conducted with Abiodun Adeloye on July 12, 2024.

### Surface Disturbance

**Is any additional surface disturbance proposed?:** No

### NOI Attachments

**Procedure Description**

NOI\_P\_A\_Federal\_E\_\_004.\_20240823120004.pdf

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### Conditions of Approval

#### Additional

2808250\_NOIA\_E\_4\_3004523466\_KR\_08302024\_20240830111253.pdf

General\_Requirement\_PxA\_20240830111237.pdf

Federal\_E\_No\_4\_Geo\_Rpt\_20240829151918.pdf

### 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: SHAWNA MARTINEZ

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### BLM Point of Contact

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: 08/30/2024

Signature: Kenneth Rennick

**P&A Procedure**  
**EPIC Energy – Federal E #4**

Otero Chacra

800' FNL & 500 FWL, Section 25, T27N, R8W

San Juan Co, New Mexico, API #30-045-23466

**Plug & Abandonment Procedure:**

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**Note:** All cement volumes use 100% excess outside casing and 50' excess inside pipe. Stabilizing wellbore fluid will be 8.33 ppg, sufficient to balance all exposed formation pressures. All cement will be ASTM Class G neat 1.15 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk or equivalent. If casing pressure tests or the hole stays full (static) tagging plugs will not be required. Records indicate that cement was circulated to surface on both surface and production casing strings. Volumes calculated off 4-1/2", 9.5#, K55 casing.

**Prior to Mobilization**

1. Notify BLM & NMOCD 48 hrs before moving on to location to start P&A operations.
2. Verify all cement volumes based on actual slurry to be pumped. Calculations based on 1.15 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk.
3. Comply with all COA's from BLM and NMOCD

**P&A Procedure**

1. MIRU pulling unit/workover rig, cement equipment, clean up tank and related surface equipment.  
Note: Monitor and record BH pressures throughout P&A job.
  2. ND WH, NU BOP, RU rig floor and 1-1/2" handling tools.
  3. POOH, laying down 1-1/2" IJ tubing.
  4. PU 2-3/8" work string & TIH with 4 1/2" casing scraper to 2952' (top perf) . TOOH LD 4 1/2" scraper.
  5. TIH with CICR and set @ ~ 2902' (50' above Chacra top perf) . Roll hole with fresh water. PT tubing to 500 psi. PT casing to 500 psi. TOH.
  6. MIRU WL to run CBL, send copy to NMOCD.
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1. **Plug #1, 2902' - 2852' (Chacra: Perfs 2952' - 3284'):** Sting out of CICR, mix and pump 4 sxs (4.6 cf) Class G Neat, leaving 50' on top of retainer. PU 200' above plug reverse circulate to clean tubing. WOC and tag plug if hole is not staying full.
  2. **Plug #2, 2192'-1848' (PC Top 2142', Fruitland Top: 1948'):** Mix & spot 28 sx (32.2 ft<sup>3</sup>) Class G neat cement in balanced plug. PUH 200' above plug and reverse circulate tubing clean. WOC and tag plug if hole is not staying full.

3. **Plug #3, 1365' – 1515' (Kirtland : 1465'):** Mix and spot 12 sx (13.8 ft<sup>3</sup>) Class G neat cement in balanced plug. PUH 100' above plug and reverse circulate tubing clean. WOC and tag plug if hole is not staying full (static). Re-spot cement if necessary.
4. **Plug #4, 630' – 780' (Ojo Alamo top: 730'):** Mix and spot 12 sx (13.8 ft<sup>3</sup>) Class G neat cement in balanced plug. PUH 100' above plug and reverse circulate tubing clean. WOC and tag plug if hole is not staying full (static). Re-spot cement if necessary.
5. **Plug #5, Surface – 262'.** If required, shoot 2 holes at 262' and attempt to circulate out BH. Otherwise, mix and pump 28 sx (32.2 ft<sup>3</sup>) or until cement circulates to surface. Top off cement as necessary.
7. ND BOP and cut off wellhead below surface casing flange, top off casing and annulus as necessary. Install P&A marker and cut off and/or remove anchors. RD, MOL. Notify BLM prior to reclamation phase.

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John Thompson

Engineer



Well/Facility:	Federal E#4	Well Status:	Producing
Operator:	Epic Energy	Orig Oper:	AAA Operating Co, Inc
Lease/Op Agmt:	SF-078480	KB:	
Field:	Otero Chacra	API #:	30-045-23466
County:	San Juan	GR/KB:	5968'GR
State:	NM	TD:	3350'
Spud:	5/21/1979	PBTD:	
Comp. Date:	8/6/1979	WI:	
1st Prod:		NRI:	
Wellhead Conn:	Rector Type "R" Nom 8" Body x 8-5/8" OD Female		
Surface Loc:	800'FNL & 500' FWL		
Sec-Twn-Rge:	D, Sec 25, T27N, R8W		
Pumper:			
Foreman:			
Anchor's Tested			
Notes:			

Date Drawn: April 2024 (RM)

Casing Record							
Surface							
OD	WT/FT	GRADE	Top	Bottom	Thread	Bit Size	
8-5/8"	24#		0	212'	ST&C	12-3/4"	
Production							
OD	WT/FT	GRADE	Top	Bottom	Thread	Bit Size	200sx
4.5"	9.5		0	3350'	ST&C	6-3/4"	353sx

	Cement	
String/Stage	Cement Type and Volume	TOC/Method
Surface	Lead: 200sx Tail:	Not Reported
1st Stage Production	Lead: 353sx Tail:	Not Reported
2nd Stage Production	Lead: N/A Tail:	

Tubing Record						
Size:	1-1/2"		Depth:	3165'		
Grade:	NR		SN:	B&R		
Thread:	IJ					

NR="Not Reported"									
Rod Detail									

Perforations (Depth, SPF, EHD)
2952', 3075', 81', 3101', 11', 22', 45', 49', 53', 96', 3230', 38', 41', 81', 84', 15 total perforations. 1SPF 0.33 EHD

Stimulation Detail
300 gal 15% HCl Acid, Frac w/45,000 gal of water 1% KCl & 45,000lbs of 20/40 sand

PBTD:	
TD: 3350' KB	

Production Tubing Detail						
	Length	WT			Top	Bottom
KB Adjustment	5.00					5.00
						5.00
						5.00
						5.00
						5.00

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	Rod Detail - UNK					
					Top	Bottom
Pump details - UNK						

Pumping Unit:		Gear Sheave:	
API Designation:		Stroke Length:	
Samson Post SN:		Gear Ratio:	
Gear Box SN:		SPM:	
Structural Unbalance:		Horse Power:	
Power:		Volts:	
Power SN:		Amps:	
Sheave Size:		Belts:	

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

AFMSS 2 Sundry ID 2808250

Attachment to notice of Intention to Abandon

Well: Federal E 4

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. The following modifications to your plugging program are to be made:
  - a. Modify the TOC for Plug 2 to 1740' to account for the BLM geologist's pick for the Fruitland top.
  - b. Combine Plug 3 and 4 to make the BOC 1160' and the TOC 630' to entirely cover the Ojo Alamo and to account for the BLM geologist's pick for the Kirtland top.
3. 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 08/30/2024



**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). 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 - FFO - Geologic Report****Date Completed** 8/29/2024Well No. Federal E No 4  
Lease No. NMSF078480Surf. Loc. 800  
SecFNL 500  
8 T27N  
FWL 8WOperator Epic Energy Inc.  
TVD: 3350  
Elevation GLPBSD: 3350  
5968County: San Juan  
Formation: Otero Chacra  
Elevation: Est. KB 5983

State New Mexico

<b>Geologic Formations</b>	<b>Est. tops</b>	<b>Subsea Elev.</b>
Nacimiento Fm.	Surface	
Ojo Alamo Ss	730	5253
Kirtland Fm.	1110	4873
Fruitland Fm.	1840	4143
Pictured Cliffs	2142	3841
Lewis Shale	2215	3768

**Remarks**  
Surface /fresh water sands  
Fresh water aquifer  
  
Coal/gas/possible water  
Possible gas/water  
Source rockRemarks:

-Vertical wellbore, all formation depths are TVD from KB at the wellhead.

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Reference Well:

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Prepared by: Walter Gage

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**District IV**  
1220 S. St Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505  
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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**

CONDITIONS  
  
Action 381164

CONDITIONS

Operator: EPIC ENERGY, L.L.C. 332 Road 3100 Aztec, NM 87410	OGRID: 372834
	Action Number: 381164
	Action Type: [C-103] NOI Plug & Abandon (C-103F)

CONDITIONS

Created By	Condition	Condition Date
mkuehling	NMOCD calls Chacra top at 3144 - cement plug should be ran across chacra top 50 feet below 100 feet above - not required to tag due to perforations - can run in open ended - Notify NMOCD 24 hours prior to moving on - monitor string pressures daily report on subsequent - submit all logs prior to subsequent	9/18/2024