

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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

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.

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5. Lease Serial No.
NMNM-36585

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No.
Bisti Gallup 29-11

9. API Well No.
30-045-34157

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area
Bisti Lower-Gallup

11. County or Parish, State
San Juan County

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side

1. Oil Well Gas Well Other

2. Name of Operator
ELM RIDGE EXPLORATION CO LLC

3a. Address
PO BOX 156 BLOOMFIELD NM 87413

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
505-632-3476 EXT 201

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
"K" - Sec.29-T25N-R12W
1960' FSL X 1980' FWL

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"/> Production (Start/Resume)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing
	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation
	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair
	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction
	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Change Plans
	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon
	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection
	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Drilling Extension

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 recomplete 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 recompletion 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 Exploration Co LLC would like to request an extension to finish drilling this well until June 30th, 2013. WPX is currently drilling a horizontal well in that area. We may choose to change our drilling plan on that well pending the results of the WPX well. If the horizontal well is not economical we will proceed with a vertical well.

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OIL CONS. DIV.
DIST. 3

Accepted for Record ^{SP}

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

Name (Printed/Typed) Amy Mackey Title Sr. Regulatory Supervisor

Signature [Signature] Date January 14, 2013

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE USE

Approved by Original Signed: Stephen Mason Title Date JAN 23 2013

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)

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