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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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FORM APPROVED  
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**SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS**  
*Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.*

Farmington Field Office  
Bureau of Land Management

5. Lease Serial No. F-078362  
6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name  
7. If Unit of CA/Agreement, Name and/or No. NMNM 132829  
8. Well Name and No. NE Chaco Com #179H  
9. API Well No. 30-039-31190  
10. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area Chaco Unit NE HZ  
11. Country or Parish, State Rio Arriba, NM

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2.

1. Type of Well  
 Oil Well  Gas Well  Other  
2. Name of Operator WPX Energy Production, LLC  
3a. Address PO Box 640 Aztec, NM 87410  
3b. Phone No. (include area code) 505-333-1808  
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)  
SHL: 1680' FSL & 591' FWL SEC 6 23N 6W  
BHL: 369' FSL & 229' FWL SEC 1 23N 7W

12. CHECK THE 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"/> Deepen           | <input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume) | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report           | <input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing         | <input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat   | <input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation               | <input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice    | <input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair        | <input type="checkbox"/> New Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <b>EMERGENCY FLARE EXTENSION (1st)</b> |
|  | <input 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            |  |

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation: 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 must 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 must be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

WPX Energy requests authorization to flare the **NE Chaco Com #179H** if a potential cross flow event may occur as a result of a nearby Frac activity on the **NE Chaco Com # 254H, 255H, 264H, & 265H**. If a cross flow event on the well results in nitrogen content above Williams pipeline standards, flaring may begin as soon as **6/30/15 for 30 days**, given approval. A gas sample will be collected upon the confirmation of the cross flow and sent to a third party for results of the gas analysis. The gas analysis will submitted upon receipt.

OIL CONS. DIV DIST. 3

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.  
Name (Printed/Typed) Marie E. Jaramillo  
Title Permit Tech III  
Signature *Marie E. Jaramillo* Date *6/24/15*

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by *[Signature]* Title *AFM* Date *6/25/15*  
Office *FFO*

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## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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Farmington, New Mexico 87402  
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In Reply Refer To:

## Conditions of Approval:

**NE CHACO COM #179H**

**Section 6-23N-6W**

**Lease No. NMSF078362**

- Flaring is authorized pursuant to NTL 4A Part III A and IV B. As such, no royalty obligation will be incurred during the clean-up period. The flared volumes must be reported on your Oil and Gas Operations Reports (OGORs) during the flaring period.
- Flaring will be authorized until July 30, 2015. If additional time is required, please contact this office accordingly.
- Please take appropriate and necessary safety precautions at this well site during the flaring period.