

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0137  
Expires: March 31, 2007

**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.*

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other Instructions on page 2**

1. Type of Well  
☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator  
**Black Hills Gas Resources**

3a. Address  
**3200 N 1st Street PO Box 249 Bloomfield, NM 87413**

3b. Phone (include area code)  
**505-634-1111 ext 27**

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)  
**Surface: 1,785' FSL 1,260' FEL NE/SE Sec. 24 T29N R3W Unit I**

5. Lease Serial No.  
**MDA 701-98-0013, Tract 1**

6. If Indian, Allottee, or Tribe Name  
**Jicarilla Apache**

7. If Unit or CA. Agreement Name and/or No.

8. Well Name and No.  
**Jicarilla 29-03-24 #34**

9. API Well No.  
**30-039-29499**

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory Area  
**La Jara Canyon, Tertiary**

11. County or Parish, State  
**Rio Arriba, New Mexico**

CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(S) 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"/> Altering 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
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	<b>Convert undrilled</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	<b>PC to SJ well</b>

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 or pertinent markers and sands. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with the 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 Notice 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.)

The initial APD to drill a Picture Cliffs (PC) well was approved on August 1, 2006. The well was given API number 30-039-29499. After evaluation of drilling data in the immediate area, BHGR has determined that this well is best drilled to the San Jose formation. BHGR is submitting an updated drilling plan, and a revised C-102, to change the well from a PC to a San Jose.

Surface disturbance will not change from the initial APD, therefore the Surface Use Plan will not be updated or modified.

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DIST. 3

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

Name (Printed/ Typed) **Lynn H. Benally** Title **Regulatory Specialist**

Signature *[Signature]* Date **9/6/2007**

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by *[Signature]* Title **Petr. Eng.** Date **9/13/07**

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.

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 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 page 2)

OPERATOR

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## Black Hills Gas Resources

### Jicarilla 29-03-24 #34

Surface: 1785' FSL 1,260' FEL NE/SE

Sec 24 T29N R3W Unit I

Rio Arriba County, New Mexico

Lease: MDA 701-98-0013, Tract 1

### DRILLING PROGRAM

(Per Rule 320)

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) was initiated under the NOS process as stated in Onshore Order No. 1 and supporting Bureau of Land Management (BLM) documents. This APD process includes an onsite meeting which was held on October 14, 2004 as determined by Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) and Jicarilla Oil & Gas Administration (JOGA), and at which time the specific concerns of Black Hills Gas Resources (BHGR) were discussed.

This well was recently sundried and approved as a horizontal Pictured Cliff well on October 10, 2006. This new drilling plan addresses changing the un-drilled Pictured Cliffs well to a vertical San Jose well.

SURFACE FORMATION – San Jose

GROUND ELEVATION – 7,067'

ESTIMATED FORMATION TOPS - (Water, oil, gas and/or other mineral-bearing formations)

San Jose                      Surface              Sandstone, shales & siltstones

Nacimiento                1,977'              Sandstone, shales & siltstones

**TOTAL DEPTH            3,000'            TD**

Estimated depths of anticipated fresh water, oil, or gas:

Nacimiento                1,977'              Gas

### CASING PROGRAM

Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Weight and Grade	Cement
0-250' TVD	12-1/4"	7"	J-55 20# ST&C New	To surface (± 175 sxs ClassB) **
0' - TD	6-1/4"	4-1/2"	J-55 10.5# ST&C New	TD to surface (± 630 sxs lite or 65:35 poz and ± 270 sxs 50:50 poz) *

\* Actual cement volume to be determined by caliper log.

All fresh water and prospectively valuable minerals encountered during drilling will be recorded by depth and protected.

PRESSURE CONTROL

BOPs and choke manifold will be installed and pressure tested before drilling out under surface casing (subsequent pressure test will be performed whenever pressure seals are broken), and then will be checked daily as to mechanical operating condition. BOP's will be pressure tested at least once every 30 days. Ram type preventors and related pressure control equipment will be pressure tested to 1,000 psi. Annular type preventor will be pressure tested to 50% of the rated working pressure, not to exceed 1,000 psi. All casing strings will be pressure tested to 0.22 psi/ft. or 1,000 psi, whichever is greater, not to exceed 70% of internal yield.

BOP to be either double gate rams or an annular preventor as per Onshore Order No. 2.

Statement on Accumulator System and Location of Hydraulic Controls

The drilling rig has not yet been selected for this well. Selection will take place after approval of this application. Manual and/or hydraulic controls will be in compliance with Onshore Order No. 2 for 2M systems.

A remote accumulator will be used. Pressures, capacities, location of remote hydraulic and manual controls will be identified at the time of the BLM supervised BOP test.

MUD PROGRAM

0'	-	250'	Fresh water – M.W. 8.5 ppg, Vis 30-33
250'	-	TD'	Fresh water - Low solids non-dispersed
			M.W. 8.5 – 9.2 ppg
			Vis – 28 – 50 sec
			W.L. 15cc or less

Sufficient mud materials to maintain mud properties, control lost circulation and to contain "kick" will be available at well site.

AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT

- A) A Kelly cock will be kept in the drill string at all times
- B) Inside BOP or stab-in valve (available on rig floor)
- C) Mud monitoring will be visually observed

LOGGING, CORING, TESTING PROGRAM

- A) Logging: DIL- CNL-FDC-GR - TD - BSC (GR to surface)  
Sonic (BSC to TD)
- B) Coring: None
- C) Testing: Possible DST – None anticipated. Drill stem tests may be run on shows of interest

ABNORMAL CONDITIONS

- A) Pressures: No abnormal conditions are anticipated  
Bottom hole pressure gradient – 0.31 psi/ft
- B) Temperatures: No abnormal conditions are anticipated
- C) H<sub>2</sub>S: See attached H<sub>2</sub>S plan in event H<sub>2</sub>S is encountered.
- D) Estimated bottomhole pressure: 930 psi
- E) Centralizers

Centralizers	
1.	Near surface
2.	-1 each at middle of bottom joint, second joint
2	-1 each at every other joint, 80' spacing
5	Total centralized ± 240 feet (10 feet – 250 feet)
<b>** Note that field experience indicates that additional centralizers greatly increase the chance of "sticking" the surface casing prior to reaching surface casing total depth.</b>	

ANTICIPATED START DATE

September 10, 2007

COMPLETION

The location pad will be of sufficient size to accommodate all completion activities and equipment. A string of 2-3/8" J-55 4.7# tubing will be run for a flowing string. A Sundry Notice will be submitted with a revised completion program if warranted.

DISTRICT I  
1626 N. French Dr., Hobbs, N.M. 88240

DISTRICT II  
1301 W. Grand Ave., Artesia, N.M. 88210

DISTRICT III  
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Artec, N.M. 87410

DISTRICT IV  
1220 South St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department  
**OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-102  
Revised June 10, 2003  
Submit to Appropriate District Office  
State Lease - 4 Copies  
Fee Lease - 3 Copies

☐ AMENDED REPORT

**WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT**

*API Number 30-039-29499		*Pool Code 97036	*Pool Name LA JARA CANYON, TERTIARY
*Property Code 35403	*Property Name JICARILLA 29-03-24		*Well Number 34
*OGRID No. 013925	*Operator Name BLACK HILLS GAS RESOURCES		*Elevation 7067'

**10 Surface Location**

UL or lot no. 1	Section 24	Township 29-N	Range 3-W	Lot Idn	Feet from the 1785	North/South line SOUTH	Feet from the 1260	East/West line EAST	County RIO ARRIBA
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**11 Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface**

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
*Dedicated Acres 160 - SE 1/4		*Joint or Infill		*Consolidation Code		*Order No.			

NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED  
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

16			FD. 2 1/2" BC. U.S.G.L.O. 1917	17	<b>OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</b> I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief	
	LAT. 36°42'30.5"N LONG. 107°05'51.7"	(NAD 83) W (NAD 83)			Signature <i>Lynn H. Benally</i> Printed Name Lynn H. Benally Title Regulatory Specialist Date 9/6/07	
					18 <b>SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</b> I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief	
					Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor 14831 Certificate Number	
CALC'D CORNER FROM G.L.O.	S 89-56-00 W	5273.39' (C)	FD. MARKED STONE			