

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

Department
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-144

July 21, 2008

For temporary pits, closed-loop systems, and below-grade tanks, submit to the appropriate NMOCD District Office

For permanent pits and exceptions submit to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office and provide a copy to the appropriate NMOCD District Office

**Pit, Closed-Loop System, Below-Grade Tank, or
Proposed Alternative Method Permit or Closure Plan Application**

- Type of action:
- ☐ Permit of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
- ☐ Closure of a pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method
- ☐ Modification to an existing permit
- ☒ Closure plan only submitted for an existing permitted or non-permitted pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank, or proposed alternative method

Instructions: Please submit one application (Form C-144) per individual pit, closed-loop system, below-grade tank or alternative request

Please be advised that approval of this request does not relieve the operator of liability should operations result in pollution of surface water, ground water or the environment. Nor does approval relieve the operator of its responsibility to comply with any other applicable governmental authority's rules, regulations or ordinances.

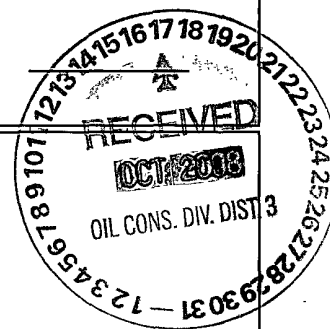
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Operator: Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company, LP OGRID#: 14538
Address: PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499
Facility or well name: Helms Federal 1G
API Number: 30-045-34654 OCD Permit Number: _____
U/L or Qtr/Qtr: C(NENW) Section: 22 Township: 30N Range: 10W County: San Juan
Center of Proposed Design: Latitude: 36.80209' N Longitude: 107.87469' W NAD: ☐ 1927 ☒ 1983
Surface Owner: ☒ Federal ☐ State ☐ Private ☐ Tribal Trust or Indian Allotment

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☒ **Pit:** Subsection F or G of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Temporary: ☒ Drilling ☐ Workover
☐ Permanent ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A
☒ Lined ☐ Unlined Liner type: Thickness 20 mil ☒ LLDPE ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other _____
☒ String-Reinforced
Liner Seams: ☒ Welded ☒ Factory ☐ Other _____ Volume: 4400 bbl Dimensions L 65' x W 45' x D 10'

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☐ **Closed-loop System:** Subsection H of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Type of Operation: ☐ P&A ☐ Drilling a new well ☐ Workover or Drilling (Applies to activities which require prior approval of a permit or notice of intent)
☐ Drying Pad ☐ Above Ground Steel Tanks ☐ Haul-off Bins ☐ Other _____
☐ Lined ☐ Unlined Liner type: Thickness _____ mil ☐ LLDPE ☐ HDPE ☐ PVD ☐ Other _____
Liner Seams: ☐ Welded ☐ Factory ☐ Other _____

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☐ **Below-grade tank:** Subsection I of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
Volume _____ bbl Type of fluid: _____
Tank Construction material: _____
☐ Secondary containment with leak detection ☐ Visible sidewalls, liner, 6-inch lift and automatic overflow shut-off
☐ Visible sidewalls and liner ☐ Visible sidewalls only ☐ Other _____
Liner Type: Thickness _____ mil ☐ HDPE ☐ PVC ☐ Other _____

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☐ **Alternative Method:**
Submittal of an exception request is required. Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.



6	<p>Fencing: Subsection D of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (<i>Applies to permanent pit, temporary pits, and below-grade tanks</i>)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Chain link, six feet in height, two strands of barbed wire at top (<i>Required if located within 1000 feet of a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution or church</i>)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Four foot height, four strands of barbed wire evenly spaced between one and four feet</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alternate Please specify <u>4' hogwire fence with a single strand of barbed wire on top.</u></p>																				
7	<p>Netting: Subsection E of 19.15.17.11 NMAC (<i>Applies to permanent pits and permanent open top tanks</i>)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Screen <input type="checkbox"/> Netting <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Monthly inspections (<i>If netting or screening is not physically feasible</i>)</p>																				
8	<p>Signs: Subsection C of 19.15.17.11 NMAC</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 12" X 24", 2" lettering, providing Operator's name, site location, and emergency telephone numbers</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Signed in compliance with 19.15.3.103 NMAC</p>																				
9	<p>Administrative Approvals and Exceptions:</p> <p>Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17 NMAC for guidance.</p> <p><i>Please check a box if one or more of the following is requested, if not leave blank:</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Administrative approval(s). Requests must be submitted to the appropriate division district of the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Exception(s): Requests must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval.</p>																				
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Siting criteria does not apply to drying pads or above grade-tanks associated with a closed-loop system.</i></p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 75%;"> <p>Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the temporary pit, permanent pit, or below-grade tank.</p> <p>- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells</p> </td> <td style="width: 25%; text-align: right;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No </td> </tr> <tr> <td> <p>Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other watercourse, lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark).</p> <p>- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site</p> </td> <td style="text-align: right;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No </td> </tr> <tr> <td> <p>Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.</p> <p>(<i>Applies to temporary, emergency, or cavitation pits and below-grade tanks</i>)</p> <p>- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site; 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Temporary Pits, Emergency Pits and Below-grade Tanks Permit Application Attachment Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☐ Hydrogeologic Report (Below-grade Tanks) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (4) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- ☐ Hydrogeologic Data (Temporary and Emergency Pits) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (2) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9
- ☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- ☐ Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- ☐ Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API _____ or Permit _____

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Closed-loop Systems Permit Application Attachment Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☐ Geologic and Hydrogeologic Data (only for on-site closure) - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (3) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9
- ☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations (only for on-site closure) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- ☐ Design Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- ☐ Closure Plan (Please complete Boxes 14 through 18, if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Previously Approved Design (attach copy of design) API _____

☐ Previously Approved Operating and Maintenance Plan API _____

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Permanent Pits Permit Application Checklist: Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC

Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the application. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

- ☐ Hydrogeologic Report - based upon the requirements of Paragraph (1) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.9 NMAC
- ☐ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC
- ☐ Climatological Factors Assessment
- ☐ Certified Engineering Design Plans - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Dike Protection and Structural Integrity Design: based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Leak Detection Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Liner Specifications and Compatibility Assessment - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Quality Control/Quality Assurance Construction and Installation Plan
- ☐ Operating and Maintenance Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.12 NMAC
- ☐ Freeboard and Overtopping Prevention Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC
- ☐ Nuisance or Hazardous Odors, including H₂S, Prevention Plan
- ☐ Emergency Response Plan
- ☐ Oil Field Waste Stream Characterization
- ☐ Monitoring and Inspection Plan
- ☐ Erosion Control Plan
- ☐ Closure Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection C of 19.15.17.9 NMAC and 19.15.17.13 NMAC

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Proposed Closure: 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Instructions: Please complete the applicable boxes, Boxes 14 through 18, in regards to the proposed closure plan.

Type: ☒ Drilling ☐ Workover ☐ Emergency ☐ Cavitation ☐ P&A ☐ Permanent Pit ☐ Below-grade Tank ☐ Closed-loop System
☐ Alternative

Proposed Closure Method: ☐ Waste Excavation and Removal
☐ Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)
☒ On-site Closure Method (only for temporary pits and closed-loop systems)
☒ In-place Burial ☐ On-site Trench
☐ Alternative Closure Method (Exceptions must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau for consideration)

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Waste Excavation and Removal Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

- ☐ Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings)
- ☐ Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specifications - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC
- ☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only: (19.15.17.13.D NMAC)

Instructions: Please identify the facility or facilities for the disposal of liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings. Use attachment if more than two facilities are required.

Disposal Facility Name: _____ Disposal Facility Permit #: _____

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Will any of the proposed closed-loop system operations and associated activities occur on or in areas that *will not* be used for future service and operations?

☐ Yes (If yes, please provide the information) ☐ No

Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:

☐ Soil Backfill and Cover Design Specification - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

Siting Criteria (Regarding on-site closure methods only): 19.15.17.10 NMAC

Instructions: Each siting criteria requires a demonstration of compliance in the closure plan. Recommendations of acceptable source material are provided below. Requests regarding changes to certain siting criteria may require administrative approval from the appropriate district office or may be considered an exception which must be submitted to the Santa Fe Environmental Bureau office for consideration of approval. Justifications and/or demonstrations of equivalency are required. Please refer to 19.15.17.10 NMAC for guidance.

Ground water is less than 50 feet below the bottom of the buried waste.

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ N/A

Ground water is between 50 and 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ N/A

Ground water is more than 100 feet below the bottom of the buried waste

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database search; USGS; Data obtained from nearby wells

☒ Yes ☐ No

☐ N/A

Within 300 feet of a continuously flowing watercourse, or 200 feet of any other significant watercourse or lakebed, sinkhole, or playa lake (measured from the ordinary high-water mark)

- Topographic map; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within 300 feet from a permanent residence, school, hospital, institution, or church in existence at the time of initial application.

- Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site, Aerial photo; satellite image

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within 500 horizontal feet of a private, domestic fresh water well or spring that less than five households use for domestic or stock watering purposes, or within 1000 horizontal feet of any other fresh water well or spring, in existence at the time of the initial application.

- NM Office of the State Engineer - iWATERS database; Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within incorporated municipal boundaries or within a defined municipal fresh water well field covered under a municipal ordinance adopted pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-27-3, as amended.

- Written confirmation or verification from the municipality, Written approval obtained from the municipality

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within 500 feet of a wetland

- US Fish and Wildlife Wetland Identification map; Topographic map, Visual inspection (certification) of the proposed site

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within the area overlying a subsurface mine.

- Written confirmation or verification or map from the NM EMNRD-Mining and Mineral Division

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within an unstable area.

- Engineering measures incorporated into the design; NM Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources, USGS; NM Geological Society; Topographic map

☐ Yes ☒ No

Within a 100-year floodplain.

- FEMA map

☐ Yes ☒ No

On-Site Closure Plan Checklist: (19.15.17.13 NMAC) *Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure plan. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.*

☒ Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstrations - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.10 NMAC

☒ Proof of Surface Owner Notice - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Construction/Design Plan of Burial Trench (if applicable) based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC

☐ Construction/Design Plan of Temporary Pit (for in place burial of a drying pad) - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.11 NMAC

☒ Protocols and Procedures - based upon the appropriate requirements of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☐ Confirmation Sampling Plan (if applicable) - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☒ Waste Material Sampling Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection F of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☒ Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number (for liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings or in case on-site closure standards cannot be achieved)

☒ Soil Cover Design - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection H of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☒ Re-vegetation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection I of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

☒ Site Reclamation Plan - based upon the appropriate requirements of Subsection G of 19.15.17.13 NMAC

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Operator Application Certification:

I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief

Name (Print): Crystal Tafoya Title: Regulatory Technician
 Signature: Crystal Tafoya Date: 10/16/08
 e-mail address: crystal.tafoya@conocophillips.com Telephone: 505-326-9837

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OCD Approval: ☐ Permit Application (including closure plan) ☒ Closure Plan (only) ☐ OCD Conditions (see attachment)OCD Representative Signature: [Signature] Approval Date: 10-29-08Title: Enviro/spec OCD Permit Number: _____

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Closure Report (required within 60 days of closure completion): Subsection K of 19 15 17 13 NMAC

Instructions: Operators are required to obtain an approved closure plan prior to implementing any closure activities and submitting the closure report. The closure report is required to be submitted to the division within 60 days of the completion of the closure activities. Please do not complete this section of the form until an approved closure plan has been obtained and the closure activities have been completed.

☐ Closure Completion Date: _____

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Closure Method:

☐ Waste Excavation and Removal ☐ On-site Closure Method ☐ Alternative Closure Method ☐ Waste Removal (Closed-loop systems only)
☐ If different from approved plan, please explain.

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Closure Report Regarding Waste Removal Closure For Closed-loop Systems That Utilize Above Ground Steel Tanks or Haul-off Bins Only:

Instructions: Please identify the facility or facilities for where the liquids, drilling fluids and drill cuttings were disposed. Use attachment if more than two facilities were utilized.

Disposal Facility Name: _____ Disposal Facility Permit Number: _____

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Were the closed-loop system operations and associated activities performed on or in areas that will not be used for future service and operations?

☐ Yes (If yes, please demonstrate compliance to the items below) ☐ No

Required for impacted areas which will not be used for future service and operations:

☐ Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)
☐ Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
☐ Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique

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Closure Report Attachment Checklist: Instructions: Each of the following items must be attached to the closure report. Please indicate, by a check mark in the box, that the documents are attached.

☐ Proof of Closure Notice (surface owner and division)
☐ Proof of Deed Notice (required for on-site closure)
☐ Plot Plan (for on-site closures and temporary pits)
☐ Confirmation Sampling Analytical Results (if applicable)
☐ Waste Material Sampling Analytical Results (if applicable)
☐ Disposal Facility Name and Permit Number
☐ Soil Backfilling and Cover Installation
☐ Re-vegetation Application Rates and Seeding Technique
☐ Site Reclamation (Photo Documentation)

On-site Closure Location: Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____ NAD ☐ 1927 ☐ 1983

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Operator Closure Certification:

I hereby certify that the information and attachments submitted with this closure report is true, accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that the closure complies with all applicable closure requirements and conditions specified in the approved closure plan.

Name (Print): _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

e-mail address: _____ Telephone: _____

**New Mexico Office of the State Engineer
POD Reports and Downloads**

Township: Range: Sections:

NAD27 X: Y: Zone: ☒ Search Radius:

County: ☒ Basin: ☒ Number: Suffix:

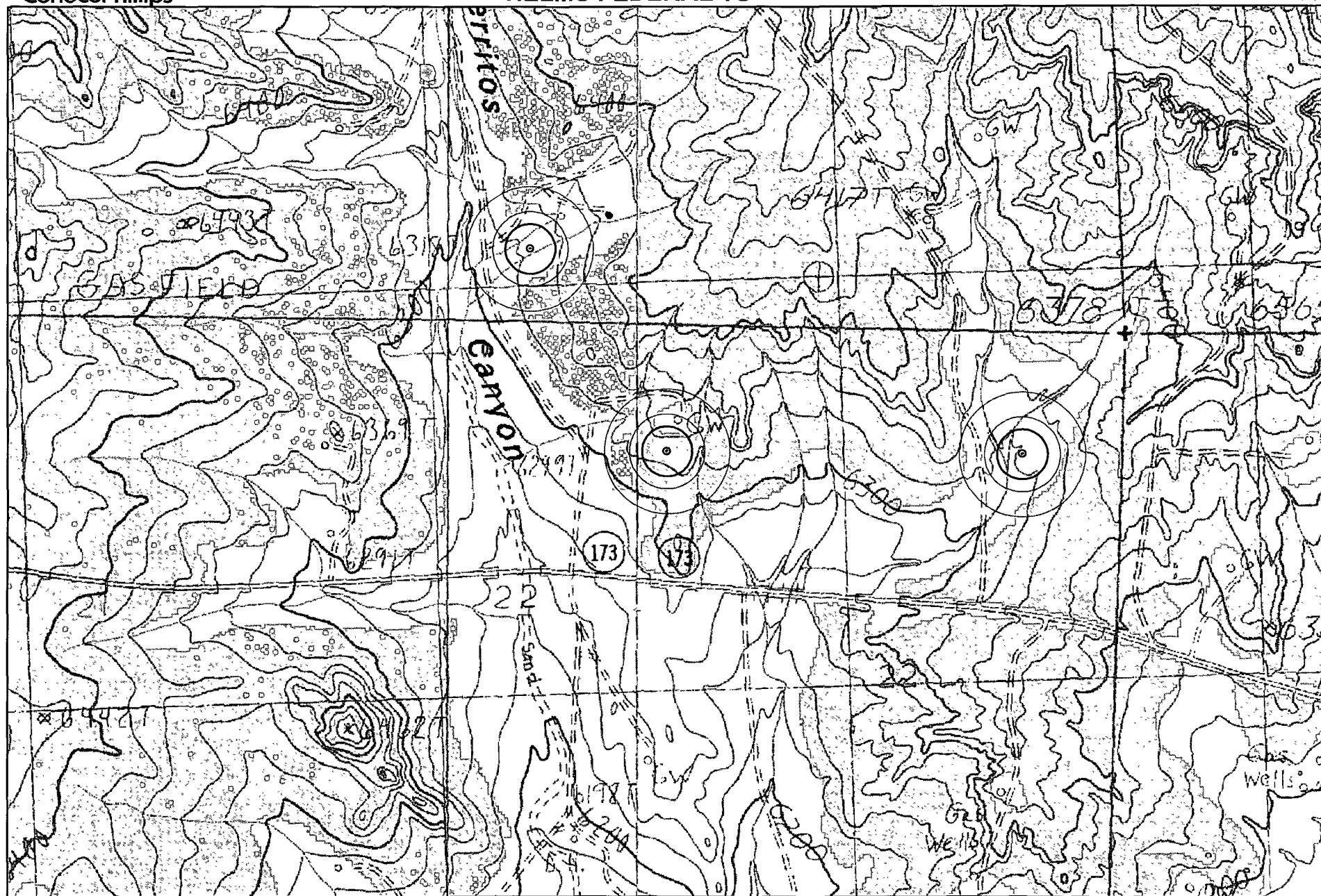
Owner Name: (First) (Last) ☐ Non-Domestic ☐ Domestic ☒ All

WATER COLUMN REPORT 08/21/2008

(quarters are 1=NW 2=NE 3=SW 4=SE)
(quarters are biggest to smallest)

POD Number	Tws	Rng	Sec	q	q	q	Zone	X	Y	Depth Well	Depth Water	Water Column	(in feet)
SJ 00050	30N	10W	02	1	3	2				520	306	214	
SJ 03460	30N	10W	02	1	3	2				520	500	20	
SJ 03230	30N	10W	03	1	2	1				120	70	50	
SJ 03113	30N	10W	05	4	1	4				42	30	12	
SJ 00589	30N	10W	08	1	1	1				175	150	25	
SJ 00774	30N	10W	08	1	2	1				195	160	35	
SJ 02316	30N	10W	08	1	3					210	98	112	
SJ 02102	30N	10W	08	1	3	4				190	90	100	
SJ 01527	30N	10W	08	2	2					120	60	60	
SJ 01193	30N	10W	08	2	2					100	70	30	
SJ 02808	30N	10W	08	2	3	4				165	105	60	
SJ 01102	30N	10W	08	2	4					200	159	41	
SJ 02998	30N	10W	08	3	3	1				260	117	143	
SJ 02772	30N	10W	08	4	2	2				200	160	40	
SJ 00523	30N	10W	08	4	4					160	120	40	
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SJ 02782	30N	10W	20	1	4	4				250			
SJ 02797	30N	10W	20	2	4	1				70			
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SJ 00051	30N	10W	23	2	4	2				305			
SJ 00197	30N	10W	23	4	2					975	500	475	
SJ 00010	30N	10W	24	2						292			
SJ 01116	30N	10W	33	2	1					105	45	60	
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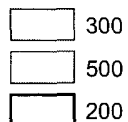
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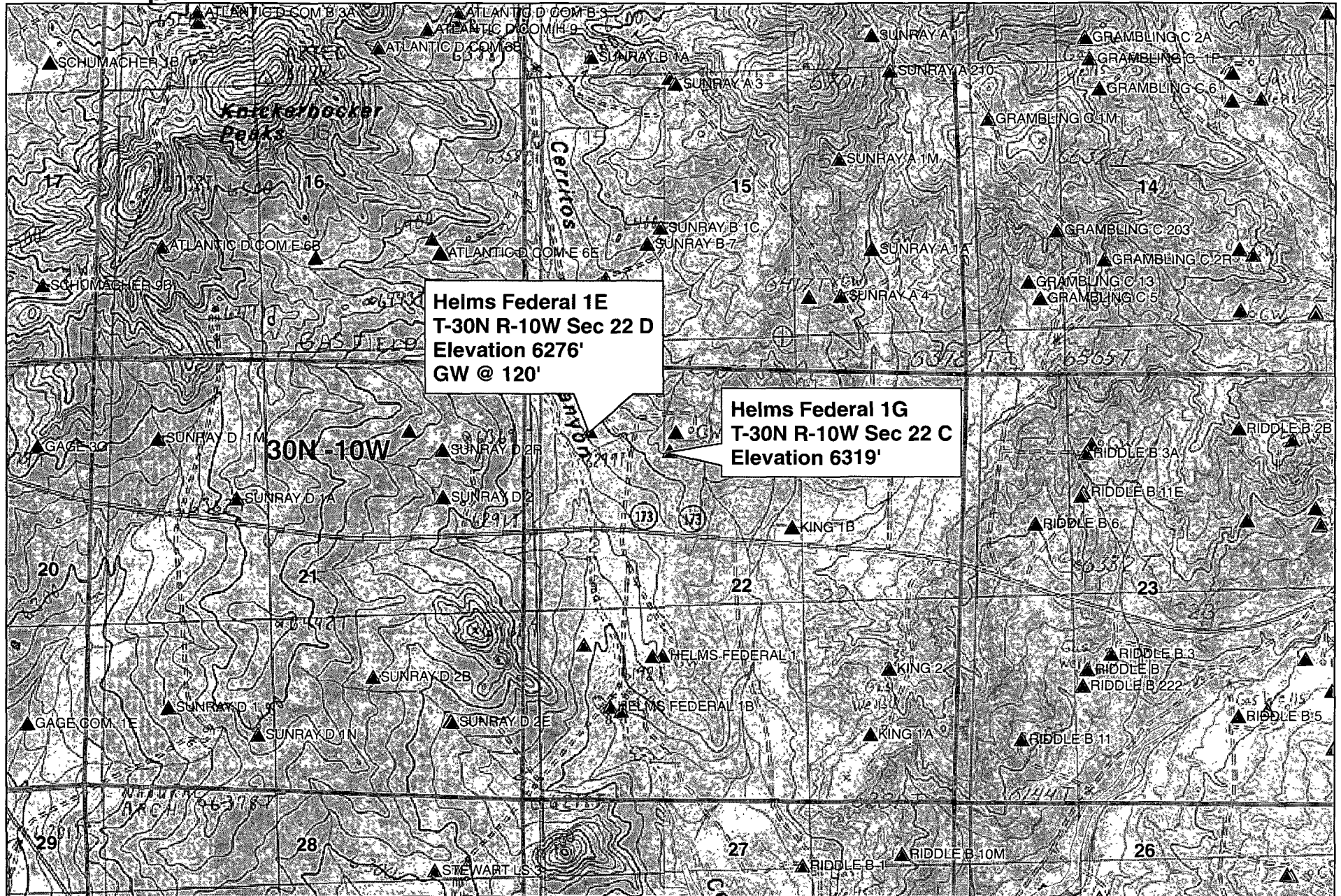
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Well Name: <i>Helms Fed.</i>	Location: <i>#1-E</i>	CPS #: <i>ser. # 87297</i>
Rectifier Model: <i>SWO I</i>	Rectifier Rating: <i>30/16</i>	Maximum Tap:
Hole Size: <i>6 3/4</i>	Hole TD: <i>300</i>	Drig Time:
Casing Used: <i>-</i>	Mud Used:	Coke Used: <i>1.6 ton</i>
Installation Date: <i>9-18-83</i>	Water Depth: <i>120 ft</i>	Final Resistance: <i>8.84</i>
In Service Date:	Current Demand:	Tap Setting:

Anode Depths

#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10
<i>275</i>	<i>260</i>	<i>250</i>	<i>240</i>	<i>230</i>	<i>220</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>200</i>	<i>190</i>	<i>155</i>

Anode Outputs (Amps)

#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10
<i>2.85</i>	<i>3.73</i>	<i>3.56</i>	<i>3.20</i>	<i>2.52</i>	<i>3.03</i>	<i>2.25</i>	<i>2.02</i>	<i>1.93</i>	<i>1.91</i>

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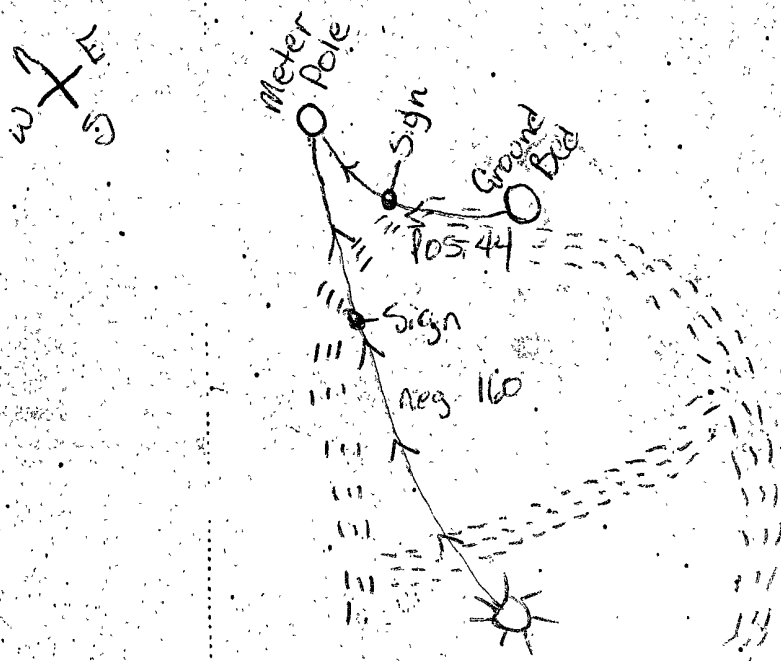
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Remarks:

No power to meter pole - line ext. needed.

Layout Sketch

 Representative



UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

SUBMIT IN DUPLICATE

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reverse side)Form approved,
Budget Bureau No. 4

WELL COMPLETION OR RECOMPLETION REPORT AND LOG *

1a. TYPE OF WELL:		OIL WELL <input type="checkbox"/>	GAS WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DRY <input type="checkbox"/>	Other _____		
b. TYPE OF COMPLETION:		NEW WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WORK OVER <input type="checkbox"/>	DEEP-EN <input type="checkbox"/>	PLUG BACK <input type="checkbox"/>	DIFF RESVR <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <u>AUG 31 RECD</u>
2. NAME OF OPERATOR		SUPRON ENERGY CORPORATION					
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR		P.O. Box 808, Farmington, New Mexico 87401					
4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements)*		At surface 805 ft./N ; 790 ft./W line At top prod. interval reported below Same as above At total depth Same as above					
15. DATE SPUDDED		16. DATE T.D. REACHED	17. DATE COMPL. (Ready to prod.)	18. ELEVATIONS (DF, RKB, RT, GR, ETC.)*		19. ELEV. CASINGHEAD	
5-28-81		6-13-81	8-21-81	6288 R.K.B.		6276	
20. TOTAL DEPTH, MD & TVD		21. PLUG, BACK T.D., MD & TVD	22. IF MULTIPLE COMPL, HOW MANY*	23. INTERVALS DRILLED BY	ROTARY TOOLS		CABLE TOOLS
7525 MD & TVD		7449 MD & TVD	---	---	0 - 7525		---
24. PRODUCING INTERVAL(S), OF THIS COMPLETION—TOP, BOTTOM, NAME (MD AND TVD)*		7247 - 7369 Dakota (MD & TVD)					25. WAS DIRECTIONAL SURVEY MADE
26. TYPE ELECTRIC AND OTHER LOGS RUN		Induction Electric and Compensated Density					27. WAS WELL CORED
28. CASING RECORD (Report all strings set in well)							No
29. LINER RECORD							No
30. TUBING RECORD							No
31. PERFORATION RECORD (Interval, size and number)		1 - 0.42" hole at each of the following depths: 7247, 48, 49, 55, 56, 59, 61, 62, 63, 65, 7338, 7340, 42, 44, 46, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 67, 69 (for a total of 25 holes).					32. ACID, SHOT, FRACTURE, CEMENT SQUEEZE, ETC.
33. PRODUCTION		DATE FIRST PRODUCTION					WELL STATUS (Producing or shut-in)
34. DISPOSITION OF GAS (Sold, used for fuel, vented, etc.)		Vented					TEST WITNESSED BY
35. LIST OF ATTACHMENTS							Bennie Brown

36. I hereby certify that the foregoing and attached information is complete and correct as determined from all available records

SIGNED Kenneth E. Roddy
Kenneth E. RoddyTITLE Production SuperintendentDATE AUG 24 1981
August 24, 1981

*(See Instructions and Spaces for Additional Data on Reverse Side)

OPERATOR

BY jm



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Helms Federal 1G Mines, Mills and Quarries Web Map

Mines, Mills & Quarries Commodity Groups

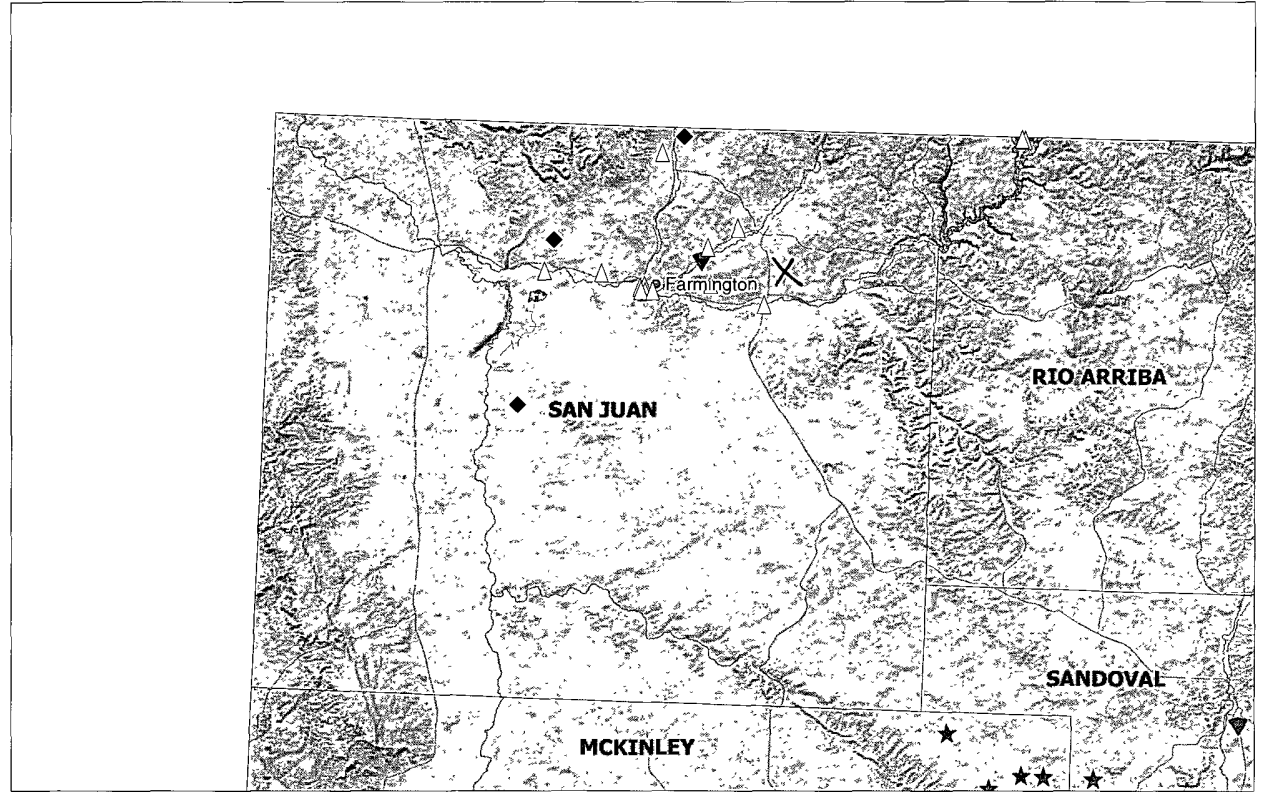
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-  Coal Mines
-  Industrial Minerals Mines
-  Industrial Minerals Mills
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-  Potash Mines & Refineries
-  Smelters & Refinery Ops.
-  Uranium Mines
-  Uranium Mills

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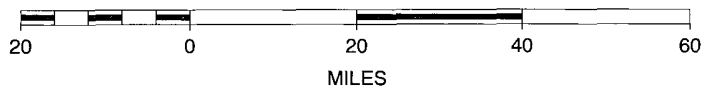
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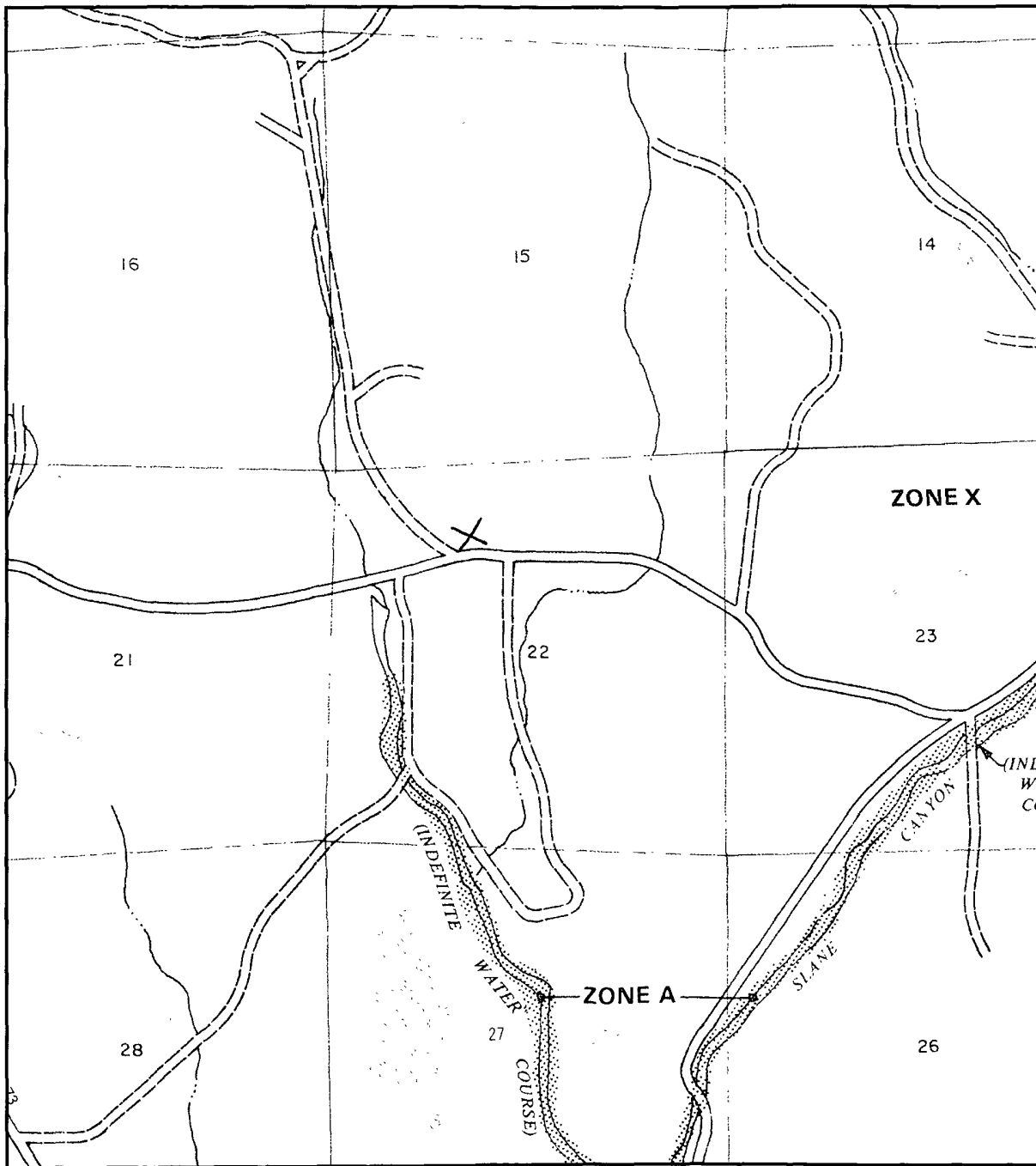
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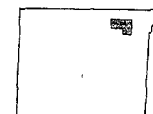
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NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM

FIRM
FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP

**SAN JUAN COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO
UNINCORPORATED AREAS**

PANEL 350 OF 1450
(SEE MAP INDEX FOR PANELS NOT PRINTED)



PANEL LOCATION

COMMUNITY-PANEL NUMBER
350064 0350 B

EFFECTIVE DATE:
AUGUST 4, 1988



Federal Emergency Management Agency

This is an official copy of a portion of the above referenced flood map. It was extracted using F-MIT On-Line. This map does not reflect changes or amendments which may have been made subsequent to the date on the title block. For the latest product information about National Flood Insurance Program flood maps check the FEMA Flood Map Store at www.msc.fema.gov

Hydrogeological report for Helms Federal 1G

Regional Hydrogeological context:

The San Jose Formation of Eocene age occurs in New Mexico and Colorado, and its outcrop forms the land surface over much of the eastern half of the central basin. It overlies the Nacimiento Formation in the area generally south of the Colorado-New Mexico State line and overlies the Animas Formation in the area generally north of the State line.

The San Jose Formation was deposited in various fluvial-type environments. In general, the unit consists of an interbedded sequence of sandstone, siltstone, and variegated shale. Thickness of the San Jose Formation generally increases from west to east (200 feet in the west and south to almost 2,700 feet in the center of the structural basin).

Ground water is associated with alluvial and fluvial sandstone aquifers. Thus, the occurrence of ground water is mainly controlled by the distribution of sandstone in the formation. The distribution of such sandstone is the result of original depositional extent plus any post-depositional modifications, namely erosion and structural deformation. Transmissivity data for San Jose Formation are minimal. Values of 40 and 120 feet squared per day were determined from two aquifer tests (Stone et al, 1983, table 5). The reported or measured discharge from 46 water wells completed in San Jose Formation ranges from 0.15 to 61 gallons per minute and the median is 5 gallons per minute. Most of the wells provide water for livestock and domestic use.

The San Jose Formation is a very suitable unit for recharge from precipitation because soils that form on the unit are sandy and highly permeable and therefore readily adsorb precipitation. However, low annual precipitation, relatively high transpiration and evaporation rates, and deep dissection of the San Jose Formation by the San Juan River and its tributaries all tend to reduce the effective recharge to the unit.

Stone et al., 1983, Hydrogeology and Water Resources of the San Juan Basin, New Mexico: Socorro, New Mexico Bureau of Mines and Mineral Resources Hydrologic Report 6, 70 p.

Siting Criteria Compliance Demonstration & Hydro Geologic Analysis

The Helms Federal 1G is not located in an unstable area. The location is not over a mine and is not on the side of a hill as indicated on the Mines, Mills and Quarries Map and Topographic Map. The location of the excavated pit material will not be located within 300' of any continuously flowing watercourse or 200' from any other watercourse as indicated on the Topographic Map. The location is not within a 100-year floodplain area as indicated on the FEMA Map. The Cathodic well data from the Helms Federal 1E has an elevation of 6276' and groundwater depth of 120'. The subject well has an elevation of 6319' which is greater than the Helms Federal 1E, therefore the groundwater depth is greater than 120'. There are no iWATERS data points located in the area as indicated on the TOPO Map. The hydro geologic analysis indicates the groundwater depth and the San Jose formation will create a stable area for this new location.

Tafoya, Crystal

From: Tafoya, Crystal
Sent: Thursday, October 16, 2008 10:55 AM
To: 'mark_kelly@nm.blm.gov'
Subject: Surface Owner Notification

The following locations temporary pit will be closed on-site. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Grambling C 202S
McDermitt Com 100S
Huerfano Unit 305
Canyon Largo Unit 250N
Federal A 1E
Helms Federal 1G

Thank you,

Crystal L. Tafoya
Regulatory Technician
ConocoPhillips Company
San Juan Business Unit
Phone: (505) 326-9837
Email: Crystal.Tafoya@conocophillips.com

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State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
Revised October 12, 2005

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

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

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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State Lease - 4 Copies
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☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

¹ API Number 30-045-34654		² Pool Code 71599	³ Pool Name BASIN DAKOTA
⁴ Property Code 7108	⁵ Property Name HELM FEDERAL		⁶ Well Number 1 G
⁷ GRID No. 14538	⁸ Operator Name BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL AND GAS COMPANY LP		⁹ Elevation 6319'

¹⁰ Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
C	22	30N	10W	3	1080'	NORTH	1770'	WEST	SAN JUAN

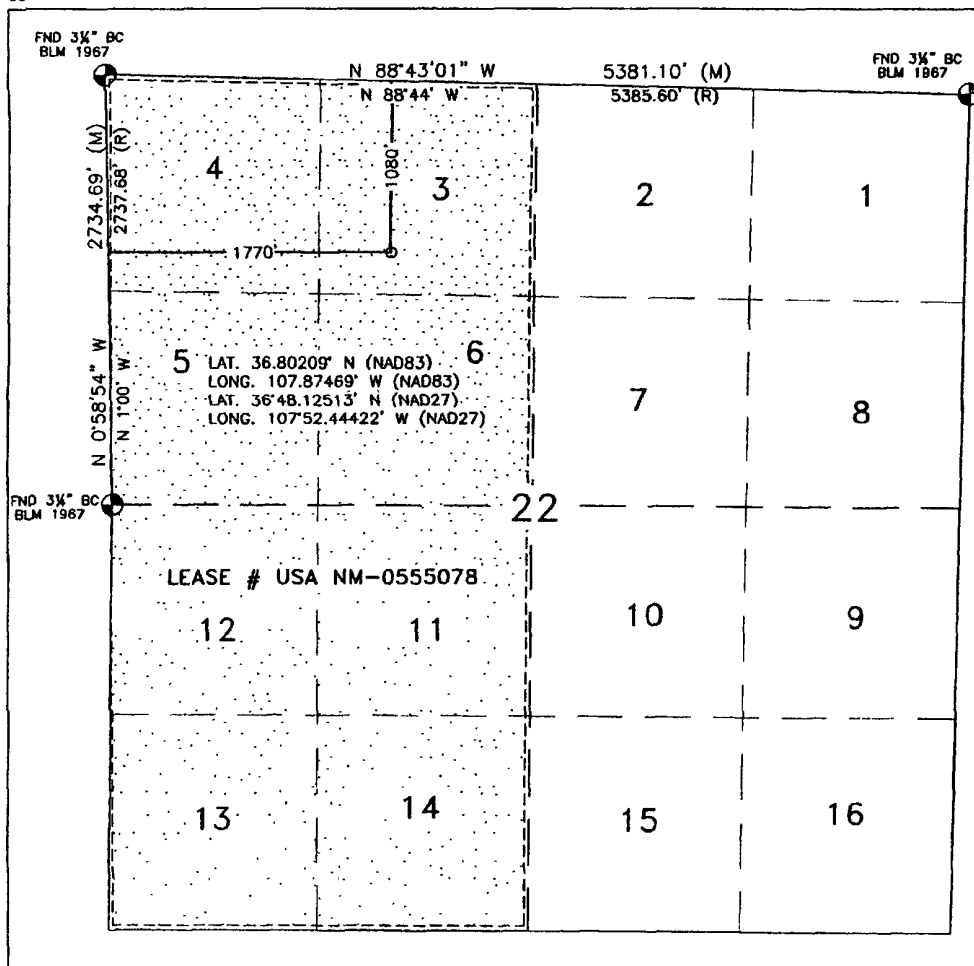
¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
C									

¹² Dedicated Acres 323.84 Acres - (W/2)	¹³ Joint or Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.
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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

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¹⁷ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or released mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.

Crystal Walker 3/14/08
Signature Date

Crystal Walker 3-14-08

Printed Name

¹⁸ SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

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 belief.

DECEMBER 21, 2007

Date of Survey

Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor:

David R. Russell



DAVID RUSSELL

Certificate Number

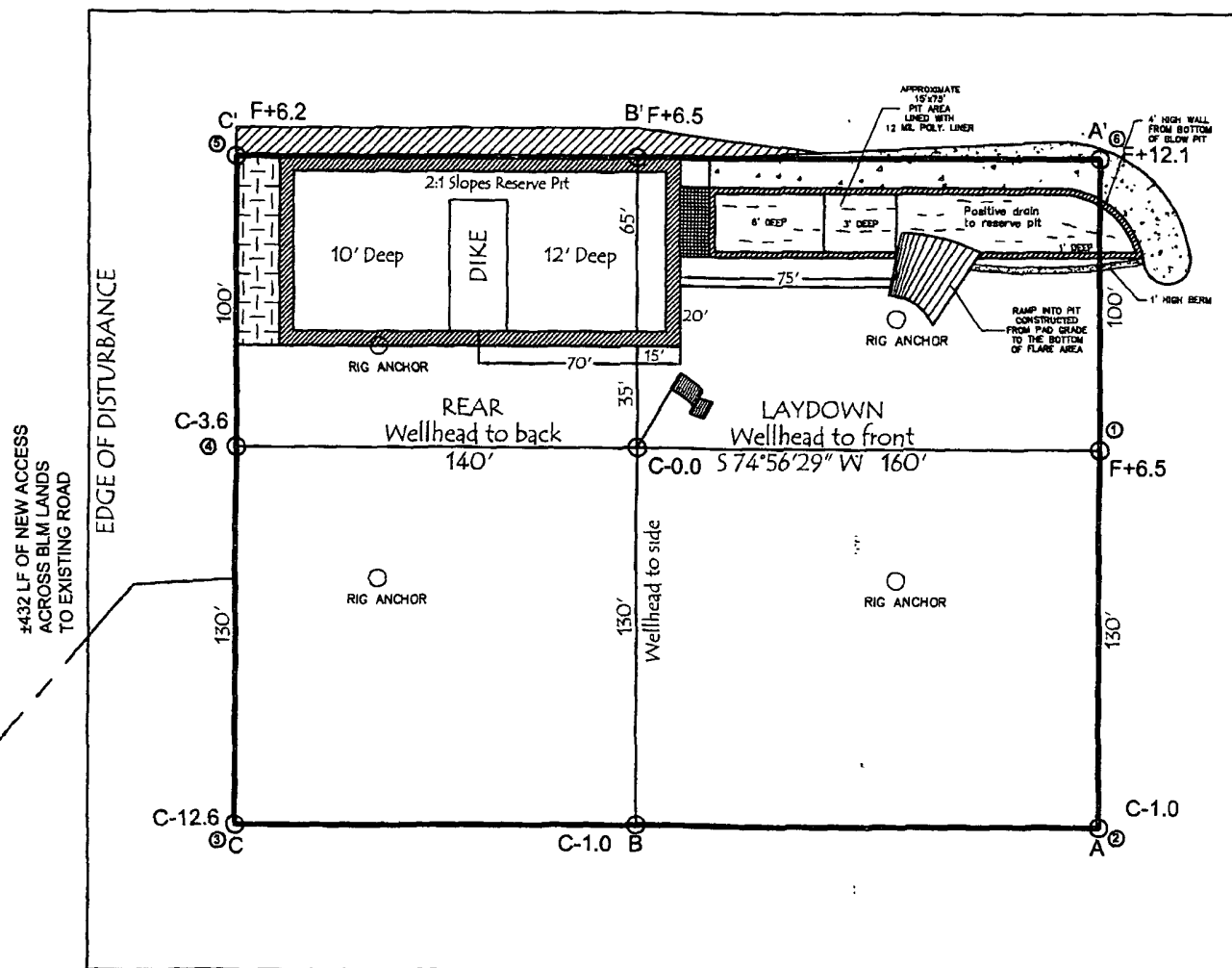
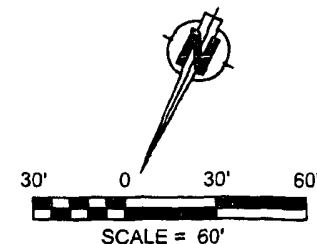
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 LONGITUDE: 107.87469°W
 DATUM: NAD 83

SLOPES TO BE CONSTRUCTED TO
 MATCH THE ORIGINAL CONTOURS
 AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE.

BURLINGTON RESOURCES O&G CO LP

HELM FEDERAL #1 G
 1080' FNL & 1770' FWL
 LOCATED IN THE NE/4 NW/4 OF SECTION 22,
 T30N, R10W, N.M.P.M.,
 SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
 GROUND ELEVATION: 6319', NAVD 88
 FINISHED PAD ELEVATION: 6318.7', NAVD 88



330' x 400' = 3.03 ACRES OF DISTURBANCE
 SCALE: 1" = 60'
 JOB No.: COPC131
 DATE: 01/11/08

NOTE:
 RESERVE PIT DIKE: TO BE 8' ABOVE DEEP SIDE (OVERFLOW - 3' WIDE AND 1' ABOVE SHALLOW SIDE).
 RUSSELL SURVEYING, INC. IS NOT LIABLE FOR UNDERGROUND UTILITIES OR PIPELINES.
 CONTRACTOR SHOULD CALL ONE-CALL FOR LOCATION OF ANY MARKED OR UNMARKED, BURIED PIPELINES OR
 CABLES ON WELL PAD, IN CONSTRUCTION ZONE AND/OR ACCESS ROAD AT LEAST TWO (2) WORKING DAYS PRIOR
 TO CONSTRUCTION.

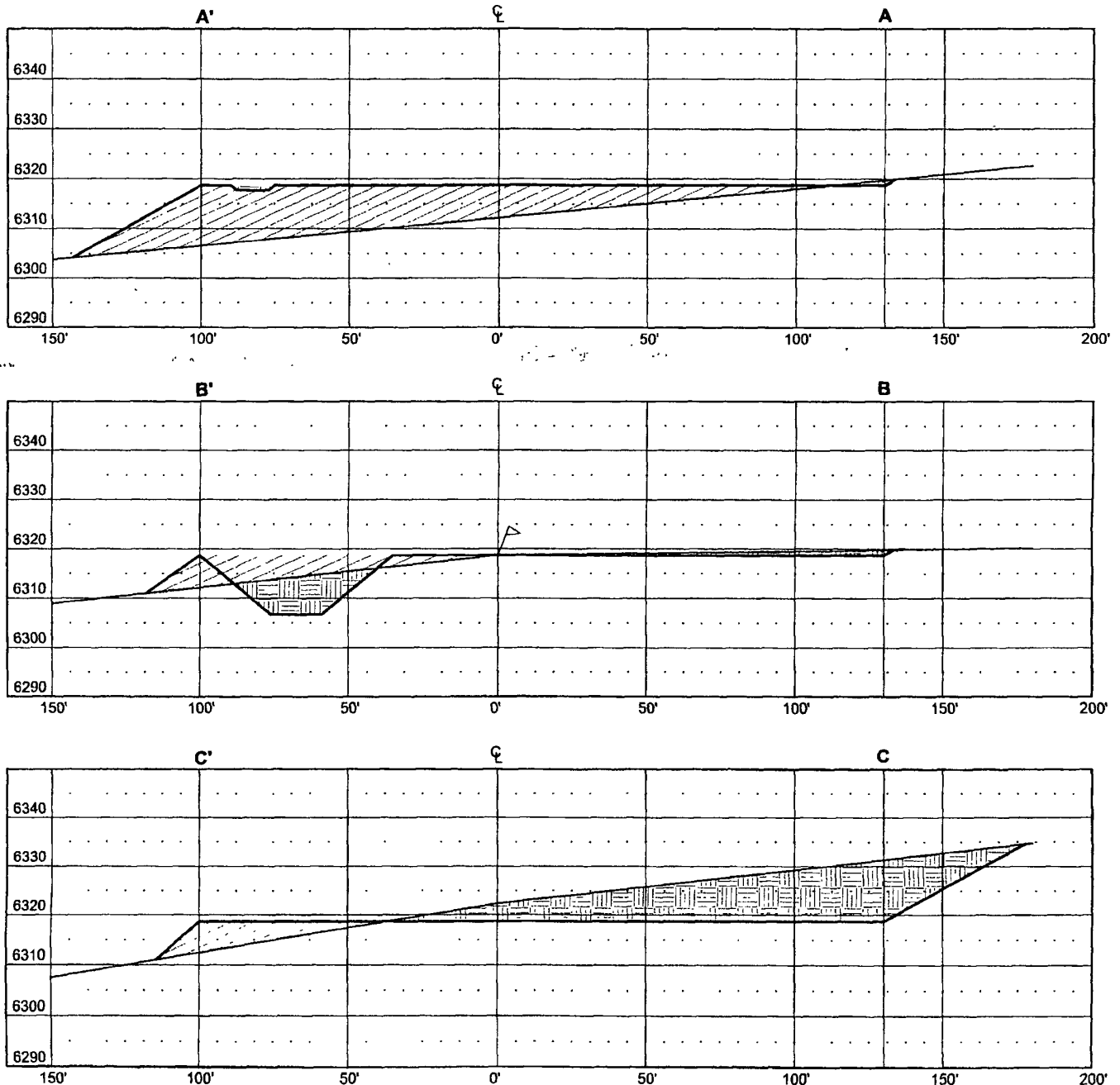


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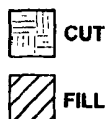
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THIS DIAGRAM IS AN ESTIMATE OF DIRT BALANCE AND IS NOT INTENDED TO BE AN EXACT MEASURE OF VOLUME

VERT. SCALE: 1" = 30'
HORZ. SCALE: 1" = 50'
JOB No.: COPC131
DATE: 01/11/08



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Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company, LP

San Juan Basin

Closure Plan

In accordance with Rule 19.15.17.12 NMAC the following information describes the closure requirements of temporary pits on Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company, LP (BR) locations. This is BR's standard procedure for all temporary pits. A separate plan will be submitted for any temporary pit which does not conform to this plan.

All closure activities will include proper documentation and be available for review upon request and will be submitted to OCD within 60 days of closure of pit closure. Closure report will be filed on C-144 and incorporate the following:

- Details on Capping and Covering, where applicable.
- Plot Plan (Pit Diagram)
- Inspection Reports
- Sampling Results
- C-105
- Copy of Deed Notice will be filed with County Clerk

General Plan:

1. All free standing liquids will be removed at the start of the pit closure process from the pit and disposed of in a division-approved facility or recycle, reuse or reclaim the liquids in a manner that the appropriate division district office approves. The facilities to be used will be Basin Disposal (Permit #NM-01-005) and Envirotech Land Farm (Permit #NM-01-011).
2. The preferred method of closure for all temporary pits will be on-site burial, assuming that all the criteria listed in sub-section (B) of 19.15.17.13 are met.
3. The surface owner shall be notified of BR's closing of the temporary pit prior to closure as per the approved closure plan via certified mail, return receipt requested.
4. Within 6 months of the Rig Off status occurring BR will ensure that temporary pits are closed, re-contoured, and reseeded.
5. Notice of Closure will be given prior to closure to the Aztec Division office between 72 hours and one week via email, or verbally. The notification of closure will include the following:
 - i. Operator's name
 - ii. Location by Unit Letter, Section, Township, and Range. Well name and API number.
6. Liner of temporary pit shall be removed above "mud level" after stabilization. Removal of liner will consist of manually or mechanically cutting liner at mud level and removing all remaining liner. Care will be taken to remove "All" of the liner i.e., edges of liner entrenched or buried. All excessive liner will be disposed of at the San Juan County Landfill located on CR 3100.
7. Pit contents shall be mixed with non-waste containing, earthen material in order to achieve the solidification process. The solidification process will be accomplished using a combination of natural drying and mechanically mixing. Pit contents will be mixed with non-waste, earthen material to a consistency that is deemed a safe and stable. The mixing ratio shall not exceed 3 parts clean soil to 1 part pit contents.
8. A five point composite sample will be taken of the pit using sampling tools and all samples tested per Subsection B of 19.15.17.13(B)(1)(b). In the event that the criteria are not met, all contents will be handled per Subparagraph (a) of Paragraph (1) of Subsection B of 19.15.17.13 i.e., Dig and haul.

Components	Tests Method	Limit (mg/Kg)
Benzene	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	0.2
BTEX	EPA SW-846 8021B or 8260B	50
TPH	EPA SW-846 418.1	2500
GRO/DRO	EPA SW-846 8015M	500
Chlorides	EPA 300.1	1000/500

9. Upon completion of solidification and testing standards being passed, the pit area will be backfilled with compacted, non-waste containing, earthen material. A minimum of four feet of cover shall be achieved and the cover shall include one foot of suitable material to establish vegetation at the site, or the background thickness of topsoil, whichever is greater. If standard testing fails BR will dig and haul all contents pursuant to 19.15.17.13.i.a. After doing such, confirmation sampling will be conducted to ensure a release has not occurred.
10. During the stabilization process if the liner is ripped by equipment the Aztec OCD office will be notified within 48 hours and the liner will be repaired if possible. If the liner can not be repaired then all contents will be excavated and removed.
11. Dig and Haul Material will be transported to the Envirotech Land Farm located 16 miles south of Bloomfield on Angel Peak Road, CR 7175. Permit # NM010011
12. Re-contouring of location will match fit, shape, line, form and texture of the surrounding. Re-shaping will include drainage control, prevent ponding, and prevent erosion. Natural drainages will be unimpeded and water bars and/or silt traps will be place in areas where needed to prevent erosion on a large scale. Final re-contour shall have a uniform appearance with smooth surface, fitting the natural landscape.
13. Notification will be sent to OCD when the reclaimed area is seeded.
14. BR shall seed the disturbed areas the first growing season after the operator closes the pit. Seeding will be accomplished via drilling on the contour whenever practical or by other division-approved methods. BLM stipulated seed mixes will used on federal lands. Vegetative cover will equal 70% of the native perennial vegetative cover (un-impacted) consisting of at least three native plant species, including at least one grass, but not including noxious weeds, and maintain that cover through two successive growing seasons. Repeat seeding or planting will be continued until successful vegetative growth occurs.

Type	Variety or Cultivator	PLS/A
Western wheatgrass	Arriba	3.0
Indian ricegrass	Paloma or Rimrock	3.0
Slender wheatgrass	San Luis	2.0
Crested wheatgrass	Hy-crest	3.0
Bottlebrush Squirreltail	Unknown	2.0
Four-wing Saltbrush	Delar	.25

Species shall be planted in pounds of pure live seed per acre:

Present Pure Live Seed (PLS) = Purity X Germination/100

Two lots of seed can be compared on the basis of PLS as follows:

Source No. One (poor quality)		Source No. two (better quality)	
Purity	50 percent	Purity	80 percent
Germination	40 percent	Germination	63 percent
Percent PLS	20 percent	Percent PLS	50 percent
5 lb. bulk seed required to make		2 lb. bulk seed required to make	
1 lb. PLS		1 lb. PLS	

15. The temporary pit will be located with a steel marker, no less than four inches in diameter, cemented in a hole three feet deep in the center of the onsite burial upon the abandonment of all the wells on the pad. The marker will be flush with the ground to allow access of the active well pad and for safety concerns. The marker will include a threaded collar to be used for future abandonment. The top of the marker will contain a welded steel 12" square plate that indicates the onsite burial of the temporary pit. The plate will be easily removable and a four foot tall riser will be threaded into the top of the collar marker and welded around the base with the operator's information at the time of all wells on the pad are abandoned. The operator's information will include the following: Operator Name, Lease Name, Well Name and number, Unit Number, Section, Township, Range and an indicator that the marker is an onsite burial location.