

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENTFORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires: July 31, 2010**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 reverse side.**

1. Type of Well <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil Well <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Well <input type="checkbox"/> Other		5. Lease Serial No. NMNM99705
2. Name of Operator HIGH PLAINS OPERATING CO LLC		6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name
Contact: ARTHUR (BUTCH) W BUTLER E-Mail: bbutler@highplainsop.com		7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.
3a. Address 32700 ASPEN DRIVE BUENA VISTA, NM 81211	3b. Phone No. (include area code) Ph: 719-395-8059 Fx: 719-395-8093	8. Well Name and No. EAGLE SPRINGS 9 FEDERAL 1
4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description) Sec 9 T19N R4W NWNW 460FNL 350FWL 36.89791 N Lat, 107.27197 W Lon		9. API Well No. 30-043-21065-00-S2
		10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory SWD
		11. County or Parish, and State SANDOVAL COUNTY, NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION			
<input 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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> Other
	<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 checked="" 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 recompleate 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 recompleation 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.)

High Plains Operating Company, LLC (HPOC) is operating with Bond No. NMB 000457.

The Eagle Springs 9 Federal 1 disposal well is having water injected through perforations in the Morrison formation between 5087' and 5251' below a packer set at 5043'. See the original completion report (Form 3160-4) submitted on December 4, 2009.

The date of first injection is December 21, 2009. HPOC injected 170 bbls of Entrada water in 18 hours, or a rate of 227 bbls of water per day. Injection pressure was 250 psi. HPOC believes a more accurate representation of initial injection rates and pressures is reflected in our January injection numbers, where we injected a total of 3780 bbls of water in 26 days from our Eagle Springs and Ojo Encino properties. This is an injection rate of 145.4 bbls of water per day. At the end of the month, the injection pressure was 425 psi. We are very pleased with the results to

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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Electronic Submission #81743 verified by the BLM Well Information System For HIGH PLAINS OPERATING CO LLC, sent to the Rio Puerco Committed to AFMSS for processing by JIM LOVATO on 02/22/2010 (10JXL0004SE)	
Name (Printed/Typed) ARTHUR (BUTCH) W BUTLER	Title MANAGER
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 02/21/2010

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By ACCEPTED	JIM LOVATO Title PETROLEUM ENGINEER	Date 02/22/2010
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 Rio Puerco

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.

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Additional data for EC transaction #81743 that would not fit on the form

32. Additional remarks, continued

date for this injection well.