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State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources

Form C-103
Revised July 18, 2013

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

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS (DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR PROPOSALS TO DRILL OR TO DEEPEN OR PLUG BACK TO A DIFFERENT RESERVOIR. USE "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT" (FORM C-101) FOR SUCH PROPOSALS.)		WELL API NO. 30-045-34754
1. Type of Well: Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☒ Other		5. Indicate Type of Lease STATE ☐ FEE ☒
2. Name of Operator CHUZA OIL COMPANY		6. State Oil & Gas Lease No.
3. Address of Operator 4516 Lovers' Lane #104, Dallas, TX 75225		7. Lease Name or Unit Agreement Name NE HOGBACK UNIT
4. Well Location Unit Letter B: 1215 feet from the N line and 1960 feet from the E line Section 10 Township 30N Range 16W NMPM San Juan		8. Well Number #073H
11. Elevation (Show whether DR, RKB, RT, GR, etc.)		9. OGRID Number 279508
10. Pool name or Wildcat [32870] HORSESHOE GALLUP		

12. Check Appropriate Box to Indicate Nature of Notice, Report or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:		SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:	
PERFORM REMEDIAL WORK ☐	PLUG AND ABANDON ☒	REMEDIAL WORK ☐	ALTERING CASING ☐
TEMPORARILY ABANDON ☐	CHANGE PLANS ☐	COMMENCE DRILLING OPNS. ☐	P AND A ☐
PULL OR ALTER CASING ☐	MULTIPLE COMPL ☐	CASING/CEMENT JOB ☐	
DOWNHOLE COMMINGLE ☐			
CLOSED-LOOP SYSTEM ☐			
OTHER: ☐		OTHER: ☐	

13. Describe proposed or completed operations. (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work). SEE RULE 19.15.7.14 NMAC. For Multiple Completions: Attach wellbore diagram of proposed completion or recompletion.

NMOCD plans to plug this well in accordance with the attached procedure and any agreed modifications thereto.

Spud Date:

Rig Release Date:

I hereby certify that the information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE: Ethan Wakefield

TITLE: Authorized Representative

DATE 9/2/25

Type or print name: Ethan Wakefield

E-mail address: e.wakefield@dwsrigs.com

PHONE: 405-343-7736

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APPROVED BY: _____ TITLE _____ DATE _____

Conditions of Approval (if any):

Well Name: NE HOGBACK UNIT	Well Location: T30N / R16W / SEC 10 / NWNE / 36.49573 / -108.303539	County or Parish/State: SAN JUAN / NM
Well Number: 73H	Type of Well: OIL WELL	Allottee or Tribe Name:
Lease Number: NMNM04444, NMNM077281	Unit or CA Name: NE HOGBACK UNIT	Unit or CA Number: NMNM78403A
US Well Number: 3004534754	Operator: CHUZA OIL CO INCORPORATED	

Notice of Intent

Sundry ID: 2871376

Type of Submission: Notice of Intent	Type of Action: Plug and Abandonment
Date Sundry Submitted: 09/03/2025	Time Sundry Submitted: 01:06
Date proposed operation will begin: 10/01/2025	

Procedure Description: Orphan well to be plugged by BLM and NMOCD

Surface Disturbance

Is any additional surface disturbance proposed?: No

Oral Submission

Oral Notification Date:	Aug 25, 2025	Oral Notification Time:	12:00 AM
Contacted By:	Matthew Kade	Contact's Email:	mkade@blm.gov
Comments:	Procedure created by BLM and updated by NMOCD. To be plugged by Drake Well Service		

NOI Attachments

Procedure Description

NEHBU_73H_P_A_LD_OCD_20250903130618.pdf

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Specialist Review

General_Requirement_PxA_20250903131253.pdf
SN_ID_30N16W10_NE_Hogback_Unit_73H_Geo_MHK_20250903131245.pdf

BLM Point of Contact

BLM POC Name: MATTHEW H KADE	BLM POC Title: Petroleum Engineer
BLM POC Phone: 5055647736	BLM POC Email Address: MKADE@BLM.GOV
Disposition: Approved	Disposition Date: 09/03/2025
Signature: Matthew Kade	

Plug and Abandonment Procedure REVISED, L Diede 8-25-2025

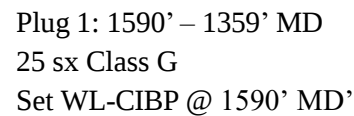
August 25, 2025

Well:	NE Hogback Unit #73H	API:	30-045-34754
Location:	1215' FNL & 1960' FEL	Field:	Horseshoe Gallup
Sec, T, R:	Sec 10 30N-16W	Elevation:	GL: 5563'
County/State:	San Juan, New Mexico		
Lat/Long:	36.8326149, -108.5099792		

Note: All cement is to be Class G mixed at 15.8 ppg, yield 1.15 cu ft/sx. Cement volumes are based on inside capacities + 50' excess and outside capacities + 100% excess.

1. Hold Pre job meeting, comply with all NMOCD and BLM regulations and environmental regulations.
2. MIRU well servicing rig and cement equipment. Check casing, tubing, and BH pressures.
3. Remove existing piping from casing valve, RU blow lines from casing valves and blow down casing pressure. Kill well as necessary. Ensure that well is dead or on a vacuum.
4. ND WH, NH BOP, function test BOP.
5. TOH and LD rods and tubing. PU workstring, TIH with bit and scraper, make sure that bit and scraper will go below **1590' MD. TOOH.**
6. **RIH 5.5" Wireline-set CIBP and set at 1590'MD. POOH.**
7. Roll hole with fresh water and pressure test casing to 500 psi. If casing does not test, then spot and tag plugs as appropriate. WOC to be determined upon pressure test.
8. MIRU logging truck. Run CBL log from **CIBP** to surface. Electronic copy of CBL to be sent to NMOCD and BLM representatives. An attempt of cement coverage outside of production casing may be requested for the subsequent plugs based on the CBL results.
9. **Plug #1, 1590'MD – 1359' MD (Gallup top: 1480' TVD/1540'MD) Mix and spot balanced plug of 25 sx of class G cement above the CIBP from 1590' MD to 1359' MD (1338' TVD) TOOH. WOC. TIH, tag Plug 1.**
10. **Plug #2, 365' – Surface (Surface Shoe: 211', Mancos: 315')** Mix and pump 40 sx class G cement balanced plug inside 5-1/2" casing.

11. RD cementing equipment. Cut off wellhead, fill annuli with cement, as necessary.
Install SURFACE P&A marker. Record GPS coordinates for P&A marker and the final P&A report. Photograph the P&A marker and attach to the report.
12. RD and MO all rig and cement equipment. Assure that location is free off trash and contamination before moving off.
13. Provide all reports and attachments to BLM and NM OCD



BLM FLUID MINERALS P&A Geologic Report

AFMSS ID:

Date Completed: 08/22/2024

Well No.: NE Hogback Unit 73H (API 30-045-34754)	Location:	1215'	FNL	&	1960'	FEL
Lease No.: NMNM 04444	NWNE	Sec. 10		T30N	R16W	
Operator: Chuza Oil Company	County:	San Juan		State:	New Mexico	
Total Depth: 3374' MD	1597' TVD	Formation:	Gallup			
Elevation (GL): 5563'		Elevation (KB):				

Geologic Formations	Est. Top (TVD)	Log Top	Remarks
Point Lookout Ss	Surface		Possible gas/water
Mancos Shale	315'		Oil & gas
Gallup	1483'		Oil & gas
Greenhorn			
Graneros Shale			
Dakota Ss			

Remarks:

P&A

- Current record title owner/operating rights holder on lease went through bankruptcy and is unresponsive, there are no previous record title owners/operating rights holders associated with this well. Well will be deemed orphaned.
- Gallup perms 1765' – 3284'
- No well log for subject well. Drew cross-section on PETRA and followed trends identified on nearby wells.

Reference Wells:

Chuza Oil Co Inc.
NE Hogback Unit 35 (3004509644)
SESW, Sec 10, T30N, R16W

NE Hogback Unit 37 (3004509655)
SESE, Sec 10, T30N, R16W

NE Hogback Unit 6 (3004509580)
NWNE, Sec 15, T30N, R16W

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With help from Aleksandr Knapowski

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Action 506619

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Operator: J.A. Drake Well Service Inc. (OPG Vendor) 607 W. Pinon St Farmington, NM 87401	OGRID: 333581
	Action Number: 506619
	Action Type: [UF-OMA] NOI Plug & Abandon Well (UF-OMA-C-103F)

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The OCD Mitigation Activity (OMA) forms are a subset of the OCD's forms exclusively designed for activities related to State of New Mexico's contracted evaluation, plugging, decommissioning, remediation, salvage and reclamation activities. Specifically, these forms are typically used where the OCD has acquired a hearing order allowing the OCD to perform mitigation activities on wells and associated facilities that no longer have an authorized or viable operator to perform the necessary work. These forms are not to be utilized for any other purpose.

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QUESTIONS

Prerequisites	
[OGRID] Well Operator	[279508] CHUZA OIL COMPANY
[API] Well Name and Number	[30-045-34754] NE HOGBACK UNIT #073H
Well Status	Active

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Created By	Condition	Condition Date
loren.diede	Notify NMOCD 24 hrs prior to the start of P&A operations.	9/18/2025
loren.diede	Submit photo and GPS coordinates of the P&A marker with the final P&A reports. The API# on the marker is to be clearly legible.	9/18/2025