

Drilling fluids will be allowed to dry in the reserve pits and will be buried with cuttings and backfilled with top soil.

Produced oil and water will be contained in test tanks and the oil trucked to the nearest pipeline and the water hauled by transport truck to the nearest commercial disposal well and injected therein.

8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES. None are planned.
9. WELL SITE LAYOUT. See attached Exhibit #4.
10. RESTORATION OF THE SURFACE. The location will be reshaped to the original contour of the surface except for the area needed to service the well. Unnecessary pad and roadway will be "ripped" to help with recovery of natural plants.

START: 60 days after completion of well.

END: 120 days after completion of well.

11. OTHER INFORMATION. Topography: The proposed wellsite is located in rough terrain with steep sided limestone hills and deep canyons. The topsoil is relatively hard sand underlain by hard Permian limestone.

Flora and Fauna: Vegetation cover in the area is sparse to moderate and includes cedar, ocotillo, holly, lechuguilla, cholla, mesquite, sotol, cactus, spanish dagger, catclaw, some oak and grass. Wildlife in the area consists of coyotes, rabbits, deer, rattlesnakes, rodents and lizards. There are no occupied dwellings or water wells within one mile of the proposed wellsite.

There are no geologic or geographic hazards. The land has not been checked for archeological sites since it is in an extensive study area and is expected to be put in a National Wilderness area where no roads and locations are allowed. An archeological study will be made immediately upon notice that the drilling of this proposed location is being seriously considered.

12. OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE.

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13. CERTIFICATION.

I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drillsite and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which presently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and, that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by W. A. Moncrief, Jr. and his contractors and sub-contractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved.

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