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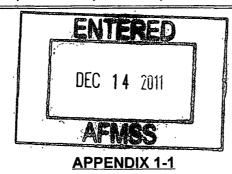
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1b. Type of Well: Oil Well Gas Well Other	ole Zone	8. Lease Name and CBM A Pod 11 G #				
2. Name of Operator NNOGC Exploration and Production Li		9. API Well No. 30-045- 353	35			
3a. Address 1675 BROADWAY, SUITE 1100 DENVER, CO 80202		10. Field and Pool, or BASIN FRUIT. CO	•			
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21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.) 5,924' UNGRADED	22. Approximate date work will start* 11/01/2011			23. Estimated duration 1 MONTH		
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<ol> <li>Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.</li> <li>A Drilling Plan.</li> <li>A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System SUPO must be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office).</li> </ol>	1 Lands, the	Item 20 above). 5. Operator certific	cation	ns unless covered by an		
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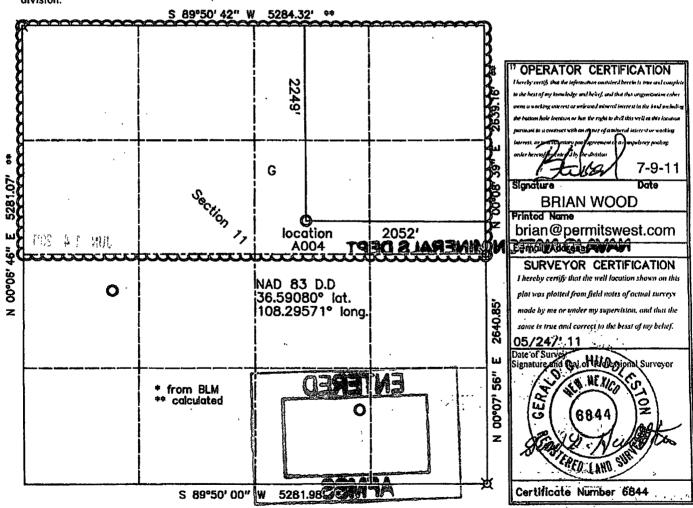
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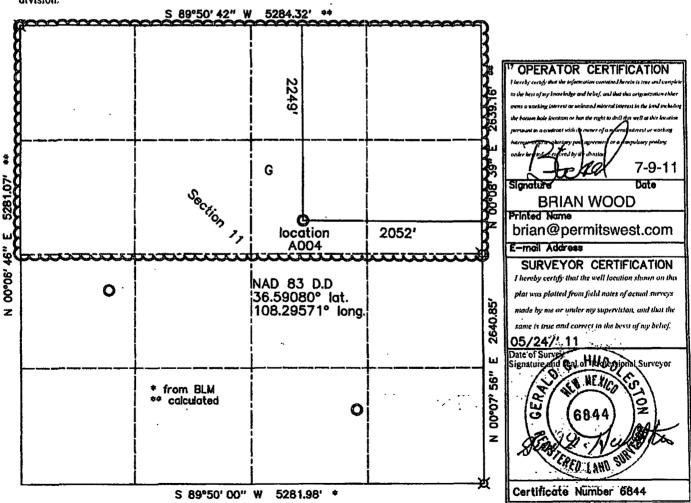
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#### 3. PRESSURE CONTROL

A double ram type  $\geq$ 2,000 psi working pressure BOP with a rotating head system will be used. See the preceding page for a diagram of the typical BOP equipment. All ram type preventers and related equipment will be hydraulically tested to  $\approx$ 1,500 psi at nipple-up and after any use under pressure. A typical diagram is attached.

The blind rams will be hydraulically activated and checked for operational readiness each time the pipe is pulled out of the hole. All checks of the BOP stack and equipment will be noted on the daily drilling report. The BOP equipment will include a kelly cock, floor safety valve, and choke manifold. All will be rated to ≥2,000 psi.

#### 4. CASING & CEMENT

Hole Size	<u>O. D.</u>	<u>Weight</u>	<u>Grade</u>	Age.	Coupling	Depth Set
12-1/4"	8-5/8"	24#	J-55	New	ST&C	350'
7-7/8"	4-1/2"	10.5#	J-55	New	¥T&C	6,000'

Surface casing will be cemented to the surface with 245 sacks (289 cubic feet) Class B with 3%  $CaCl_2$ . Yield = 1.18 cubic feet per sack. Slurry weight = 15.6 pounds per gallon. Excess = 100%. W.O.C.=12 hours. Pressure test the surface casing to  $\approx$ 1,500 psi for 30 minutes. A notched collar and 3 centralizers will be used on the bottom 3 collars.

Production casing will be cemented to the surface. A DV tool will be set at  $\approx 3,000$ '. Hole will first be circulated with  $\geq 150\%$  hole volume of mud and  $\approx 30$  barrels of fresh water. Total cement volume = 2,284 cubic feet ( $\approx 65\%$  excess). A 4-1/2" cement guide shoe and self filling float collar will be used. Place the float one joint above the shoe. Place 10 centralizers spaced every



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other joint above the shoe, 2 turbolizers on the collar below the DV tool, and 2 turbolizers above the DV tool. Place 5 turbolizers every third joint from the top of the well.

First Stage: Lead with 570 sacks (1,003 cubic feet) Class B 65/35 poz with 6% gel + 1% CaCl2 + 4% phenoseal + 1/4 pound per sack cello flake. Yield = 1.76 cubic feet per sack. Slurry weight = 12.8 pounds per gallon.

First Stage: Tail with 100 sacks (146 cubic feet) Class B 50/50 poz with 0.15% dispersant + 1% CaCl<sub>2</sub> + 1/4 pound per sack cello flake. Yield = 1.46 cubic feet per sack. Slurry weight = 13.0 pounds per gallon.

Second Stage: Precede cement with  $\approx 20$  barrels of water. Cement with  $\approx 645$  sacks (1,135 cubic feet) Class B 65/35 poz with 6% gel + 1% CaCl2 + 1/4 pound per sack cello flake. Yield = 1.76 cubic feet per sack. Slurry weight = 12.8 pounds per gallon.

#### 5. MUD PROGRAM

The surface hole will be drilled with a fresh water mud. The production hole will be drilled with a fresh water polymer. Weighting materials will be drill solids or, if conditions dictate, barite. Maximum expected mud weight = 9.5 pounds per gallon.

#### 6. CORES, LOGS, & TESTS

No cores or drill stem tests are currently planned. FDC/CNL/GR/SP and DIL logs will be run from the base of the surface casing to TD.



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#### 7. DOWN HOLE CONDITIONS

No abnormal temperatures, abnormal pressures, or hydrogen sulfide are expected. Maximum expected bottom hole pressure will be ≈2,598 psi.

#### 8. OTHER INFORMATION

The anticipated spud date is after the crop circle to the north is harvested. It is expected it will take  $\approx 10$  days to drill and  $\approx 2$  weeks to complete the well.



#### Surface Use Plan

#### 1. <u>DIRECTIONS</u> (See PAGES 11 & 12)

From the NM 371 San Juan River bridge in southwest Farmington .... Go South ≈6-1/2 miles on NM 371 to the equivalent of Mile Post 99.8 Then turn right and go West 2.3 miles on paved N-3003 Then turn left and go South 4.0 miles on paved N-4055 Then turn right and go West 1.2 miles on paved N-4150 Then turn right and go Northwest 0.2 miles on a dirt road onto the pad

Roads will be maintained to at least equal to their present condition.

#### 2. ROAD WORK

NM One Call (811) and NAPI (505 566-2623 or 505 793-4923) will be called at least 2 working days before construction starts. The pad overlaps an existing road. Upgrade of the existing road will consist of rocking as needed.

#### 3. EXISTING WELLS (See PAGE 13)

There are 2 plugged wells within a mile radius. There are no water, oil, gas, or injection wells within a mile radius.

#### 4. PROPOSED PRODUCTION FACILITIES (See PAGES 12 & 14)

Production facilities will include a gas (propane or well's own gas) powered pump, separator, meter run, and above ground tanks. All of the equipment



will be painted a flat Carlsbad brown and installed on the pad. All surface equipment will be at least 65' from the edge of NAPI fields.

NNOGC will bury a  $\approx$ 4" O. D. gas pipeline and a  $\approx$ 4" O. D. water pipeline in one 2,718.24' long trench to its Raven pipeline system. Maximum pipeline corridor land use width will be 40 feet.

#### 5. WATER SUPPLY

Water will be trucked from Farmington.

#### 6. CONSTRUCTION METHODS & MATERIALS (See PAGES 15 - 17)

The top 6" of soil and brush will be stripped and stockpiled northwest of the pad. The pit subsoil will be piled northwest of the pit and separate from the topsoil. A diversion ditch will be cut around the northeast corner of the pad. A minimum 12 mil plastic liner will be installed in the reserve pit. The reserve pit will be fenced sheep tight on 3 sides with woven wire fence topped with barbed wire. The fourth side will be fenced once the rig moves off. The fence will be kept in good repair while the pit dries. Once dry, contents of the reserve pit will be buried in place.

Rock will be bought and trucked from Farmington.

#### 7. WASTE DISPOSAL

All trash will be placed in a portable trash cage and hauled to the county landfill. Human waste will be disposed of in chemical toilets. Toilet contents will be hauled to a state approved dump station off the reservation.



#### 8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES

There will be no air strip or camp. Camper trailers will be parked on the pad for the company man, tool pusher, and mud logger.

#### 9. WELL SITE LAYOUT

See PAGES 15 - 17 for drawings of the well pad, cross section, cut and fill diagram, reserve pit, trash cage, access onto the location, parking, living facilities, and rig orientation.

#### 10. RECLAMATION

Reclamation starts once the pipeline trench is back filled and the reserve pit is dry, at which point it too will be back filled. Liner top will be folded over contents and covered with  $\geq$ 48" of dirt. The reserve pit and any pad areas not needed for producing the well, especially the east corner of the pad, will be reclaimed as an interim measure. Once the well is plugged, the remainder of the pad and road will be reclaimed.

All reclamation will leave the terrain with a natural shape, slopes will be no steeper than 3 to 1, subsoil will be used to fill the reserve pit, all compacted areas will be ripped ≥12" deep with the contour, topsoil will be spread across all compacted areas and harrowed with the contour. A seed mix will be drilled as prescribed by the Navajo Nation, BIA, or BLM. Weeds will be controlled in accordance with Navajo EPA requirements.



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#### 11. SURFACE OWNER

All construction will be on lease and on Navajo Tribal surface. Tribal Project Review Office phone is (928) 871-6447. Address is P. O. Box 2249, Window Rock, Arizona 86515.

Land use will be:

Well Site: 205' x 270' = 1.27 acres
Road: N/A (overlaps existing road)
+ Pipeline: 40' x 2,718.24' = 2.49 acres
Total land use = 3.76 acres

#### 12. OTHER INFORMATION

The nearest hospital is a  $\approx 1/3$  hour drive away in southwest Farmington.

Greg Yazzie and Mike Freeman (both NAPI), John Hatch (NNOGC), West Hahn (Walsh Engineering), Gerald Huddleston (Huddleston Surveying), and Brian Wood (Permits West) conducted an on site inspection on June 14, 2011. Bertha Spencer (BIA), Esther Kee (Navajo Land Department), Pam Kyselka (Navajo Fish & Wildlife Department), Greg Yazzie (NAPI), West Hahn (Walsh Engineering), and Charlie Black (Permits West) conducted an on site inspection on June 28, 2011.

#### 13. REPRESENTATION & CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I, or someone under my direct supervision, have inspected the drill site and access route proposed herein; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that I have full knowledge of state and Federal laws applicable to this operation; that the statements made in



this APD package are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed in conformity with this APD package and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. I also certify that I, or the company I represent, am responsible for the operations conducted under this application. These statements are subject to the provisions of 18 U. S. C. 1001 for the filing of false statements. Executed this <u>9th</u> day of <u>July</u>, <u>2011</u>.

Brian Wood, Consultant Permits West, Inc.

37 Verano Loop, Santa Fe, NM 87508

(505) 466-8120

FAX: (505) 466-9682

Mobile: (505) 699-2276

The field representatives will be:

John Hatch Navajo Nation Oil & Gas Co., Inc. 1675 Broadway, Suite 1100 Denver, CO 80202 (303) 534-8300

or

Paul Thompson or West Hahn Walsh Engineering & Production Corp. 7415 East Main St. Farmington, NM 87402 (505) 327-4892



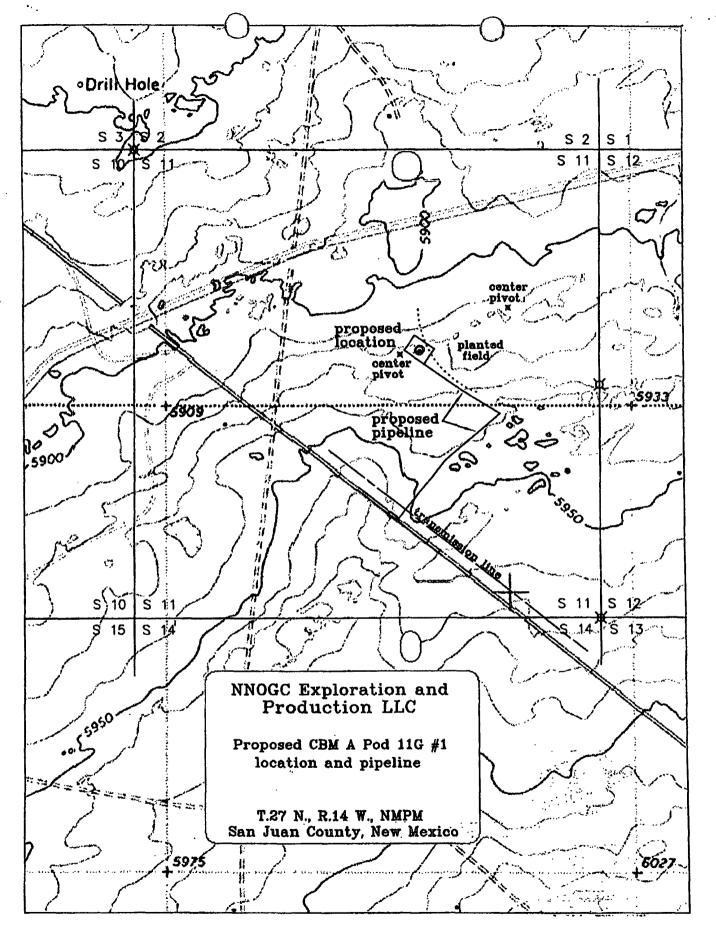
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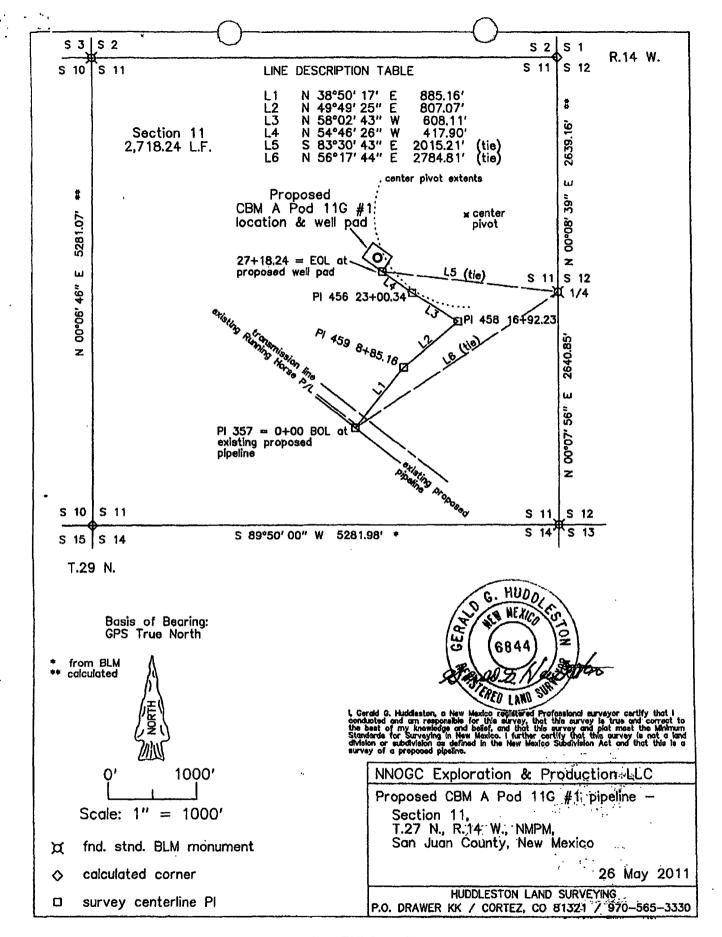
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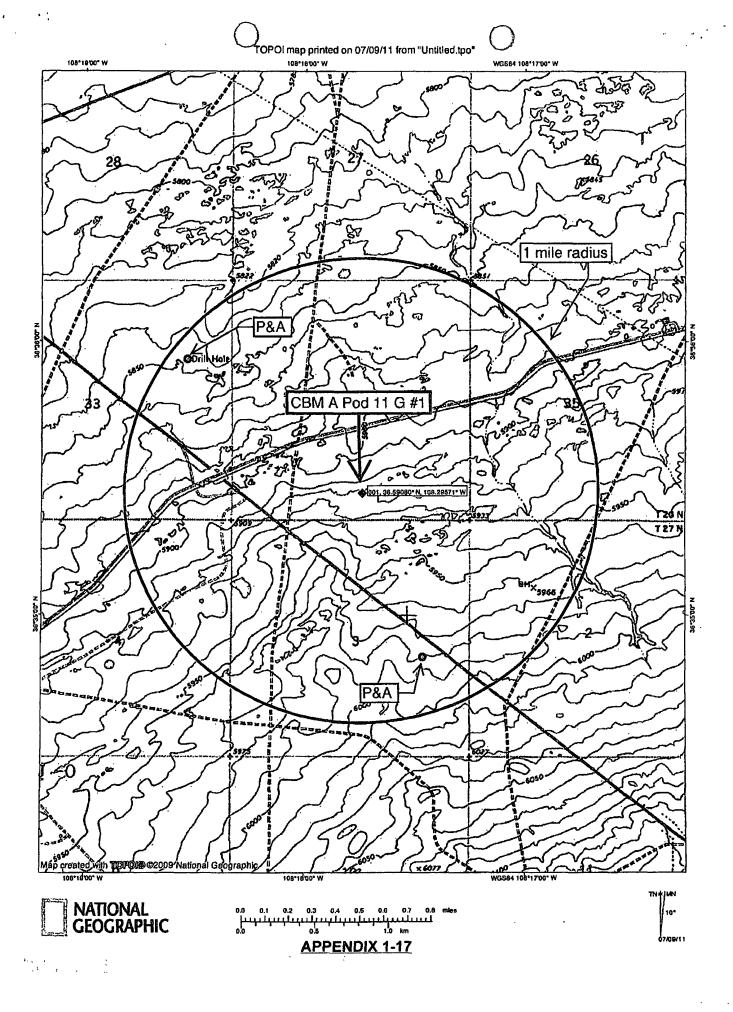
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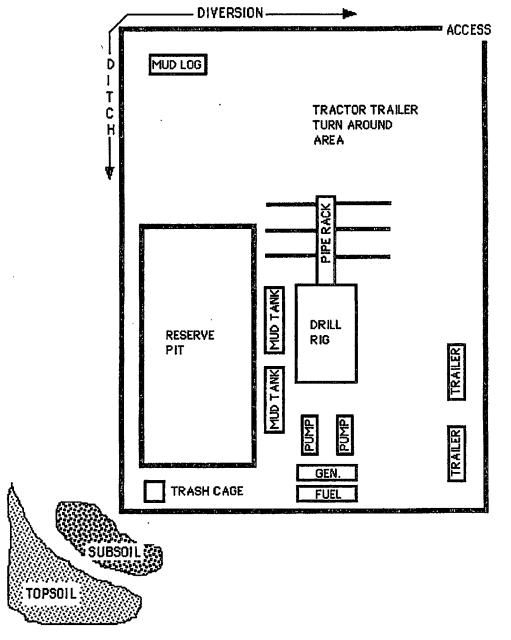


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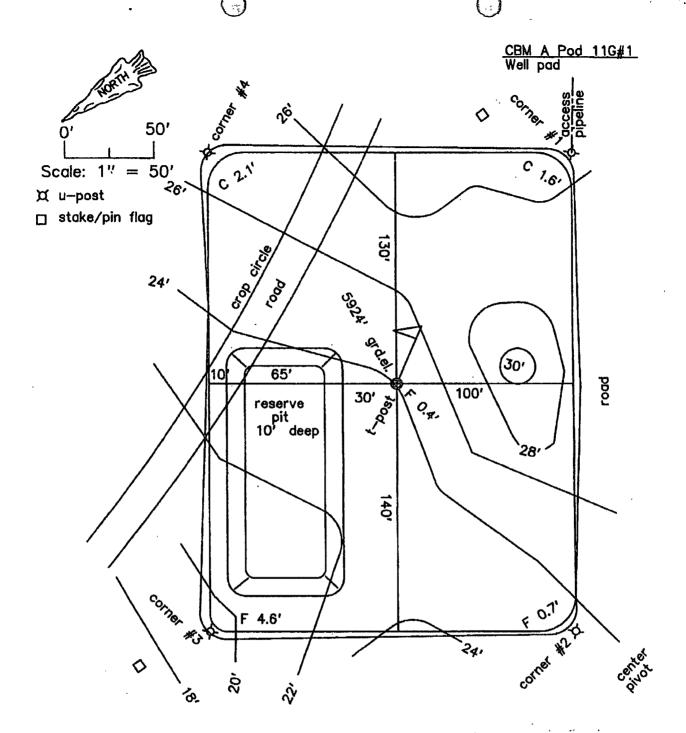






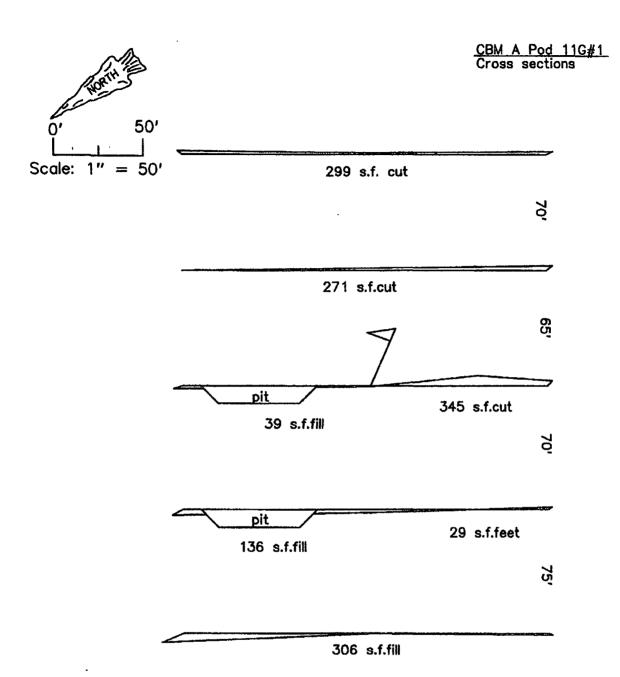






Pit & pad — 1.27 acres 2,718.24 feet new access & pipeline References:

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Approximate dirt quantities above reserve pit: 1963 cys. cut 841 cys. fill 1122 cys. excess

#### **Drilling Program**

#### 1. FORMATION TOPS

The estimated tops of important geologic markers are:

<u>Formation</u>	GL Depth	KB Depth	<u>Elevation</u>
Kirtland Shale	0'	10'	+5,924'
Fruitland Formation	899'	909'	+5,025'
Pictured Cliffs Sandstone	1,144'	1,154'	+4,780'
Lewis Shale	1,449'	1,459'	+4,475'
Mesa Verde Sandstone	2,014'	2,024'	+3,910'
Point Lookout Sandstone	3,749'	3,759'	+2,175'
Mancos Shale	3,949'	3,959'	+1,975'
Upper Gallup Sandstone	4,849'	4,859'	+1,075'
Lower Gallup Sandstone	5,059'	5,069'	+865'
Sanostee	5,299'	5,309'	+625'
Dakota Sandstone	5,774'	5,784'	+150'
Morrison Formation	5,949'	5,959'	-25'
Total Depth (TD)	6,000'	6,010'	-76'

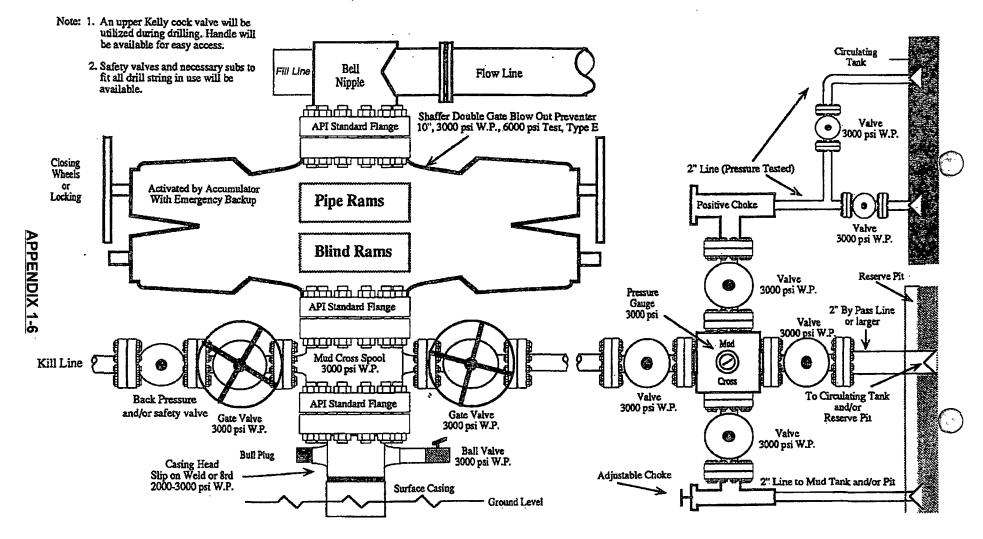
#### 2. NOTABLE ZONES

Fruitland coal gas is the primary goal. Gallup and Dakota are the secondary goals. Oil and gas shows which appear to the well geologist to be commercial will be tested. All fresh water and prospectively valuable minerals will be recorded by depth and protected with casing and cement. Water could be found in the Fruitland, Pictured Cliffs, Point Lookout, Gallup, and Dakota formations.



### 2,000 PSI BOP SYSTEM





Note: This equipment is designed to meet requirements for a 2-M rating standard per 43 CFR part 3160 (amended). Proper operation and testing of equipment will be carried out per standard. 2,000 psi equipment can be substituted in the drawing to meet minimum requirements per standard.