

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
OMB No. 1004-0137  
Expires March 31, 2007

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL OR REENTER

RECEIVED  
070 FARMINGTON NM  
10 5 3F-078977

5. Lease Designation and Serial No.

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA, Agreement, Name and No.

8. Lease Name and Well No.

Madrid 29-13-6 #111

9. API Well No.

30-045-33469

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory  
Basin Fruitland Coal

11. Sec., T., R., M., or Bk. and Survey or Area

Sec 6, T-29-N, R-13-W

12. County or Parish,  
San Juan

13. State  
New Mexico

17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well

220+ Acres (N/2) 238.11

20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file  
NM-2559

23. Estimated duration  
30 days

24. Attachments

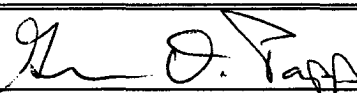
The following, completed in accordance with the requirements of Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1, shall be attached to this form:

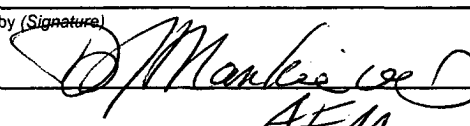
1. Well plat certified by a registered surveyor.
2. A Drilling Plan
3. A Surface Use Plan (if the location is on National Forest System Lands, the SUPO shall be filed with the appropriate Forest Service Office.
4. Bond to cover the operations unless covered by an existing bond on file (see item 20 above).
5. Operator certification.
6. Such other site specific information and/or plans as may be required by the authorized officer

Size of Hole	Grade, Size of Casing	Weight per Foot	Setting Depth	Quantity of Cement
12-1/4"	8-5/8" J-55	24 #	220'	150-sxs, 213 ft3 - 100% Excess
7-7/8"	5-1/2" J-55	15.5#	1320'	200-sxs, 354 ft3 - 100% OH Excess

SEE ATTACHED APD INFORMATION

Latitude: 36 Deg, 45 Min, 37 Sec N  
Longitude: 108 Deg, 14 Min, 37 Sec W

25. Signature 	Name (Printed/Typed) Glen O. Papp	Date 12-6-05
Title Operations Manager		

Approved by (Signature) 	Name (Printed/Typed) AFM	Date 3/8/06
Title AFM	Office FFO	

Application approval does not warrant or certify the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

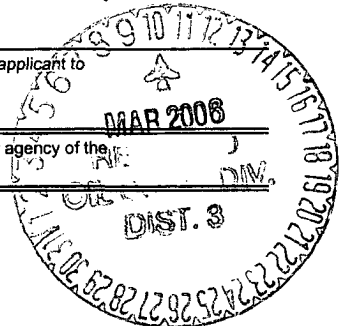
Conditions of approval, if any, are attached.

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.

\*(Instructions on reverse)

DRILLING OPERATIONS AUTHORIZED ARE  
SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH ATTACHED  
"GENERAL REQUIREMENTS".

This action is subject to technical and  
procedural review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.3  
and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4



OPERATOR

DISTRICT II  
811 South First, Artesia, N.M. 88210

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

DISTRICT IV  
2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, NM 87505

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Submit to Appropriate District Office

State Lease - 4 Copies

Free Lease - 3 Copies

RECEIVED ☐ AMENDED REPORT

## WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT 114

*API Number 30-045-33469	*Pool Code 71629	*Pool Name BASIN FRUITLAND COAL
*Property Code 35509 ✓	*Property Name MADRID 29-13-6 ✓	*Well Number 111 ✓
*OGRID No. 163458 ✓	*Operator Name SYNERGY OPERATING, L.L.C. ✓	*Elevation 5382' ✓

## <sup>10</sup> Surface Location

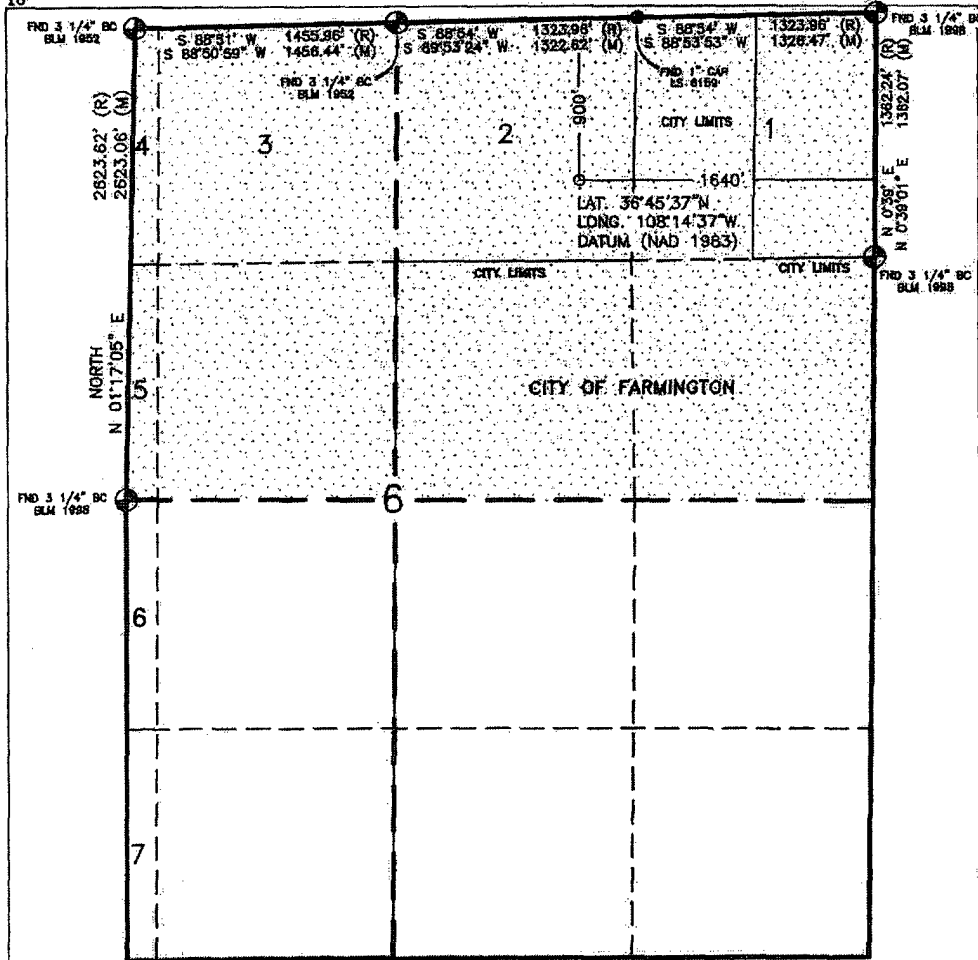
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Ldn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
B	6	29N	13W	2	900'	NORTH	1640'	EAST	SAN JUAN

## 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
<sup>13</sup> Dedicated Acres 252.85 <sup>238.11</sup> Acres - (N/2)			<sup>12</sup> Joint or Infill		<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code		<sup>10</sup> Order No.		

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.

Signature Glen O. Parr  
Printed Name OPERATIONS MANAGER  
Title NOV 8, 2005  
Date


## 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.

~~OCTOBER 13, 2005~~

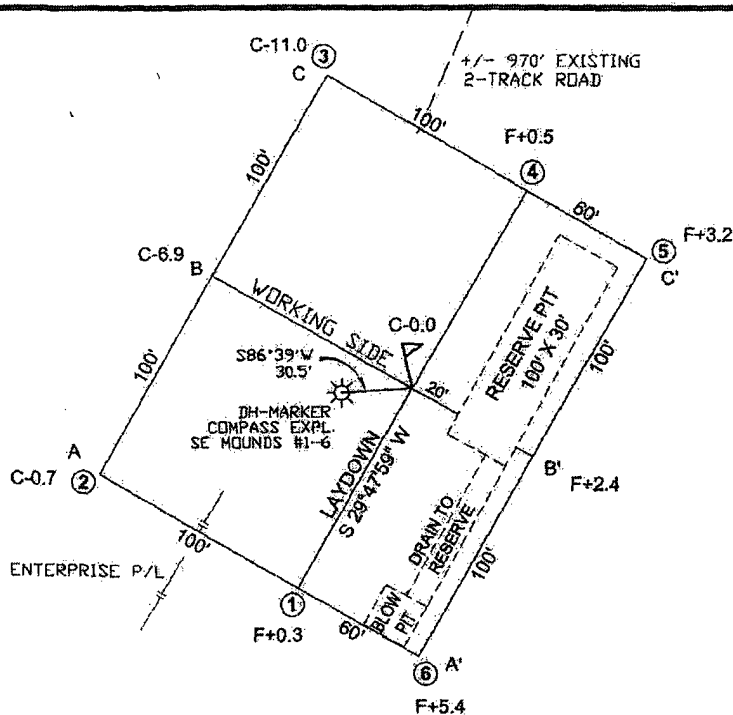
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Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: \_\_\_\_\_

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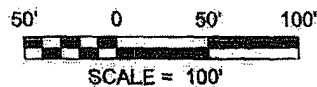
DAVID R. RUSSELL

Certificate Number 10201

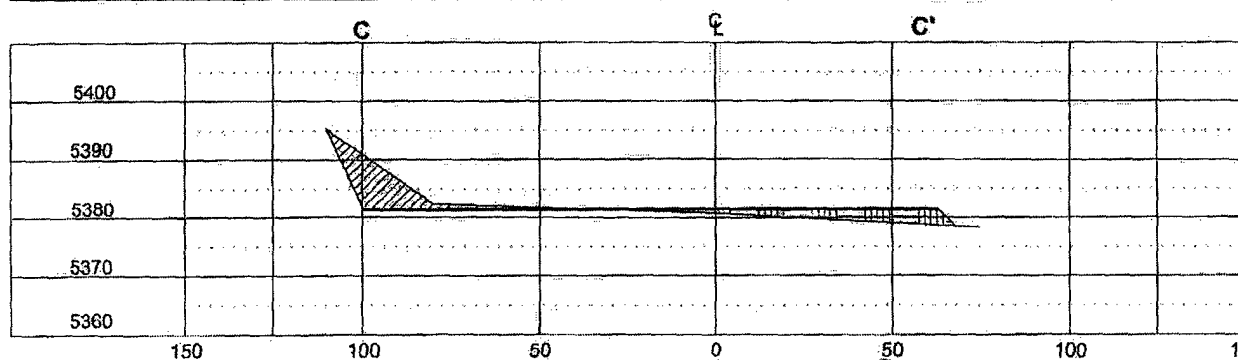
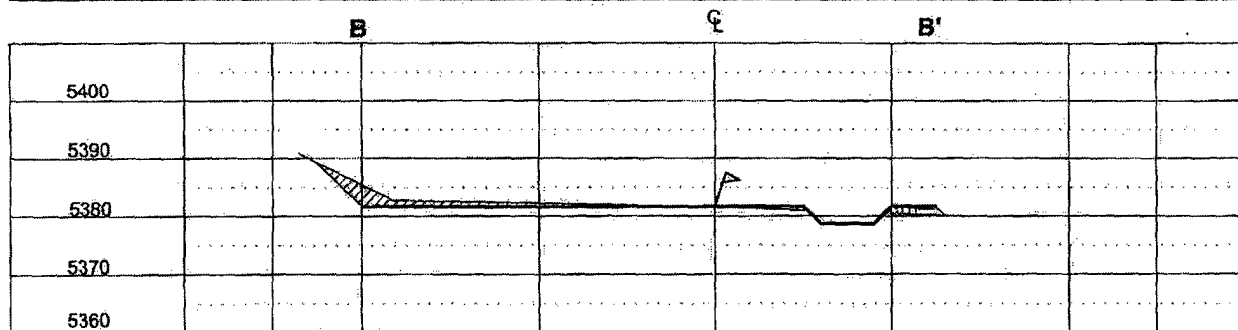
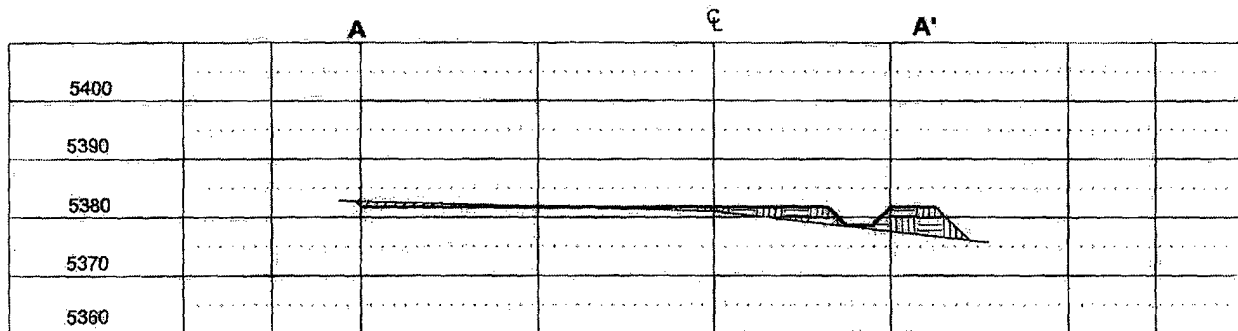


# **SYNERGY OPERATING, L.L.C.**

MADRID 29-13-6 #111  
 900' FNL & 1640' FEL  
 LOCATED IN THE NW/4 NE/4 OF SEC. 6,  
 T29N, R13W, N.M.P.M.,  
 SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
 ELEVATION: 5382', NAVD 88



LATITUDE: 36°45'37"N  
 LONGITUDE: 108°14'37"W  
 DATUM: NAD 83



HORIZ. SCALE: 1"=50'  
 VERT. SCALE: 1"=30'



**Russell Surveying**  
 1409 W. Aztec Blvd. #5  
 Aztec, New Mexico 87410

## **Synergy Operating LLC**

### **Operations Plan**

**Well Name:** Madrid 29-13-6 #111

**Location:** Unit B, <sup>900</sup>~~990~~' FNL, 1640' FEL, Sec. 6, T-29-N, R-13-W, San Juan Co. NM  
Latitude 36° 45' 37" N, Longitude 108° 14' 37" W

**Field:** Basin Fruitland Coal

**Elevation:** 5382' GL

### **GEOLOGIC PROGRAM**

<b>Formations:</b>	<b>Tops/Depth</b>	<b>Fluids</b>
Kirtland	Surface	None
Fruitland	681'	None
Fruitland Sand	756'	Natural gas & produced water
Fruitland Basal Coal	1080'	Natural gas & produced water
Pictured Cliffs	1104'	Natural gas & produced water
Pictured Cliffs(Base)	1210'	
TOTAL Depth	1325'	

### **Logging Program:**

- A) Open Hole: Density + Neutron: TD to Surface Csg Shoe  
B) Cased Hole: GR-CCL-CBL

### **Mudlogs, Cores, DST's:**

No mudlogs, coring or drill-stem testing (DST's) are scheduled.

### **Anticipated Downhole Conditions:**

It is not anticipated that any abnormal temperatures, abnormal pressures or hydrogen sulfide gas will be encountered. The maximum anticipated formation pressures are expected to be less than 1000-PSIG.

### **DRILLING PROGRAM**

**Contractor:** A local rotary drilling company is yet to be determined.

**Mud Program:** Freshwater based mud system will be utilized. Water sourced from commercial suppliers.

<b>Depth</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Viscosity</b>	<b>PPG</b>
0-220'	Spud	40-50	8.4-8.9
220'-TD	Low Solids, Non-dispersed	30-60	8.4-9.5*

\* Barite will be used as a weighting material if needed

## **Pressure Control / Blow Out Preventers (BOP's):**

All BOP systems will be in accordance with MMS Onshore Oil & gas Order No 2. Until the drilling contract has been let, the exact make, model and pressure rating of BOP's is unknown. A typical double gate BOP with a rotating head is shown in the attached Exhibit #1. A typical Choke & Kill manifold is also shown in the attached Exhibit #1.

An upper kelly cock valve with handle and drill string safety valves for each size of drill pipe will be available on the rig floor.

## **BOP Testing:**

220' (Surface Csg Shoe) – TD: An 11" 2000# or 3000# double gate BOP Stack & choke manifold will be utilized. All BOP systems will be tested in accordance with MMS Onshore Oil & gas Order No 2. A test plug will be used to test the BOPE, and the resultant pressures will be recorded using a test pump, calibrated test gauges and a calibrated chart recorder. A low pressure test of 250 PSIG will be held for 10-minutes, and a high pressure test will be tested to 1000 PSIG for 10-minutes. Prior to drilling out the surface casing, the 8-5/8" 24# surface casing will be tested to 1000 PSIG for 30-minutes.

Pipe rams will be hydraulically actuated at least once a day. The blind rams will be function tested on each pipe trip. All ram function testing and BOP pressure testing will be recorded on the daily IADC drilling logs.

## **Casing & Tubing Program:**

All casing shall be new and constructed to API standards.

Hole Size	OD	Weight	Grade	GL Set Depth	Clearance Hole/Collar
12-1/4"	8.625"	24#/ft	J-55	0' – 220'	1.3125"
7-7/8"	5.500"	15.5#/ft	J-55	0' – TD(1325'+/-)	0.9125"
2-3/8"	2.375"	4.7#/ft	J-55	Unknown	

## **Float Equipment & Centralizers:**

8-5/8" Surface Casing: Cement Guide Shoe, 1-Jt 8-5/8" casing as shoe joint and 8-5/8" casing to surface. Centralizers will be on the bottom three joints, the bottom most centralizer will be run 10' above the shoe, secured with a stop ring. The other two centralizers will be secured around the collars. Surface casing will be run to a minimum depth of 220' to ensure protection of surface waters.

5-1/2" Production Casing: A cement nose guide shoe, 1-Jt 5-1/2" casing as shoe joint, float collar w/ auto-fill, and 5-1/2" casing to surface. A turbolizer will be run 10' above the shoe, secured with a stop ring, and two centralizers will be applied around the collars of the bottom most casing joints. Additional centralizers will be deployed every sixth joint from the third most bottom joint to surface.

**Wellhead Equipment:**

A 8-5/8" x 5-1/2" 2000# bradenhead will be screwed on to the top joint of the 8-5/8" surface casing.

**Cementing Program:**

8-5/8" Surface Casing: Pump 150-sxs (213-ft<sup>3</sup>) Type III Cement w/ 3% CaCl<sub>2</sub> + 1/4-#/sx Celloflake. Yield = 1.42 ft<sup>3</sup>/sx, Slurry Weight = 14.5 PPG. Cement volume is 100% of annular excess to ensure circulation to surface. Wait on Cement (WOC) for 8-Hours. Pressure test surface casing to 1000# for 30-Minutes.

5-1/2" Production Casing:

**Lead Slurry:** Pump 100-sxs (215-ft<sup>3</sup>) Premium Lite FM Cement w/ 3% CaCl<sub>2</sub> + 1/4-#/sx Celloflake + 0.4% FL-52 + 8% Bentonite + 0.4% Sodium Metasilicate + 3-#/sx Pheno-Seal. Yield = 2.15 ft<sup>3</sup>/sx, Slurry Weight = 12.1 PPG.

**Tail Slurry:** Pump 100-sxs (139-ft<sup>3</sup>) Type III Cement w/ 1% CaCl<sub>2</sub> + 1/4-#/sx Celloflake + 0.2% FL-52 + 2-#/sx Pheno-Seal. Yield = 1.39 ft<sup>3</sup>/sx, Slurry Weight = 14.6 PPG. Total slurry volume is 354-ft<sup>3</sup>.

The projected annular open hole volume from 1325' to surface is: 233.8-ft<sup>3</sup>. Cement volume is 100% excess of annular openhole volume for the lead cement slurry, to ensure circulation to surface. The job is designed to circulate the cement to surface.

**Estimated Drilling Time:**

Spud date will occur after the APD has been approved, the location built and a drilling contractor selected and scheduled. Once drilling operations commence, it is anticipated that the drilling phase should be completed within three (3) to five (5) days.

**Estimated Completion Time:**

Rig completion activities are estimated to take approximately five (5) days. Surface facilities anticipated will include a rod pumping unit, separator, one four-hundred (400) bbl water production tank and a well-site compressor with noise abating sound walls. No oil production is anticipated from this well.

**Reserve Pit Construction/Closure:**

The attached plat depicts the planned reserve pit and the proposed dimensions. The pit will be lined with an approved lining material, a minimum of a 12 mils in thickness. The pit will be constructed and closed per the November 1, 2004 NMOCD pit guideline information. A form C-144 will be prepared and submitted for the reserve pit in conjunction with this APD submittal.

# Exhibit #1

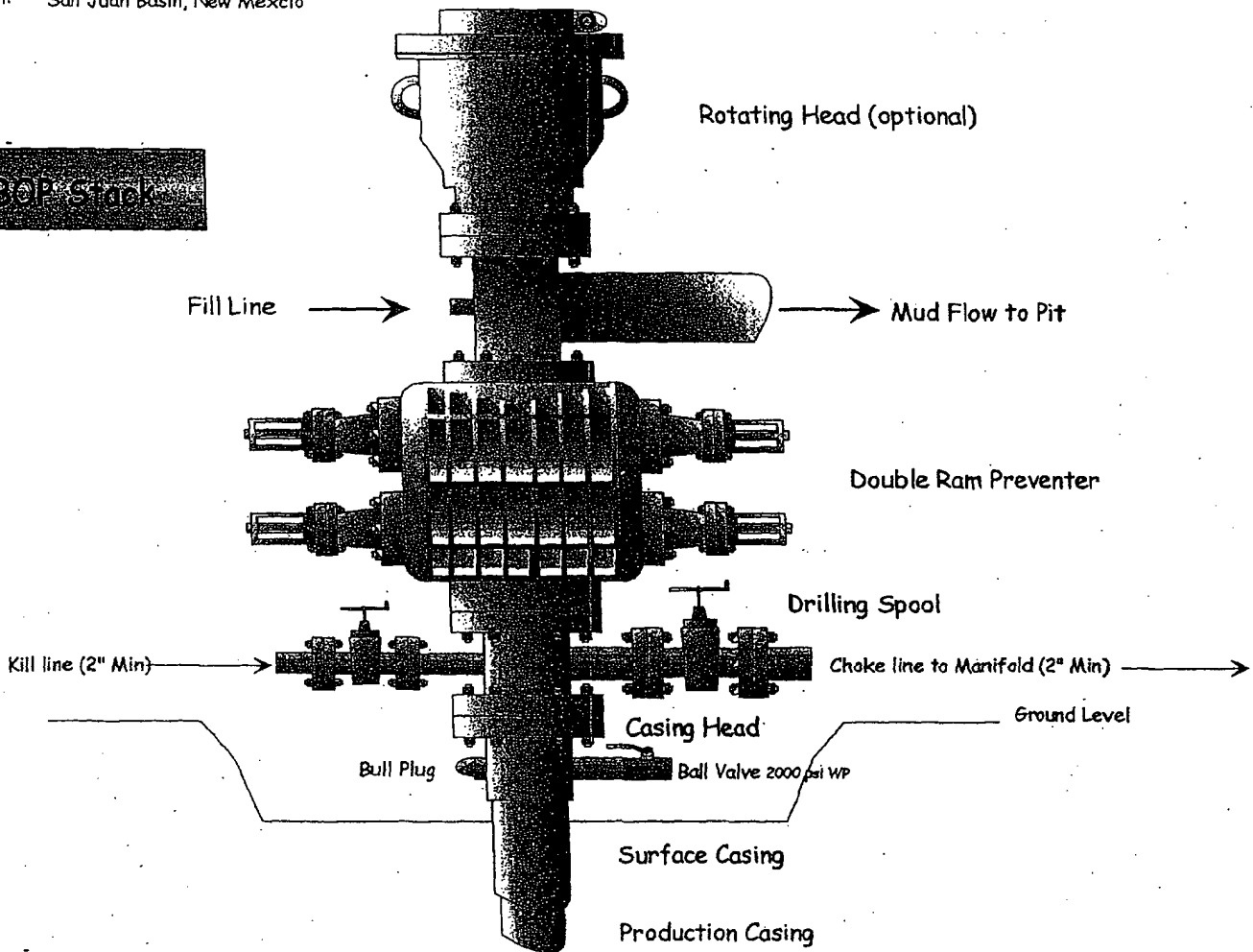
## Well Control Equipment Schematic for 2M Service

Attachment to Drilling Technical Program

### Typical BOP setup

Location: San Juan Basin, New Mexico

BOP Stack



Choke & Kill Manifold

