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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED  
Budget Bureau No. 1004-0137  
Expires March 31, 2014

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS *Farmington Field Office*

Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. *Bureau of Land Management*  
Use Form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals

5. Lease Serial No. **NMNM-99735**

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

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

8. Well Name and No. **Synergy 21-7-8 # 139**

9. API Well No. **30-043-21034**

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory **Basin Fruitland Coal**

11. County or Parish, State **Sandoval County, New Mexico**

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2.**

1. Type of Well

Oil Well  Gas Well  Other

2. Name of Operator

**Synergy Operating, LLC (OGRID # 163458)**

3a. Address

**PO Box 5513  
Farmington, NM 87499**

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

**(505) 325-5549**

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec, T. R., M, or Survey Description)

**Unit B, 710' FNL, 1495' FEL, Sec 08, T21N - R07W**

OIL CONS. DIV DIST. 3  
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12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION	TYPE OF ACTION		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input type="checkbox"/> Acidize	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Temporary Abandon
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug & Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
	<input type="checkbox"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	Other: _____

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operations: (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 the BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports must 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 must be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

SYNERGY PROPOSES TO TEMPORARILY ABANDON (TA) THIS WELL, UNTIL NATURAL GAS PRICES IMPROVE AS FOLLOWS:

MIRU WIRELINE UNIT. RIH AND SET MECHANICAL CIBP @ 630'+/-, ABOVE FRUITLAND COAL PERFORATIONS (669' TO 685'). POOH. LOAD HOLE FROM SURFACE. PRESSURE TEST 5-1/2" PRODUCTION CASING TO 550# AND HOLD AND CHART CASING PRESSURE TEST FOR 30 MINUTES. SCHEDULE PRESSURE TEST WITNESS WITH BLM AND NMOC D PERSONNEL 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE. NO CEMENT WILL BE PLACED UPON CIBP AT THE PRESENT TIME, SINCE WELL PLAN IS TO RETURN WELL TO PRODUCTION.

PERFORM WITNESSED PRESSURE TEST AND SUBMIT CHART WITH SUBSEQUENT SUNDRY NOTICE

ALL WORK WILL BE PERFORMED BY APRIL 15, 2017.

SEE ATTACHED FOR  
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Name (Printed/Typed)

**THOMAS E. MULLINS tom.mullins@synergyoperating.com**

Title **ENGINEERING MANAGER**

Signature

Date **NOVEMBER 28, 2016**

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved by

Title

Date

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

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 page 2)

12-29-16 **NMOCDA**  
email from AG @ BLM OK to proceed



# United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Farmington Field Office  
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Farmington, New Mexico 87402  
[www.blm.gov/nm](http://www.blm.gov/nm)



## **CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL FOR TEMPORARY ABANDONMENT**

1. Mechanical Integrity Test (MIT) required prior to Temporary Abandonment (TA) approval.
2. Temporary Abandonment approval will be effective upon receipt of MIT's subsequent report by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), and will be valid for a period of twelve (12) months thereafter.
3. Contact this office at (505) 564-7750 prior to conducting MIT's operations.

If you have any questions, please contact AG Elmadani at (505)564-7742 or [aelmadani@blm.gov](mailto:aelmadani@blm.gov)

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