

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  
FEB 11 2008  
Bureau of Land Management  
Farmington Field Office

1a. Type of Work ☒ DRILL ☐ REENTER  
1b. Type of Well ☐ Oil Well ☒ Gas Well ☐ Other ☐ Single Zone ☐ Multiple Zone

2. Name of Operator

Energen Resources Corporation

3a. Address

2010 Afton Place Farmington, New Mexico 87401

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

(505) 325-6800

4. Location of Well (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements)\*

At surface 1090' ENL, 1870' FEL 8

At proposed prod. zone 1500' ENL, 760' FWL E

14. Distance in miles and direction from nearest town or post office\*

36.5 miles NE of Gobernador, NM

15. Distance from proposed\*

location to nearest  
property or lease line, ft.  
(Also to nearest drg. unit line, if any)

1090'

16. No. of Acres in lease

1280 800

17. Spacing Unit dedicated to this well

320 W/2

18. Distance from proposed location\*  
to nearest well, drilling, completed,  
applied for, on this lease, ft

50'

19. Proposed Depth

6006' MD

20. BLM/BIA Bond No. on file

RCVD JUN 30 '08  
OIL CONS. DIV.  
DIST. 3

21. Elevations (Show whether DF, KDB, RT, GL, etc.)

7160' GL

22. Approximate date work will start\*

April 1, 2008

23. Estimated duration

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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.

25. Signature

Name (Printed/Typed)

Date

Jason Kincaid

1/11/2008

Title

DRILLING ENGINEER

Approved by (Signature)

Name (Printed/Typed)

Date

Title

Office

Application approval 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.  
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 page 2)

BLM'S APPROVAL OR ACCEPTANCE OF THIS ACTION DOES NOT RELIEVE THE LESSEE AND OPERATOR FROM OBTAINING ANY OTHER AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED FOR OPERATIONS ON FEDERAL AND INDIAN LANDS

A COMPLETE C-144 MUST BE SUBMITTED TO AND APPROVED BY THE NMOCD FOR: A PIT, CLOSED LOOP SYSTEM, BELOW GRADE TANK, OR PROPOSED ALTERNATIVE METHOD, PURSUANT TO NMOCD PART 19.15.17, PRIOR TO THE USE OR CONSTRUCTION OF THE ABOVE APPLICATIONS.

This action is subject to technical and procedural review pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.2 and appeal pursuant to 43 CFR 3165.4

FEB 02 2008

NOTIFY AZTEC OCD 24 HRS.  
PRIOR TO CASING & CEMENT

NMOCD

Hold C104

for Directional Survey  
and "As Drilled" plat

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

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

☐ AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

<sup>1</sup> API Number 30039-30482	<sup>2</sup> Pool Code 71629	<sup>3</sup> Pool Name Basin FRUITLAND COAL
<sup>4</sup> Property Code 35035	<sup>5</sup> Property Name CARRACAS 22A	<sup>6</sup> Well Number 4
<sup>7</sup> GRID No. 162928	<sup>8</sup> Operator Name ENERGEN RESOURCES CORPORATION	<sup>9</sup> Elevation 7160'

<sup>10</sup> Surface Location

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
B	22	32N	5W		1090'	NORTH	1870'	EAST	RIO ARRIBA

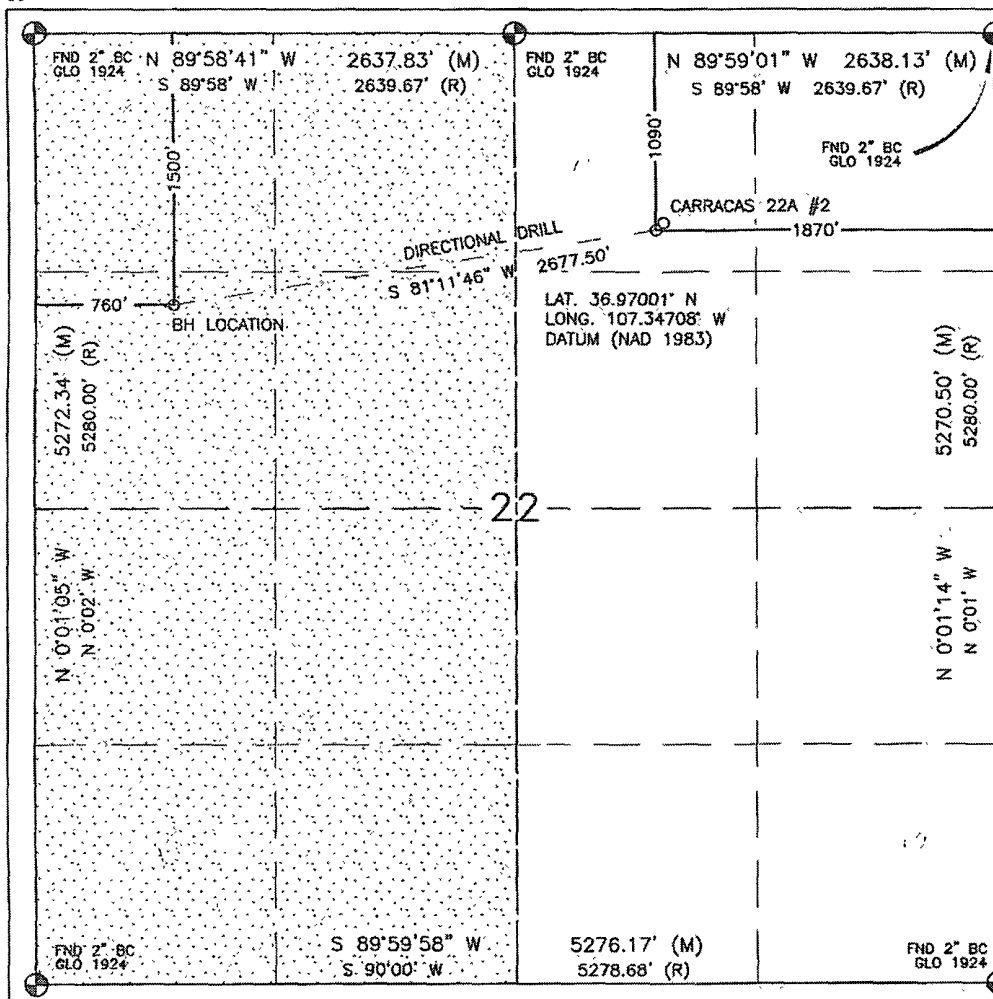
<sup>11</sup> Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
E	22	32N	5W		1500'	NORTH	760'	WEST	RIO ARRIBA

<sup>12</sup> Dedicated Acres 319.23 Acres - (W/2)	<sup>13</sup> Joint or Infill	<sup>14</sup> Consolidation Code	<sup>15</sup> Order No.
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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, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.

*Nathan Smith* 7/1/08  
Signature Date

Nathan Smith  
Printed Name

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.

DECEMBER 8, 2006

Date of Survey

Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor:

*David A. Russell*

DAVID RUSSELL

Certificate Number

10201

## Operations Plan

January 11, 2008

### **Carracas 22 A #4**

#### **General Information**

Location	1090' fnl, 1870' fel at surface 1500' fnl, 760' fwl at bottom nwne 22, T32N, R5W Rio Arriba County, New Mexico
Elevations	7160' GL
Total Depth	6006' (MD), 3946' (TVD)
Formation Objective	Basin Fruitland Coal

#### **Formation Tops**

San Jose	Surface
Nacimiento	1761' (TVD)
Ojo Alamo Ss	3100' (TVD), 3118' (MD)
Kirtland Sh	3220' (TVD), 3252' (MD)
Fruitland Fm	3385' (TVD), 3450' (MD)
Top Coal	3935' (TVD), 4587' (MD)
Bottom Coal	3958' (TVD)
<b>Total Depth</b>	<b>3958' (TVD), 6006' (MD)</b>

#### **Drilling**

The 12 1/4" wellbore will be drilled with a fresh water mud system.

The 8 3/4" wellbore will be drilled with a low solids fresh water/polymer mud system. Weighting materials will be drill cuttings and if needed barite. Mud density is expected to range from 8.9 ppg to 9.5 ppg.

**Projected KOP is 2510' TVD with 3.99°/100' doglegs.**

The 6 1/4" wellbore will be drilled with a fresh water or brine water system depending on reservoir characteristics. Anticipated BHP can be as high as 1100 psi.

Blowout Control Specifications:

A 2000 psi minimum double ram or annulus BOP stack will be used following nipple up of casing head. During air drilling operations, a Shaffer Type 50 or equivalent rotating head will be installed on top of the stack. A 2" nominal, 2000 psi minimum choke manifold will also be used. An upper Kelly Cock valve handle and drill string valve should be available to fit each drill string and be available on the rig floor during drilling operations.

Logging Program:

Open hole logs: None

Mud logs: From 3385' (TVD), 3450' (MD) to TD.

Surveys: Surface to KOP every 500' and a minimum of every 250' for directional.

## Tubulars

### Casing, Tubing, & Casing Equipment:

String	Interval	Wellbore	Casing	Csg Wt	Grade
Surface	0'-200'	12 ¼"	9 5/8"	32.3 ppf	H-40 ST&C
Intermediate	0'-3946' (TVD) 4765' (MD)	8 ¾"	7"	23.0 ppf	J-55 LT&C
Production	3935'-3958' (TVD) 4587'-6006' (MD)	6 ¼"	4 ½"	11.6 ppf	J-55 LT&C
Tubing	0'-4740' (MD)		2 3/8"	4.7 ppf	J-55

### Casing Equipment:

Surface Casing: Depending on wellbore conditions, a Texas Pattern Guide Shoe on bottom. Casing centralization with standard bow spring centralizers to achieve optimal standoff.

Intermediate Casing: Depending on wellbore conditions, a Cement nose guide shoe with self fill insert float collar on top of bottom joint and casing centralization with standard bow spring and rigid centralizers to optimize standoff. Two turbolating centralizers at the base of the Ojo Alamo are recommended.

Liner: Bull nose guide shoe on bottom of first joint, H-Latch liner drop off tool on top of last joint.

## Wellhead

3000 psi 11" x 9 5/8" casing head. 9 5/8" x 7"x 2 3/8" 3000 psi Flanged Wellhead .

## Cementing

Surface Casing: 125 sks Std (class B) with 2.0 % CaCl<sub>2</sub> and ¼ #/sk Flocele (15.6 ppg, 1.18 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk 148 ft<sup>3</sup> of slurry, 100% excess to circulate to surface). WOC 12 hours. Pressure test surface casing to 600 psi for 30 min.

Intermediate Casing: Before cementing, circulate hole at least 1 ½ hole volumes of mud and reduce funnel viscosity to minimum to aide in hole cleanout. Depending on wellbore conditions, cement may consist of 775 sks 65/35 with 6.0 % Bentonite, 2.0 % CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 10 #/sk Gilsonite, and ½ #/sk Flocele (12.3 ppg, 1.96 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk) and a tail of 125 sks Type V with ¼ #/sk Flocele (15.6 ppg, 1.18 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk). (1643 ft<sup>3</sup> of slurry, 100 % excess to circulate to surface). Test casing to 1200 psi for 30 min.

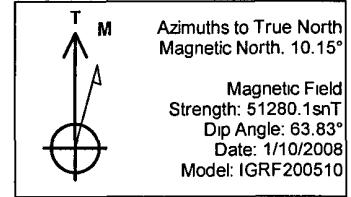
## Other Information

- 1) This well will be an open hole completion lined with an uncemented pre-drilled liner.
- 2) If lost circulation is encountered, sufficient LCM will be added to the mud system to maintain well control. The intermediate string may need to be cemented in multiple stages with a slurry design deviated from that listed above.
- 3) If high reservoir pressures or water flows are encountered slurry design may need to be deviated to from those listed above to satisfy wellbore and formation conditions.
- 4) No abnormal temperatures or pressures are anticipated. This gas is dedicated.

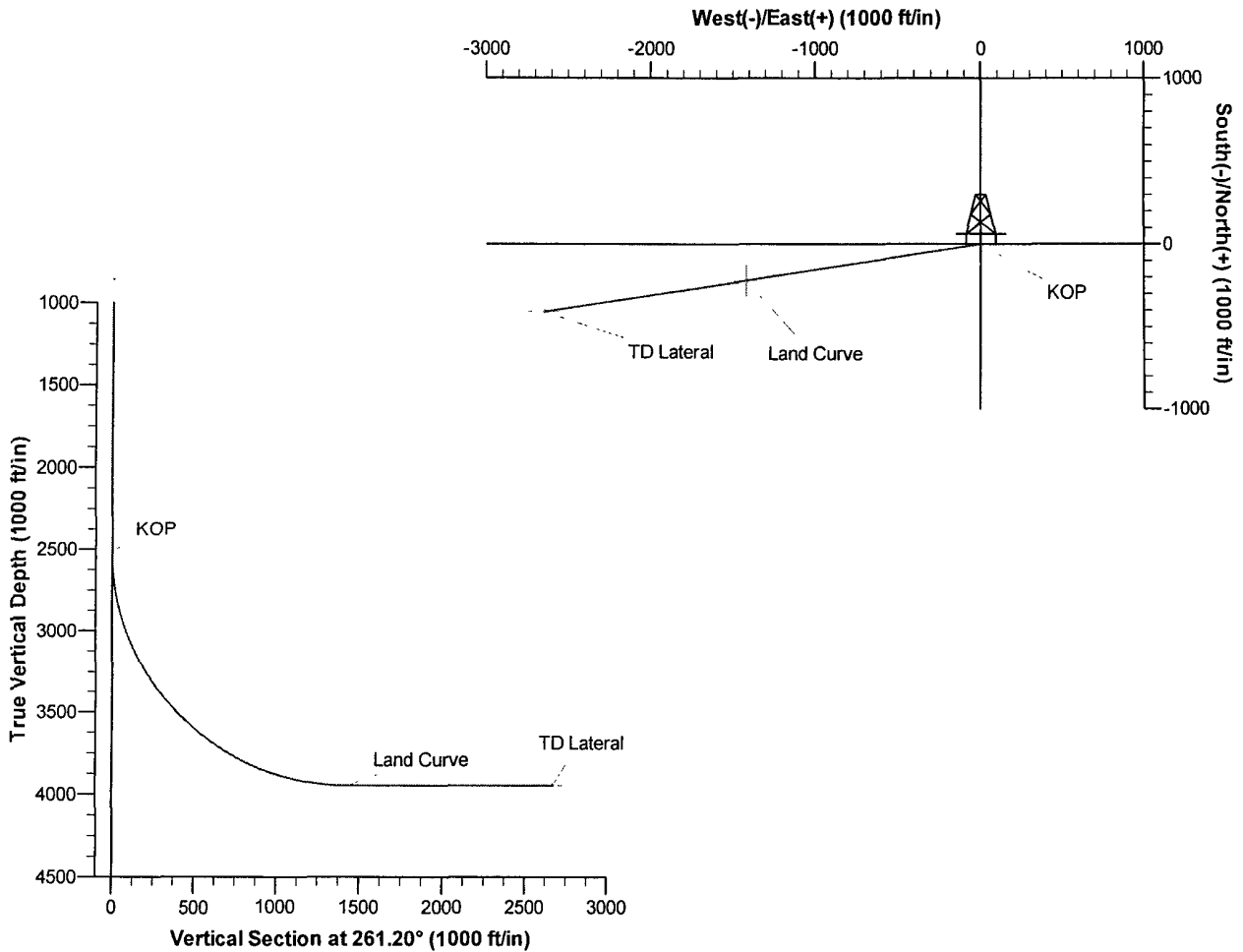


**Project:** Carson Natl Forest - S22, T32N, 5W  
**Site:** Carracas Mesa  
**Well:** Carracas 22 A #4  
**Wellbore:** Horizontal New Drill  
**Plan:** Preliminary Plan (Carracas 22 A #4/Horizontal New Drill)

PROJECT DETAILS: Carson Natl Forest - S22, T32N, 5W									
Geodetic System: US State Plane 1983									
Datum: North American Datum 1983									
Ellipsoid: GRS 1980									
Zone: New Mexico Central Zone									
System Datum: Mean Sea Level									



SECTION DETAILS										
Sec	MD	Inc	Azi	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	DLeg	TFace	VSec	Target
1	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0	
2	2510.0	0.00	0.00	2510.0	0.0	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.0	KOP
3	4765.7	90.00	261.20	3946.0	-219.7	-1419.1	3.99	261.20	1436.0	Land Curve
4	6006.7	90.00	261.21	3946.0	-409.5	-2645.5	0.00	0.00	2677.0	TD Lateral



# Energen Plan Design

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**Design:** Preliminary Plan

**Local Co-ordinate Reference:** Well Carracas 22 A #4  
**TVD Reference:** KB @ 7182.0ft (Drilling Rig)  
**MD Reference:** KB @ 7182.0ft (Drilling Rig)  
**North Reference:** True  
**Survey Calculation Method:** Minimum Curvature  
**Database:** EDM 2003.16 Single User Db

Targets									
Target Name	Dip Angle	Dip Dir.	TVD	+N/-S	+E/-W	Northing	Easting	Latitude	Longitude
- hit/miss target	(°)	(°)	(ft)	(ft)	(ft)	(m)	(m)		
- Shape									
TD Lateral	0.00	0 00	3,946.0	-409.5	-2,645.5	662,589.17	401,509.11	36° 58' 7.986 N	107° 21' 22.086 W
- plan hits target									
- Point									
KOP	0 00	0 00	2,510.0	0.0	0 0	662,704.69	402,316.84	36° 58' 12.036 N	107° 20' 49.488 W
- plan hits target									
- Point									
Land Curve	0.00	0 00	3,946.0	-219.7	-1,419.1	662,642.71	401,883.55	36° 58' 9.863 N	107° 21' 6.974 W
- plan hits target									
- Point									

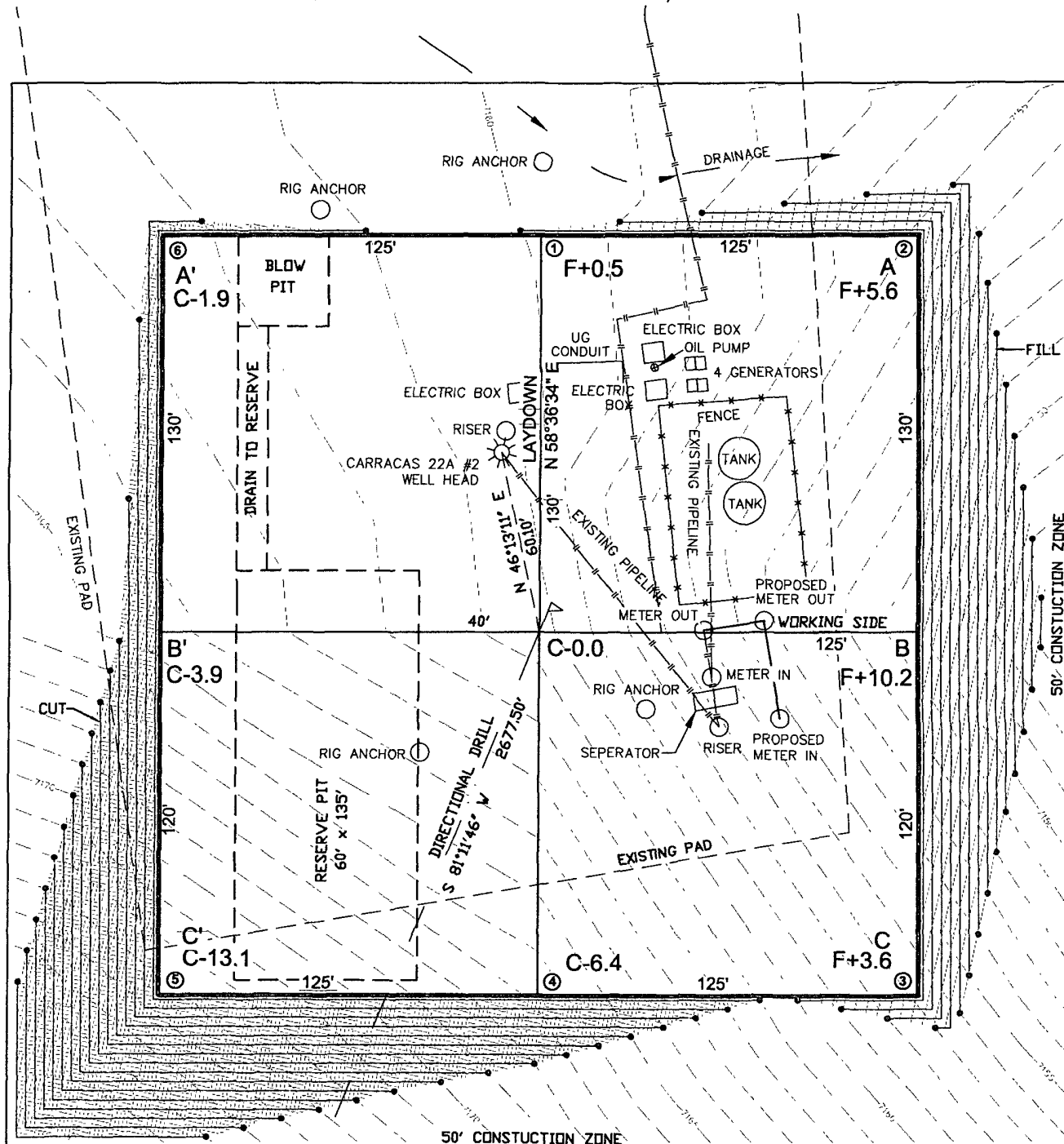
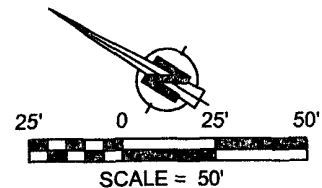
Formations						
Measured Depth	Vertical Depth	Name	Lithology	Dip	Dip Direction	
(ft)	(ft)			(°)	(°)	
1,761.0	1,761.0	Nacimiento		0.00		
3,118.0	3,100.0	Ojo Alamo		0.00		
	3,958.0	Base Coal		0.00		
3,252.7	3,220.0	Kirtland		0.00		
3,450.9	3,385.0	Fruitland		0.00		
4,587.8	3,935.0	Top Coal		0.00		

Checked By: \_\_\_\_\_ Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

LATITUDE: 36.97001°N  
LONGITUDE: 107.34708°W  
DATUM: NAD 83

## ENERGEN RESOURCES CORPORATION

CARRACAS 22A #4  
1090' FNL & 1870' FEL  
LOCATED IN THE NW/4 NE/4 OF  
SECTION 22, T32N, R5W, N.M.P.M.,  
RIO ARriba COUNTY, NEW MEXICO  
GROUND ELEVATION: 7160', NAVD 88  
FINISHED PAD ELEVATION: 7160.4', NAVD 88

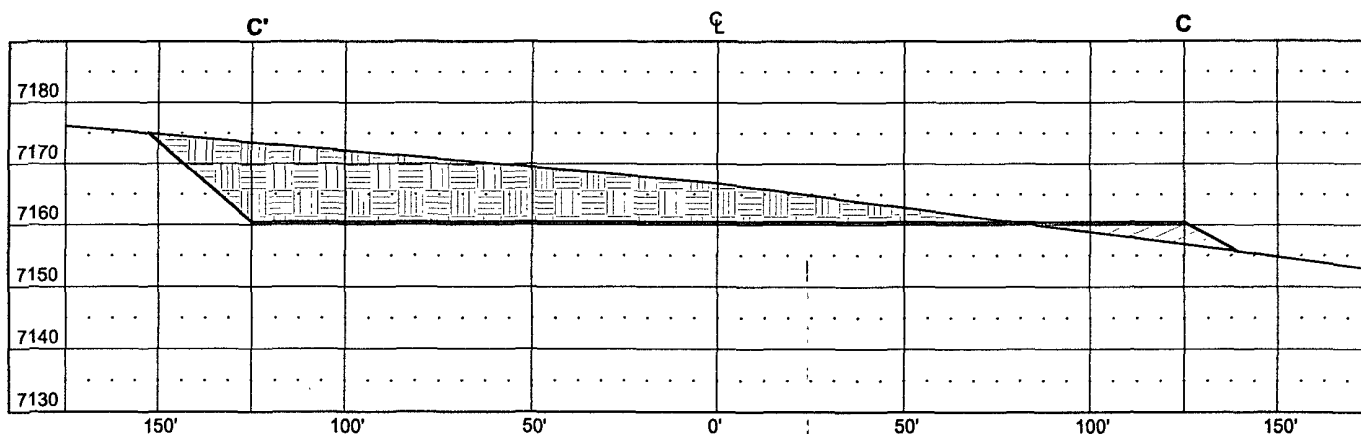
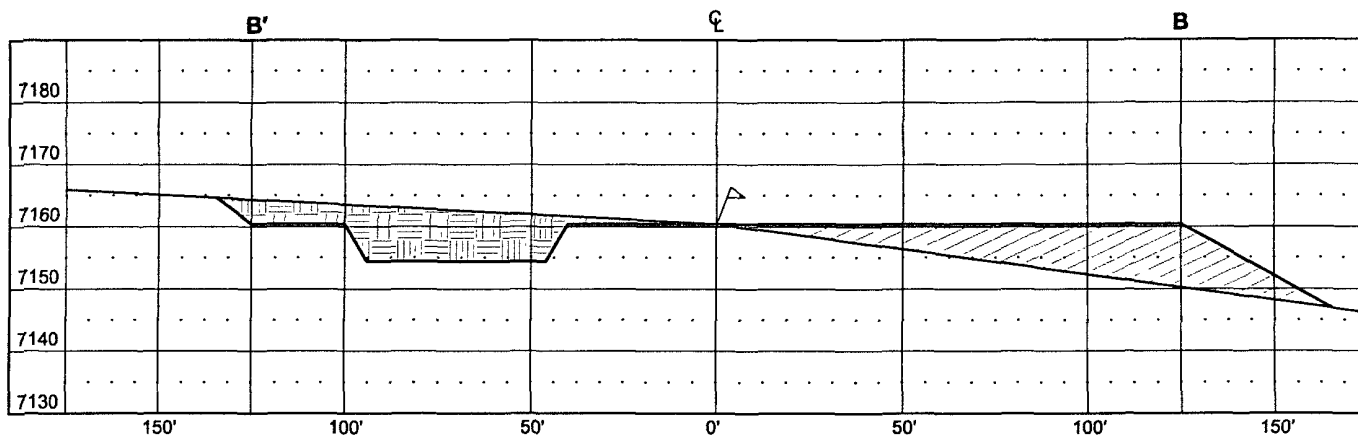
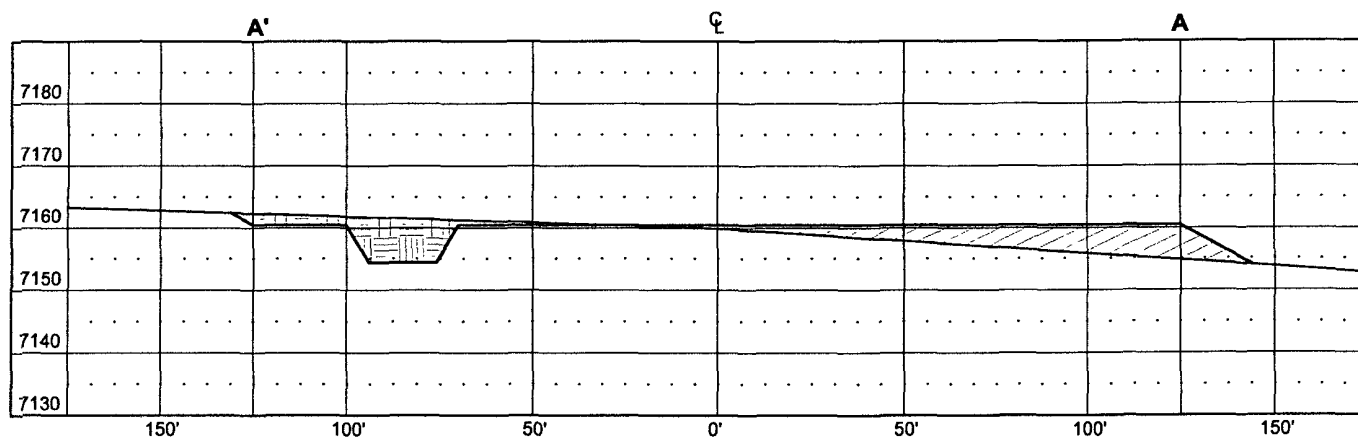


1 FOOT CONTOUR INTERVAL SHOWN  
SCALE: 1" = 50'  
JOB No.: ERG129  
DATE: 12/14/06



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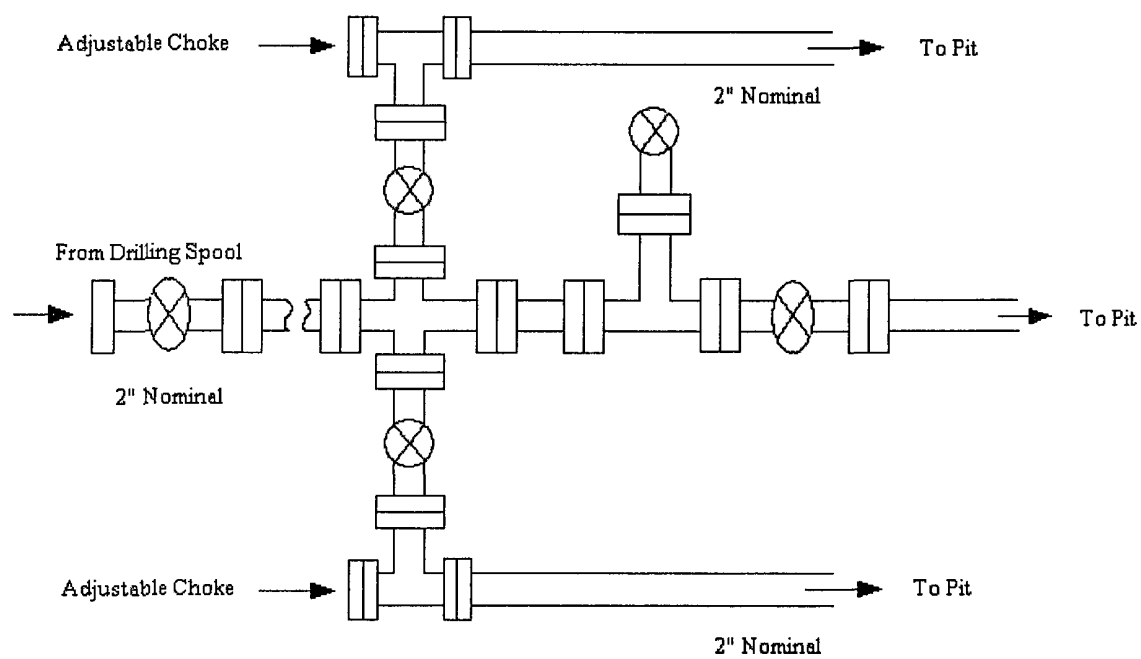
VERT. SCALE: 1" = 30'  
HORIZ. SCALE: 1" = 50'  
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**Energen Resources Corporation**  
Typical 2000 psi Choke Manifold Configuration



Choke manifold installed from surface to TD

## Energen Resources Corporation

### Typical BOP Configuration for Gas Drilling

