

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0135
Expires: July 31, 2010

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS
Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.

5. Lease Serial No.
NMNM0531277A

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on reverse side.

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

1. Type of Well
 Oil Well Gas Well Other

8. Well Name and No.
FNR 26 FEDERAL 4H

2. Name of Operator
OXY USA INC
Contact: JENNIFER A DUARTE
E-Mail: jennifer_duarte@oxy.com

9. API Well No.
30-015-41012

3a. Address
PO BOX 4294
HOUSTON, TX 77210

3b. Phone No. (include area code)
Ph: 713-513-6640

10. Field and Pool, or Exploratory
FORTY NINER RIDGE DEL, SE

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)
Sec 26 T23S R30E SWSW 690FSL 373FWL

11. County or Parish, and State
EDDY COUNTY, NM

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"/> Deepen	<input type="checkbox"/> Production (Start/Resume)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Shut-Off
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsequent Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Alter Casing	<input type="checkbox"/> Fracture Treat	<input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/> Well Integrity
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Abandonment Notice	<input type="checkbox"/> Casing Repair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Recomplete	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug and Abandon	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporarily Abandon	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Convert to Injection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plug Back	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Disposal	

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation (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 recompleat 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 BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports shall be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 shall be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices shall be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed, and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.)

OXY USA INC respectfully request permission to start dirt work on the FNR 26 Federal #4H. The APD was submitted on August 31, 2012 and is still pending approval. The notification and work will begin as soon as this sundry notice has been approved.

Accepted for record
NMOCD
JCS
1/31/2013

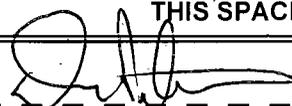
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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

**Electronic Submission #182597 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For OXY USA INC, sent to the Carlsbad**

Name (Printed/Typed) JENNIFER A DUARTE	Title REGULATORY ANALYST
Signature (Electronic Submission)	Date 01/14/2013

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By 	Title ARM	Date 1/23/13
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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.

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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.

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