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**Subject:** Alamo Permian - next pit permits

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Mike

Dale will call you tomorrow afternoon to confirm a time on Thursday morning for any site visits you feel would be helpful to approve/reject a pit permit. As we discussed, Alamo needs at least 3 pits in order to use the data to determine what is most cost effective for these shallow holes –pits or closed loop. Here is the plan

1. Drill State BK 9 and Cedar Lake 5 using closed loop.
2. We need to begin building the next location NEXT WEEK – like Monday. Can you approve Wilson 3 today/tomorrow?
3. Dale will be doing the site inspections for three more pits on Thursday.
4. Expect 2-3 pit permits in your mailbox next Monday – the permits will be perfect this time (or very close to it)
5. We will need real quick turn around on your review so we can keep ahead of the rig.

In my next email, I will send you some additional information on Wilson 3 that should eliminate any need for you to visit this site prior to approval/denial of the permit.

Thanks

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**Subject:** Alamo Permian

Mike

Alamo Permian is going closed loop with the remainder of the drilling program. So there is no need for any field trips to other wells.

Although Wilson 3 was submitted more than a month ago, the drilling schedule was faster than the permitting schedule.

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